



The CH701 taking shape in Noel's shop. George, Dave and Noel hard at work on a Wednesday evening build session

I welcome any input members might have for future issues, I can be reached via email at wood23@sasktel.net, by phone 306-751-1064

Ron Wood

Annual General Meeting Report

EAA 154 held it's 2017 AGM in the Regina Flying Club classroom on Oct 29th.

Some highlights from the meeting:

- One new director elected, thanks to David Stanchuk for volunteering.
- Other executive positions remained as last year.
 - Ron Wood, President
 - Vic Zubot, Vice President
 - Bert Hamilton, Treasurer
 - Malcolm McLeod, Secretary
 - Cliff Paddington, Vern Brewster and Wayne Runyon, Directors
- Date set for Disley Fly-in Breakfast June 10th.
- Discussion was held around an aviation event next summer at YQR. The possibility of bringing EAA's Ford Tri-motor in was discussed. *Update: EAA will not be conducting flight operations in Canada this coming year.*
- Zenair CH701
 - Being built as chapter project
 - Some discussions were held around the future ownership of the aircraft.

Banquet Sunday Oct 29th

We had 30 members and guests at this year's banquet. Once again the Royal Regina Golf Clubhouse put on an excellent meal.

Following the meal we had door prizes and an excellent presentation by Mark and Marral Meadows on Oshkosh. Some confusion by Mark had him start on a presentation on Oshkosh children's clothing, he was soon on track though and giving an interesting talk about flying in to AirVenture and their experiences volunteering.

Membership is Now Due

Membership in EAA 154 is open to anyone with an interest in aviation and costs \$25 per year. Membership runs from Oct. 1st to Sept 31st. A free 6 month trial membership is available to new members.

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For new members the membership form can be found on the chapter web page at: <http://www.154.eachapter.org/>

EAA 154 CH701 Project

An enthusiastic group of members are making good progress on the rear fuselage, Clecos are being replaced by rivets and we now have something resembling a fuselage sitting on the build table. Next steps are installing the luggage shelf, seat belt attachments and getting ready to build and attach the forward fuselage.

Build sessions are being held Wednesday evenings starting at 7pm and Saturday mornings 9 to noon. Everyone welcome to come out and help, advise, supervise or just visit. Building takes place in the shop behind Noel McAvena's house: 3115 Zech Place.



David Stanchuk and George Costella work on the Horizontal tail attachments

Our New Cargo Trailer

This fall the chapter purchased a cargo trailer to store chapter assets and haul tables, chairs and various supplies to do a chapter event. Thanks to Cliff Paddington for watching the auctions and getting us a good buy on the unit.

