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2020 CALENDAR

FORMAL EAA 182 CHAPTER MEETINGS
CANCELED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE DUE
TO COVID

President's Column

Happy holidays, everyone!

As 2020 draws to a close, I think we can all agree that the world has changed in so many ways.

COVID-19 has brought many things in our lives to a screeching halt. The bright news is that vaccines have been developed and have begun to be distributed.

Hopefully there will soon be some signs of normalcy on the horizon.

After our first month's meeting, we had to stop our meetings and activities and most of us couldn't go to "Airventure Oshkosh" either. It was the first time in 24 years that I celebrated my birthday at home and not in OSH.

I also want us to remember our friend Dwight Smith who has gone west on Dec 4th, 2019. We will not forget him.

The chapter will continue to take a break from group activities as we are committed to keeping us all safe and able to enjoy the holiday season. However, our board will be meeting virtually on ZOOM to plan for the year ahead. We will also be implementing virtual meetings very soon.

The board will see a few changes as the New Year starts. After serving as Secretary and Vice President, Gary Maidment has decided to step down from both positions. We all thank him for the

great contributions he made to our chapter as he was instrumental in the success of the chapter. We now need member nominations in order to fill these open positions and vote new officers in. Please send nominations to me as soon as possible.

Even with no meetings in the last months we were lucky to have several new members joining the chapter this year. We will introduce them in the January Newsletter with their projects/builds (RV-10, RV-8, Highlander and ultralight). Please also send articles, photos, etc. from your projects/flights to include in the next newsletter. And speaking of the newsletter, a special thanks to Rhea who takes care of our newsletter every month!

We also want to congratulate Joshua McLain who mastered his solo flight in his Cherokee on Friday, Nov 20th.

Don't forget the EAA Homebuilders Week starting on January 26, with lots of presentations, workshops and seminars available.

I wish all members, your families, and friends of EAA Chapter 182 Memphis a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Gerhard Schubert

President EAA Ch 182 Memphis

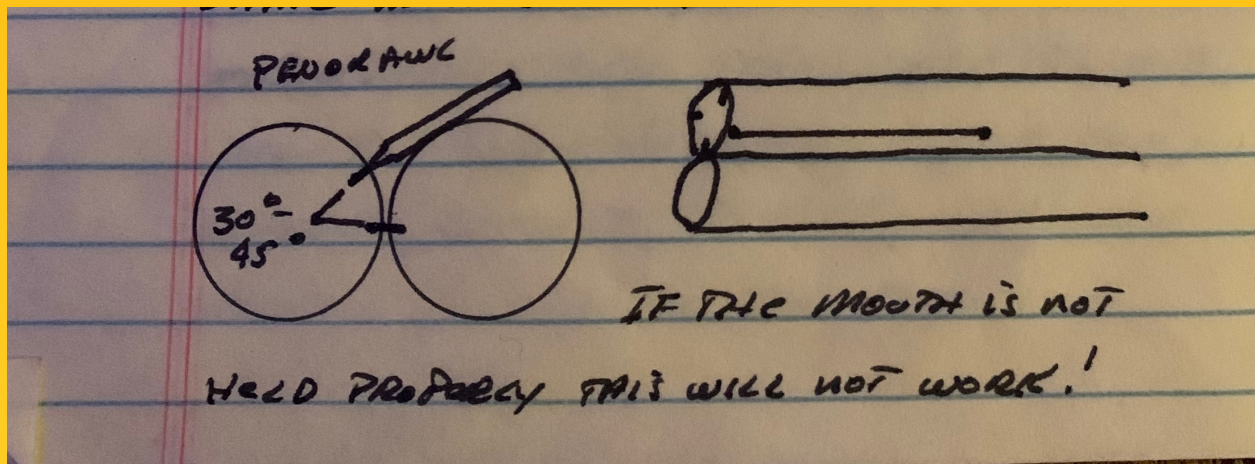


Maintenance Corner

Scribing a Straight Line on Tubing

You have a template to mark it, a jig to drill it, and a third hand to hold it. Now, how do you make those 90-degree or 180-degree points down the tube? If you have a steady hand and hold your mouth just right, you can do it.

Take a piece of tube the same size or slightly smaller than the one you wish to mark. Lay them together on a smooth surface with the mark you wish to move, about 30-45 degrees up from where they touch. Holding your marking pen or awl, rest your hand on the table and the second tube. Move your hand down the tube to transfer the mark. Use the same method for two bolt holes.



For technical questions, check out our technical counselor contact page on our website at: chapters.eaa.org/eea182/technical-counselors

We're always looking for maintenance content to put in our newsletter! If you have a tip you'd like to share whether it's something you did, something someone else did, or just something you ran across online, drop us a line at eea182memphis@gmail.com and we'll put it in a future newsletter!

Secretary's Corner

Reminder that memberships were due January 1st. We need these dues to help pay for our EAA National Membership and insurance. Dues are \$35 for individuals and \$45 for a joint membership which includes 2 people, same household, spouse or partner, plus all children under 18 years of age.

Please send checks to:

EAA Chapter 182
c/o Frank Civera
3850 Berlinwood Cv N
Bartlett, TN 38133

Also, reminder you if you completed the EAA Youth Protection Program for Young Eagles to please check your renewal date as we hope to have another good Young Eagles year this year.

CAVOK and Tail Winds,
Gary



EAA 182 STORE

Coozies - \$5.00



Want a calendar??

We will be able to order some calendars for 2021 (see pic to the left). They'll be under \$10. If you think you might want one, click the link below to take a quick, one-question survey.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TW6MNVR>

T-shirts - \$15.00

The t-shirts are customizable. Email us at eaal82memphis@gmail.com with size and name.



Member News

It's been a tough year for all of us, but as I looked back on the newsletters from this past year, I realized that despite the dark cloud that descended over 2020, we still managed to have a little fun flying, building, and visiting one another. Here is a visual re-cap of our EAA 182 adventures. I look forward to a brighter 2021. Have a very Merry Christmas, a Happy New Year, and for the love of Pete, please eat some black-eyed peas and pork. We need all the luck we can get for 2021!



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eea182memphis@gmail.com and
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