

President's Message



Hello fellow EAA chapter 221 members.

Last month's meeting was at the Air Zoo restoration center and our speaker was Kevin Kenz. He gave a great presentation on the Apollo Saturn 5 engine and the turbo compound Wright R3350 , 18 cylinder engine. I have to say he's really into engines.

Stay tuned for details of the March 5th meeting.

'Till then the ground hog was right, it sure has been winter still.

Breaking right smoke on

Prez out



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Next Meeting

March 5, 2025

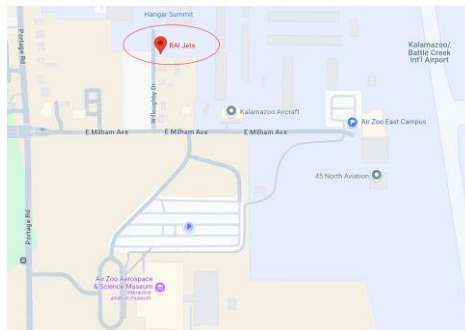
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Gate opens at 6:30

From concrete and sidewalks in Sturgis Michigan to an international charter operator out of Kalamazoo, a great 30 plus year journey.



Join us at the Kalamazoo airport just off Milham Road (at the old AirZoo flight hangars)

Hope to see you all there!

Meeting starts at 7.

VMC Club Meeting

We were snowed out in February. Hope to see you at [A la Ferme](#) for the next meeting on Wednesday March 12th, 2025. Watch for the announcement.

Our [VMC Club monthly meeting](#) is where local pilots can network and share their knowledge and experience flying in the SW Michigan area. The meetings use real-world scenarios to engage members, and encourages a free exchange of information that improves awareness and skills. We look forward to seeing you there.



See the event calendar [here](#).

Watch for an announcement about the new Young Eagles website. We will be introducing new tools to help streamline the registration and training process.



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