



# Chapter 172

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## UPCOMING CHAPTER EVENTS

**Feb 12th :** EAA 172 meeting, Virtual Only

**Mar 13th:** EAA 172 meeting, TBD

### Other Local Events

21-Feb	SC Breakfast club	Canceled	123	<a href="#">KGGE</a>
7-Mar	SC Breakfast club	Canceled	122.7	<a href="#">KLRO</a>
21-Mar	SC Breakfast club	Lexington County Airport	123	<a href="#">6J0</a>
28-Mar	SC Breakfast club	Lee County - Butters Field	122.9	<a href="#">52J</a>
4-Apr	4-Apr	Easter		
5-Apr	April 5-11	Masters		
9-Apr	April 9-11	Uncle John's @ Triple Tree		
11-Apr	SC Breakfast club	Holly Hill	122.9	<a href="#">5J5</a>

**April 13<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> Sun and Fun Lakeland Florida**

## President's Desk

No Report for January

## Covid 19 Updates

February Meeting will be Virtual only the board is hopeful that we can get back to a normal meeting schedule as soon as possible.

As of this writing SUN and FUN and OSH2021 are still happening for 2021.

## **February meeting preview - Flying Experiences:**

This month meeting will be about general flying experiences. Dave Dent will facilitate the discussion as members will be able to share their favorite flying stories. Since we will be virtual, you will be able to share your favorite flying photos with the group.

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## **January meeting notes**

In January Mark Scott, President of EAA Chapter 27 in Meriden Connecticut discussed taking his Bearhawk on a three week adventure to Alaska and back. It was very inspiring to listen to Mark and realize you don't need a STOL aircraft to fly from the continental United States to Alaska and back. It sounded like there was really only 1 strip that required true STOL capability and that was a short flight to go see a glacier up close. There were 8 members that came out to the meeting at Nandi's building at Bush Field. There were also 14 people that logged on virtually to hear about Mark's adventure.



## Meeting Schedule

Month	Day	Time	Event	Location	Food
February	13th	10:30 am	Aviation Experiences	Virtual only	
March	13th	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
April	?	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD

## EAA Webinars Schedule

EAA National has announced the February / March webinars that you can enjoy from the comfort of your home. EAA webinars are free to all aviation enthusiasts.

Preregistration is recommended, as space is limited.

**Upcoming webinars include the following topics and presenters:**

<https://www.eaa.org/ea/news-and-publications/ea-webinars>

Date	Time	Title
2/9/2021	7 p.m. CST	Corsair: The Story of the EAA Aviation Museum's F4U Corsair: Presented by - Chris Henry
2/10/2021	7 p.m. CST	ATC and You: How to Make the Most of Flying VFR: Presented by - Richard Kennington and Bob Obama
2/16/2021	7 p.m. CST	Flying Procedures into Canada: Presented by - Luke Penner
2/17/2021	7 p.m. CST	ATC and You: Balancing IFR Flying and the Efficiency of Controlled Airspace: Presented by - Richard Kennington and Bob Obama
2/24/2021	7 p.m. CST	Owner in Command: Things I Wish I Knew Before I Knew Them: Presented by - Sebastien Seykora
3/2/2021	7 p.m. CST	Panthers and Beyond: Presented by - Dan and Rachel Weseman
3/3/2021	7 p.m. CST	How Mags Fail: Presented by - Mike Busch
3/9/2021	7 p.m. CST	Bong: America's Ace of Aces: Presented by - Chris Henry
3/10/2021	7 p.m. CST	Pushing Past TBO - Running your Rotax Engine "On Condition": Presented by - Prof. H. Paul Shuch
3/16/2021	7 p.m. CDT	Rolling Fear Upside Down with Aerobatics: Presented by - Cecilia Aragon
3/17/2021	7 p.m. CDT	Sling Aircraft Kits: Presented by - Mike Blyth
3/24/2021	7 p.m. CDT	SNAGGED! Dealing with Defects Safely and Legally: Presented by - Sebastien Seykora
3/31/2021	7 p.m. CDT	Engine Care Items Every Pilot Should Know: Presented by - Bill Ross

# Aviation Museums

By Tom DeGroot

This month I found out the hard way that the Museum in Charlotte was shuttered in 2020. This was due to them losing their hanger space. My take away was you need to call before going to a museum.

Al Nordoft and I have plans to go to the museum at KSAV so I will have a report on that museum next month.

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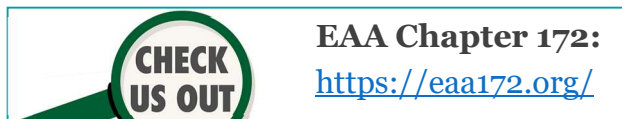
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#### WHERE TO FIND US:

EAA172 meets every 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month at several locations around Augusta, GA throughout the year. However, our primary meeting place is at our chapter clubhouse on Pea Patch Aerodrome (61GA) in Blythe, GA. Take Route 1 toward Blythe, turn south at the Citgo/Quik Mart station onto Bath-Edie Road. At the first intersection, turn right onto Patterson Road and follow ¼ mile. Make a left turn onto Boulineau Road (across from the Rec Center) and drive 1 mile. The entrance to Pea Patch is on your right. The clubhouse is at the end of a row of hangars next to the grass strip, just south of the windsock.

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