

# CHAPTER 153



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

AUGUST 2023

Hello EAA friends,

We hope you got up to see the magnificent flying machines at OSH for a day or a week!

First-a special thanks to Holiday Airways for the fun July presentation in their hangar, on the magnificent Cessna 170. Call them if you want a taildragger checkout.

On August 11th at 6:30 we will first gather for sandwiches and refreshments (please feel free to bring a creative delicious dessert item to pass around and be thanked for) and then at around 7, the CIVIL AIR PATROL will show us one of their planes (unless it has a more important mission) and give us an informative presentation on the main ramp outside the big Revv hangar. All ages, all experience and interest levels are welcome. The CIVIL AIR PATROL is a U. S AIR FORCE AUXILIARY. Perhaps you can Answer the Call and Fly with Them! Join the ranks of those piloting America's largest single-engine fleet. Fly missions for America and help invest in its future!

After the presentation and a short break to eat any leftovers, we will ask for reports from all of you on your flying activities, aircraft building reports, Oshkosh stories, show and tell items or a good airplane joke! Watching the sun set over the airplanes at 06C is a beautiful thing to cap off the evening!

The following day, Saturday August 12th, is our annual EAA 153 Chapter Picnic. It will start at 12 at the Shoe Factory Road Hoffman Estates Model Airplane Flying Field on Shoe Factory Road, between RT 72 and Bartlett Road. It will be Potluck and feel free to bring your best dish or consider as a guide if your last name starts from A-G bring salad or appetizers, if it is from G-M bring a main or side dish and if from N-Z bring a delicious dessert. Use you imagination! Bring enough for about 10 people and maybe that will work out. We will not be using barbecues for simplicity. The Chapter will supply cold drinks, plates, cups, plasticware, napkins, a couple tables, some chairs and a couple of pop up tents. Feel free to please bring a chair, card table, pop up tent and your model airplane to show off and fly. It is not supposed to rain hard that day, but if it does we will have the picnic there the next day, on Sunday. Bring your family and a guest. There is a port-a-potty there. We expect some extra special guests to also join us. All are welcome!

For our presentation on Sept 8th at 7:30 (come at 7 if you want to hang out...), we will be back in the indoor room on the lower level at Schaumburg Airport to hear Bob Meyers presentation on the restoration of the Bellanca Triple Tail taildragger and we are planning an ice cream social for the break.

*Bob Brandt*

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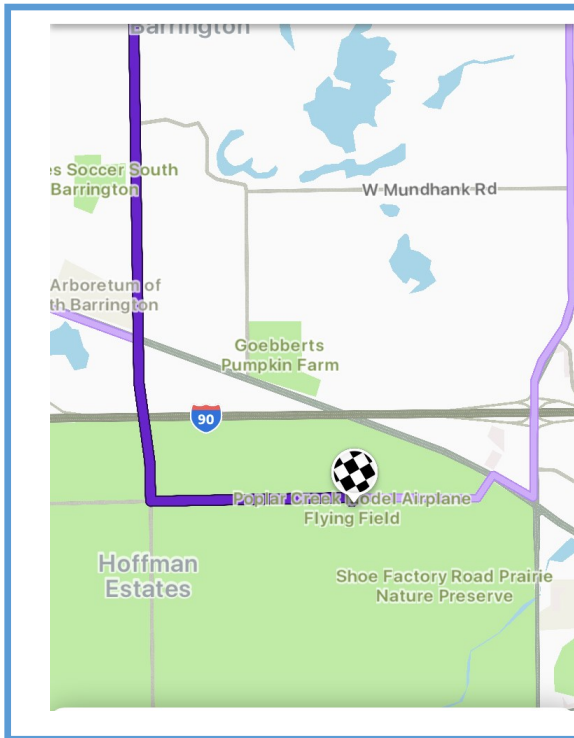


The membership form is attached for you to fill out and mail, or you can bring it and pay for 2023 dues at an upcoming meeting.

## CHAPTER 153



PRESERVING THE FREEDOM OF FLIGHT



## CHAPTER PICNIC LOCATION

# Shoe Factory Road Model Airplane Flying Field

(also known as Poplar Creek Model Airplane Flying Field)

**YOUR GPS SHOULD KNOW HOW TO FIND IT!**

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**JOIN US FOR ANY OR ALL OF OUR EVENTS**

# EAA CHAPTER 153 NEWSLETTER

Schaumburg Airport  
Home of EAA 153



**Meetings:** Every 2nd Friday

Schaumburg Airport - Lower Level  
905 W Irving Park Rd  
Schaumburg, IL 60193

## NEXT MEETING

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 11, 6:30 PM**

Outside, on the big REVV hangar ramp

Food at 6:30

CAP Presentation at 7:00

Bring a dessert to share



We have some openings on group committees if you want to participate a little more. Our elections are in November if you **want to serve on the board** (please let a board member know).

Please **submit any ideas you have for future topics**, social gatherings and please write an interesting story or helpful airplane tips to put in the newsletter. Share your expertise! Also if you have your airplane photo and you would like it showcased on our website, then send Glenn or me a nice picture of it. Thank you Glenn, for building up and maintaining the growing website. Check it out!! Please also **Visit, Share and Like us on Facebook**.

The Chapter has some **airplane tools to loan out to our paid members** and we expect a new large tool donation. Thank you Randy, for continuing the organizing, cleaning and installing LED lighting in our EAA storage hangar! Thank you Jake for donating the shelving systems.

*Let's recruit!*

*Copy the membership application page and send it to 3 pilot friends with a request to join! EAA Chapter 153 membership dues are the best bargain in Chicago Aviation!*



# Chapter 153

## Schaumburg Illinois

### Membership Application

EAA National Membership is suggested for all Chapter 153 members.

Chapter 153 dues are \$20 per year payable on January 1st each year.

Quarterly prorated reductions in increments of \$5.00 are made for those joining for the first time later in the year.

Return this form to the Treasurer or President.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ [ ] New Member [ ] Update

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Prefer to be called \_\_\_\_\_ Partner's name \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Your EAA Number \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently building/flying a homebuilt? [ ] Yes [ ] No

Model \_\_\_\_\_ N-Number \_\_\_\_\_

Check areas of interest [ ] Young Eagles [ ] Antique [ ] Classic

or other interests: [ ] Ultralight [ ] Homebuilt [ ] Powered Chute

[ ] War Birds [ ] Rotorcraft [ ] Sky Diving

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Other Comments (optional):

Please return completed application to a meeting or mail with payment to address below.

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