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Next Event March 10th

- Formation Flying Fundamentals
- Terry "Ski" Slawinski
- Dinner 5:30 pm
- Meeting/Program 6:45 pm



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ARTICLES NEEDED

By Steve Jones

Picture your article here. The EAA Chapter 35 newsletter is a reflection of the members of the chapter



cares very much that you don't repeat their performance.

In the past, we've been honored to present articles from several very storied writers — folks like Oscar Zuniga, Mark Julicher, and R.B. 'Doc' Hecker. We look forward to presenting many more. But we can't place this burden on their shoulders month after month — they have lives, too.

So think back about your flying experience. You likely have something to share. The story should be yours — a link to an interesting article on the web is nice, but it's also most assuredly copyrighted, and we won't post it here without express written consent.

— that would be you. It's a vehicle for broadcasting information of significance to the membership, and to the flying public. It's a means for providing crucial education on the finer points of building new aircraft, and maintaining aircraft that were never designed to be 'vintage'. It's an outlet for entertainment and 'edutainment'. You'll see articles in the future titled 'I learned from that'. They will be entertaining, and they will carry a message — from someone who

EAA March 10 Evening Meeting

By Gail Scheidt

Serving time: 5:30-6 pm

MENU

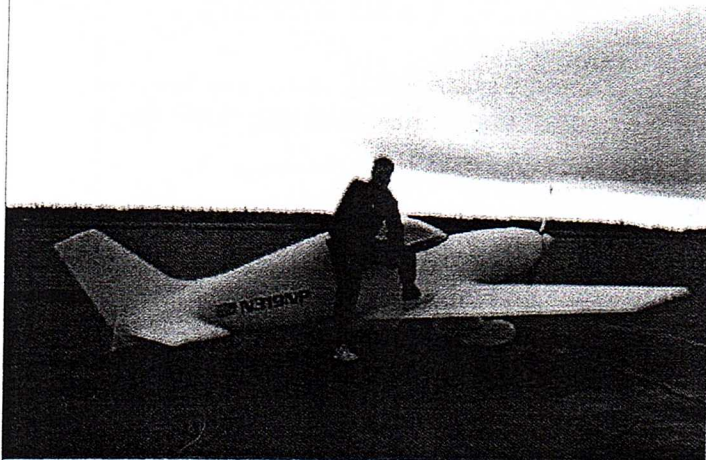
- Potato soup
- Fish
- Arugula Salad with Cumpers & Grape Tomatoes
- Pineapple Slice
- Dark Bread

Needed for Desert Lime Sherbet, Vanilla ice cream & cones, Cookies

(If you're reading this closely, there's an outstanding achievement on page six)

PRESIDENT'S COCKPIT

By Nelson Amen



Our February meeting was well attended with around 45 people venturing out on a rather cool south Texas evening. As usual, Gayle and Freda along with support from Dee and BJ did a superb job of feeding the gang. Our speaker for the evening was Mike Lovelace who, along with guest speaker Ron Van Kirk, provided an outstanding presentation on their experiences flying the OV-10 Bronco in Southeast Asia. I think everyone left the meeting with a real appreciation for awesome job these pilots did and the extreme danger they faced on every mission they flew during the Vietnam War. We will never know how many lives these unsung heroes saved both during the FAC missions and the SAR missions they flew but it is safe to say many soldiers on the ground and flyers who were shot down are still with us today because of their heroic efforts. Thanks Mike and Ron for stepping up to the plate and sharing your story with us. We certainly enjoy hearing first-hand accounts of experiences like this and I urge our other members with similar stories to please consider sharing those with us in the future.

Our March meeting speaker will be Terry "Ski" Slawinski who will be coming by to talk to us about formation flying. Ski is a retired Air Force F-16 pilot who now flies for Southwest Airlines. When not flying an airliner, Ski is flying his Yak 52TW "Fur Ball" and teaching formation flying at seminars throughout the country. Ski and his wife Kim also own a Cessna 150 and a glider that they keep at Boerne Stage airport.

