



# The CHAPTER 221 FLYER

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## President's Message



**T**hank goodness for some long overdue warm weather.

Our regular monthly meeting next Wednesday on June 3 will take place at our usual time of 7:00pm at a location of your choice as we will again be rendezvousing through the internet via Zoom. This will be my first time hosting so if it doesn't work for you it may be my fault. But - Nothing ventured, nothing gained! Thanks to Andy Cotyk for putting it all together last month and to the 17 or 18 members that participated.

Communication from EAA HQs has been sparse. I think the official cancellation of AirVenture this year has

taken a lot of wind out of our sails.

I recently talked with Jeff Bowdidge, one of our newest chapter members, who has ordered the first installment of a Van's RV-10 kit. He is setting up shop and will be needing lots of the tools required. So if any of you RV builders have tools that you know he might need, give him a call at 832-236-6506. I know it will be much appreciated.

Speaking of chapter members, please do not forget to pay your \$20 annual chapter dues. I know it's a real challenge to have to put a check in the mail but it may be the best option at this time. Send it to Dave Hull, 10102 Terry Lane, Portage, MI 49002.

Stay safe, play it cool when you go out and I hope to see and hear from you on Wednesday.

Bob Aardema, EAA Chapter 221 President ✈

## Next Event...



**Zoom!**

**June 3 @ 7:00 pm**

**Meeting ID: 376 617 5372**

**Password: 8N8UXL**

*Watch your inbox for a link that you can click.*

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EAA 221 Newsletter Editor & Secretary

Unless otherwise specified, our chapter meetings are the first Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at the **Airzoo Flight Center Classroom** on the west side of the Kalamazoo-Battle Creek International Airport



# Odds and Ends...



*Above are a couple of Champs practicing "social distancing" at Newman's Airport.*

## FOR SALE

### Lycoming 180 HP

**Please contact Frank Hicks at 616-340-9729 who is selling a Lycoming O-360 -A1D.**

The motor came out of a Mooney M-20C. It includes mags, carb, and prop governor.

To the right is Bob's Spacewalker. Note that Bob has removed the front wind screen and covered the front "hole" with Lexan. Bob reports that the wind inside the rear cockpit is more manageable. It is no longer trying to rip his glasses off of his face plus, he has picked up some speed! All who have inspected/examined Bob's work have been impressed.



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