

EAA 1705 Chapter – Meeting Minutes – October 2024

EAA 1705 Chapter's Website <https://chapters.eaa.org/ea1705>

Announcements by New Richmond EAA 1705 Chapter Members

- Bob Perkins would like to know if there is interest in rebuilding a Zenith 701 airplane that is housed at his hanger. This is a separate project from the engine rebuild.
 - Looking for 6 or so interest people to work on this project
 - Estimate to take about 300 hours to get flying again
 - Contact Bob at budsbooy71@hotmail.com

New Richmond Regional Airport (NRRRA) Announcements

NRRRA Hangar Owners, Renters, and Guests please park vehicles on your aprons parallel to your hangar door and in single file to allow for large wingspan planes to taxi by unimpeded.

NRRRA Gates - Gate 1 closes at 10 pm and reopens at 4:30 am during the week and 6 am on the weekends. The keypad works. Gate 2 will remain open 24/7. Gate 3 closes at 10 pm, reopens at 4:30 am during the week and 6 am on the weekends. The Keypad does not work. After 10 pm, you can only exit through this gate. If you need to re-enter, please do so through Gate 2. Be mindful of ramp traffic! – Funding for new gates pending.

Coming Soon! EAA 1705 Chapter Logoed T-shirts and Polos for purchase



Currently in the process of creating an order form for members to fill out. Should have it out to the members soon!

EAA 1705 CHAPTER Events

November EEA Chapter 1705 Meeting

- When: 11-12-24
- Time: 6 PM
- Location: Perceptive Avionics - 625 West Hangar Rd, Hangar 16, 1, New Richmond, WI 54017 – North end of the airport – Enter through Gate 3 – Head straight back to 3rd taxiway/row – Take a right – Last hangar on the left
- Parking: There is space for about 6 cars at Perceptive Avionics' parking lot adjacent to their hangar. Overflow parking is on the left as you are entering Gate 3 of NRRRA.
- Guest Speaker - Michael John Jaeger - Outreach Volunteer - Kelch Aviation Museum
- NOTE: Monthly Meeting will start up again March 2025. We'll need volunteers to help organize, setup, & breakdown each month, as well as sponsors for future featured planes.

Poker Run Event

- Event Date: End of April 2025
- Need volunteers for:
 - Airport Event Coordination
 - Need volunteers to reach out to the following airport managers to start planning for this event
 - Ø New Richmond – Airport Manager – Mike Demulling – 715-246-7735 – mike@nrairport.com
 - Ø Osceola – Airport Manager – Richard Johnson – 715-294-4500 – rjohnson@osceolaaero.com
 - Ø Amery – Airport Manager – Patty Bjorklund – 715-268-3411 – patty.bjorklund@amery.wi.gov
 - Ø Cumberland – Airport Manager – Rick Brekke – 715-822-4554 – wisflyboy@gmail.com
 - Ø Boyceville – Airport Manger – Joel Timblin – 218-393-5264 – joel.timblin@flyer411.com
 - Reach out to fellow EAA Chapters – 631 – Rice Lake, 1537 Siren WI, etc.
 - Breakfast – Organize, setup, and breakdown
 - Potluck Dinner - Organize, setup, and breakdown
 - Gathering award donations from local businesses
 - Event Marketing

- Finalize Proposed Rules
 - After registering at the first designated airport (New Richmond Regional Airport), fly to the other four airports (Osceola, Amery, Cumberland, and Boyceville).
 - Each airport's dealer will deal you a card and then both you and the dealer initial your card with the pen that has been provided to that dealer. Each airport has a different color.
 - NO CHEATING!
 - Return to the final destination airport by specified time.
 - Best hand of poker wins.

PLEASE LET US KNOW HOW YOU WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME

EAA 1705 Chapter Young Eagles Updates

- As October's Extraordinary Speaker John Muhr mentioned, RC building and flying aided him immensely in his skills as a pilot and ability to understand how different planes maneuvered. Dale Walker donated a vintage RC to our Young Eagles program to restore/rebuild.

- Lucian Banitz is looking into what is needed to restore this vintage RC and to develop a plan on how the rebuilding process will unfold

- We are optimistic that a Restoration Task list will be developed before next month.

- We trying to nail down a date/time to fly RC planes

- Jesse Georgious is researching the cost of purchasing a couple of mini foam plane for the Young Eagles members to build

- Hopefully, we will have an update from Jesse prior to next month's meeting.

- Young Eagles Rally at NRRRA Spring of 2025

- We need quite a few people to form a committee to plan this event, execute the plan, and to volunteer their time the day of the event.
- This will be an event that is open to the public including residents of the City of New Richmond and surrounding communities.

- We have 3 flight advisors (Dale, Jeff, & Mitch) who ready to take any Young Eagle up flying

- Were proposing the Young Eagle flights take place one day a month at set time

- What day and time would you like to see these flights occur?

- Due to potential schedule changes and/or the increase in demand for flights we need more Flight Advisors then just our current 3 advisors.

- Steph Campeau is working on our chapter's application for the EAA Ray Aviation Scholarship.

Please contact – Steph Campeau – Young Eagles Program Director -
stephanierayanderson@gmail.com

EAA 1705 Chapter Dues & EAA Numbers

We still need to collect dues from some of our members and EAA numbers from all members. Please get in contact with Bill Lawson.

EAA 1705 Chapter Members Contact List

Would anyone be opposed to creating a contact list for all of our chapter members? Name, Email address, and Phone number? Or just Names and Phone numbers? Please let us know...

EAA 1705 Chapter Board Members' Contact Information

- Jeff Turner – President – 651-335-5735
- Dale Walker – Vice President – 651-283-0938
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- Steph Campeau – Digital Communications Director – 715-222-9360