HONDO FLY-IN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

By Dave Baker

ATTENTION---ATTENTION---ATTENTION

Its time to start our advanced planning for this year's Hondo Fly-in, Saturday, May 19, 2012. The theme for this year's event is the "70th Anniversary of the Hondo Army Airfield", featuring a B-17, B-25, P-40, P-51, T-6's, O-1 Birdogs and many more Warbirds. Chapter 35 has agreed to ongoing support of this fly-in, so please sign up and help this to be another great success. Listed below are some of the openings we have for the various tasks that we are taking on. In addition to these duties, Don Woodham will be the Volunteer coordinator for other duties and will be seeking help for those areas.

Ron O'Dea is in charge of civilian aircraft parking. Here is a list of times available and number of people for each time slot:

Chapter 35 Hondo Fly-In Volunteers Needed
May 19, 2012

Aircraft Parking

9:00am-1:00pm

- Four peopled needed

1:00pm-5:00pm

- Four people needed

I am in charge of our Chapter Water Sales and Operation Thirst. Here is a list of times available and number of people needed:

Water Sales

9:00am -1:00pm

- Two people needed

Operation Thirst

- One person needed

1:00pm-5:00pm

- Two people needed

Operation Thirst

- One person needed

PLease contact Ron O'Dea & Dave Baker via their e-mails listed on the Chapter Officer's page to volunteer. First people to reply will get first choice of assigned times/duties. Also, we will be taking the Chapter canopy and other equipment over to set-up on Friday, May 18th, meeting at the Chapter Hangar at 0900 hrs. Thanks in advance for your support.

NEWSCLIPS

Fly-in Calendar

By Doug Apsey

- 27 March - 1 April; Sun n Fun, Lakeland, FL
- 28 April; Bi-Plane Fly in, San Marcus, TX
- 19 May; Hondo Fly in, Hondo, TX
- 23 - 29 July; Airventure 2012, Oshkosh, WI
- 26 - 28 October; Reklaw Fly in, Reklaw, TX

Builders Academy Update

By Nelson Amen

Wow, sounds like a lot of progress. Thanks for taking your time and doing the good work.

Sorry I wasn't there. We went to Austin for a family get together, etc.

See you soon, Mike

Subject: Re: just wondering

Hello Mike,

Yes, it went fine. Two builders showed up and we had two instructors

(Louis and me).

We worked on painting, and besides the two wings we also found the two ailerons that had been stored on top of one of the beams in the hanger and were very dusty. We put the final patches on one of the wings and did the ailerons once. Then we managed to paint both top-sides and one half of the bottom of the wings and the top side of the ailerons for a second time before running out of poly rush (all 1 to 3), at about 3:30 pm. We found some clean MEK for cleaning the brushes. So for next month we will need some more polybrush.

- Maarten

On 2/19/2012 5:33 PM, Mike & Bev wrote:

Maarten, how was the work session yesterday for Builder's Academy?

I hope some of the kids showed up.

Mike Lovelace

Jasper Air Show 2012

By Dave Baker

Fellow Aviators,

Bravo Aviation in Jasper, Texas would like to invite you all back to Bell Field for our Annual Air show on March 17th and 18th. It was wonderful meeting you all at the fly-in and we look forward to seeing you all again. The Air show is also looking for vintage aircrafts to add to the static display line-up. So if your airplane fits that bill and you are interested, please let us know.

Feel free to contact us with any questions you may have. You can also check out the web link for the show at jasperairshow.net. Thank you!

Your Friends,

Bravo Aviation

(409) 381-8151

flybravo@gmail.com

Jasper, Texas (KJAS)

Mystery Member Photo Contest

By Doug Apsey

This picture includes a well known, long-time member of our chapter. Can you figure out who it is?

