



April 2019

# Hangar Talk



Serving airplane builders, restorers, pilots, & airplane lovers in Western Michigan

**Meeting Friday, April 5, 2019**

**Board Meeting at 6:30pm – Regular Meeting at 7:30pm**

**EAA Clubhouse, Grand Haven Memorial Airpark (3GM) 16446 Comstock St, Grand Haven, MI 49417**

## Rebuilding an RV 9A, Twice!

It was just last April that fellow EAA Chapter 211 Member John Boer shared the story and pictures of his purchase and rebuilding of a wrecked RV 9A. We were all impressed with John's building skills (and speed)!

This month we welcome John back to share the story and pictures of his second rebuild of the same aircraft after "a bad landing" at Park Township Airport upon returning from Oshkosh AirVenture 2018. Though N899RV sustained substantial damage to its wings, John was, thankfully, uninjured.



### Prez Sez

Hello Members,

Happy Tax Month! I am sure everyone is busy gathering all the last minute deductions and happily sending off your hard earned money to Uncle Sam in DC!

On a positive note, we had a great turnout at our first annual Chili cook off. Thank you to everyone that brought a pot full of Chili. Should we continue to offer a meal prior to start of our monthly meeting?



I am continuing work on wing ribs for the Ace Jr Aircraft that I am building. I am also starting the process of completely restoring a Pa 25 Piper Pawnee. This aircraft was used in Agricultural Aviation as well as towing banners and gliders/sailplanes. I will be sure to capture some photos and keep you up to date as to the process.

Best regards,  
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## EAA Chapter 211 Meeting Minutes – 2019-03-04

Submitted by Paul Overbeek

### Attendance: 23

### Call to order and Pledge of Allegiance – 19:30

The March 1st Chapter 211 meeting was called to order by President, Mark Lynn.

### Attendance and Visitors:

A total of 22 members were present, and one visitor.

### Previous Meeting Minutes:

A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the February 1, 2018 meeting minutes.

### Treasure's Report:

February - Checking \$2627.61, petty cash \$120.00, coffee fund \$45.00. The 2019 EAA registration of \$570.00 has been paid. A motion was made, seconded, and passed to accept the February treasure's report.

As of March 27, 2019 we have \$2551.28 in checking, \$145.00 in petty cash, and \$57.00 in the coffee fund, for a total of \$2753.28. We have 29 paid members.

### Technical Reports:

Jack Brewer gave a technical report.

### Flight Advisor Reports:

Brian Greene gave a flight report.

### Project Reports:

Paul Dannenberg is building the gas tank and smoke tank for his Pitts project.

Brian Greene is slowly working on his RV.

Ed Cech is working on his panel, wiring, and baffling for his RV.

Tom Marrotta reported that he has purchased an engine but is still having issues getting it to flying condition.

Gary Mushluk bought an engine for his Lancaire project.

Rocky Frees talked on building a Hi-Max

### Old Business:

A grill has not been purchased yet. Dale reports he is still waiting for sales to get the best deal.

### New Business:

The Board has voted to proceed with seeking 501c3 non-profit, tax-exempt status.

### Coffee Break:

20:15

### Program:

The program was a video assembled and narrated by fellow EAA Chapter 211 member, Dennis Stevens on the Sonix Jet. Thank you Dennis, for the great video, and for remaining connected with Chapter 211, even though you are many miles away!

### Adjournment:

The meeting was adjourned at 21:15.



## Young Eagle's Display at Grand Haven's Loutit Library

Retired P-51 pilot and EAA Chapter 211 Young Eagles Coordinator, Warren Roosen, has put up a display in Grand Haven's beautiful Loutit Library, to educate the public about EAA's Young Eagles program, and to publicize our two Young Eagles Events this year, June 1, and July 13.

As you can see in the picture, the display is very colorful and whimsical, and has attracted a lot of attention from children at the Library. Warren credits multi-talented, Grand Haven Aviation Association member Roger White with helping him create the eye-catching display.

Please mark your calendar for both YE events and consider volunteering. Contact Warren Roosen today for information about becoming EAA qualified to be a volunteer pilot or ground crew member or office help.

**Share your passion for flight...**  
**Spark a dream...**  
**Ignite an imagination...**

If you would like to see our Young Eagles display in person, it is at the top of the stairs at the main 4th St. entrance to Loutit Library, Grand Haven, MI. Warren says the display could remain there through April and May, or, it may have to come down sooner, we're not sure yet, but it has already gotten a lot of attention from children and parents alike.



**You could change  
someone's life!  
Be a YE Volunteer**



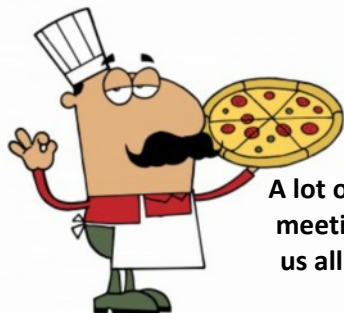


**For Sale - Complete, Still-In-The-Crate, Zero Hour, Rotax 747 Air Bike Engine**  
Priced for quick sale! Serious enquiries only. Contact EAA Chapter 211 by April 1, 2019



**LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT THE MEETING!**

**Invite a Friend**



**PIZZA!**

A lot of us guys like to go to Clover Bar for pizza after our regular meetings. We'd love if you would join us. It's a great chance for us all to get to know each other better, and to talk more about our favorite subject... AVIATION!