Dinner is on Doug Apsey at the March meeting for the first person who can email him with the following information: Who our mystery member is and which person in the photo they are. The type of aircraft in the background. Within five years, the year the picture was taken.

Email your answer to dapsey@satx.rr.com

Doug will reveal the details to you at the March meeting so if you are not there, you may never know the answer



CHAPTER CALENDAR

JANUARY 2012	14	Merlin project update by the "Merlin Gang" and Builders Academy project update BOD Meeting	11:00 am Lunch 12:00 pm 1:30 pm
FEBRUARY	11 18	Memories of Flying the OV-10 Bronco in Southeast Asia Mike Lovelace Boy Scout Aviation Merit Badge and Young Eagles Flight Rally	Dinner 5:30 pm Meeting/Program 6:45 pm Briefing 9:00am Flights 10:00 am
MARCH	10	Formation Flying Fundamentals Terry "Ski" Slawinski	Dinner 5:30 pm Meeting/Program 6:45 pm
APRIL	14	FLY-IN BREAKFAST EVENT Chef, Prep Cooks, Servers Needed BOD Meeting	EAA Club House 8:00-11:00 am 11:00 am
MAY	12 19	SPRING CLEANING!! Yard/Chapter Building Work Party Hondo Fly-in Volunteers Needed	EAA Club House 10:00 am Duties and Times to be announced
JUNE	9 16	FLY-IN LUNCH EVENT Young Eagles Flight Rally Pilots and Ground Crew Needed	EAA Club House 11:30 am to? Briefing 9:00 am Flights 10:00 am
JULY	14	FLY-IN BREAKFAST EVENT Chef, Prep Cooks, Servers Needed BOD Meeting	EAA Club House 8:00-11:00 11:00 am
AUGUST	11	Evening Meeting: Speaker TBD	Dinner 5:30 pm Meeting/Program 6:45 pm

Aviation Calendar of Events web sites

- Aero Vents <http://AeroVents.com>
- EAA <http://www.eaa.org/calendar>
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FOR SALE: Subaru EJ-22 engine, Ser. # 589390. Includes single 4-barrel carburetor, Malory ignition, planetary reduction drive. Proven system, removed from flying aircraft. \$3100 Chuck @ 979 218 6153

FOR SALE: Hegar brake master cylinder. 7" single control, Bore size - 5/8" (0.625). Includes brake bleeding kit, misc fittings. \$95 Chuck @ 979 218 6153

FOR SALE: Main wheels for UL or light experimental. One pair Matco Model MH6B wheels, with brake calipers, new brake pads, new wheel bearings, new Air Trac 15X6.00X6 4-ply tires. \$295 Chuck @ 979 218 6153

FOR SALE: One unused Air Trac 15X6.00X6 4-ply tire. \$40 Chuck @ 979 218 6153

FOR SALE: Garmin GPS 195 with all original accessories. Outdated, but simple and fully functional, good for navigational assistance in VFR conditions. \$100 Chuck @ 979 218 6153

FOR SALE: Set of Goodyear 6:00 X 6 Wheel assemblies #40-74A and 30-51A brake assemblies. Make me an offer I can't refuse. Brian Goode. (727)-709-1159, or email to lady-goode@msn.com, or come to. Hangar 53.

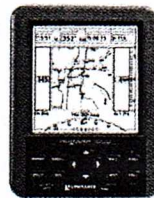


FOR SALE: 1976 Beechcraft C-23 180 Sundowner 2250 TTA&E, compressions mid to upper 70's, oil analysis shows no wear. Dual KXM Digital radios, ADF, ILS/Mkr Bcn, VOR and Loran. Extensive annual, \$5,000 spent: new plugs, wiring harness, mags, hoses firewall forward, brake drums, brake pads, encoder, rebuilt turn indicator and new tires on the mains. Paint is about a 6/10, interior 7/10. Continuously hangared for the past 25 years. \$25,000 Contact Dave Baker, 210-410-9235

For Sale: Fisher Super Koala LSA. 1700 cc VW engine w/ 1.6 to 1 belt reduction, dual ignition, electric start. 3 blade ground adjustable lvo

prop. 35 hrs TTSN. Hangared at Marfa Muni TX. This two-place taildragger was my third Fisher. Ron Morton, DAR, cell 423-386-7263 or e-mail dmorton@hughes.net. \$11,000.

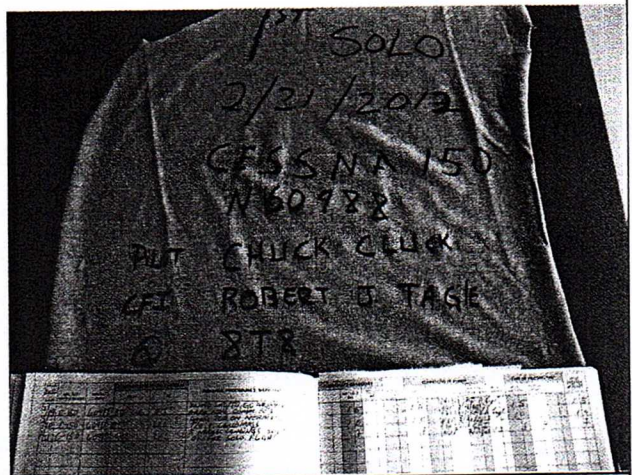
FOR SALE: Moni Motor Glider. Complete, signed off, on its own trailer. Never flown. Two spare engines, and conventional gear included. Very nice, all-metal single place. Give-a-way price is \$8,000. Contact Norris Warner, cell 210-363-1282, or e-mail njwarner@hctc.net.



FOR SALE: Lowrance Airmap 1000 GPS Like new condition. Includes Remote Antenna model RAA-4, a RAM ball swivel type window suction mount, and a hard plastic protective cover for the screen all included in the original box. \$150. Contact Steve Jones (210) 679-8783

FOR SALE: Garmin 195 Portable GPS. Includes case, antenna, 12 volt adaptor, and yoke mount. The database is outdated but still quite functional for local VFR flying. Make me a reasonable offer. Proceeds will be donated to EAA Chapter 35. Doug Apsey 210-479-8593

FOR SALE: Zenith 601 XL Quick build kit. Wings, Rudder, Tail feathers complete. On landing gear. too much to list \$25,000.00. wing mod needs to be completed. If done by approved site I will reduce price by \$5,000.00. A/C located in Lakehills TX. Al Lewallen 619-884-9285



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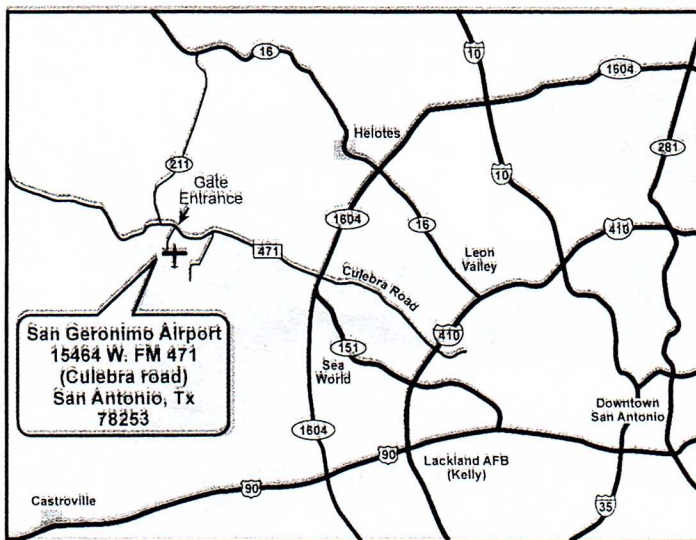


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