

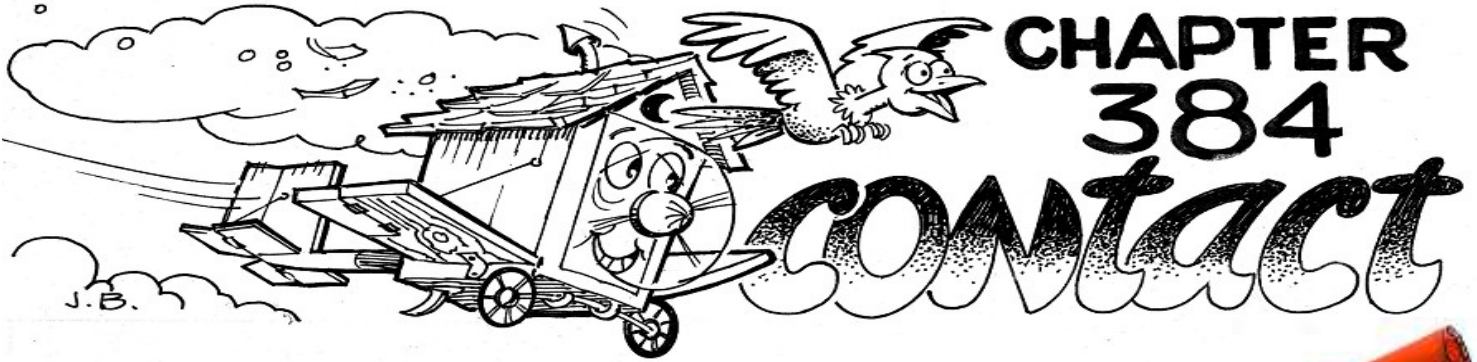


CONTACT!

EAA Chapter 384, Brighton, MI
BRIGHTON SPORTPLANE ASSOCIATION



November 4, 2021



UPCOMING EVENTS

- The next meeting of your EAA Chapter is Wednesday, November 10, 2021 at 7:00pm. **The meeting will be in the EAA Hangar on the east side of the runway.**
- The December meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, December 8, 2021 at 7:00pm.

YOUR LOCAL EAA OFFICERS

President – David Yegge (810) 241-6328
 Vice President – Jon Harris (313) 909-3225
 Treasurer – Rod Beckwith III (517) 304-9241
 Secretary – David Hubbard (734) 395-2395
 Trustee(s) at Large -
 Greg Pawczuk (248) 935-3185
 Clint Ray (810) 223-6819
 YE Coordinator - Karl Vogelheim (812) 987-3600

Restoration Days & Hours

We have been meeting on Tuesday and Wednesday, of each week, and working on the Stinson Restoration project. We start around 9:00am, coffee is on within minutes and the hangar is warm in about 5 minutes. We have started stripping the opaque paint off the right wing spars and it is going quite well. We are using a citrus stripper that is easy on the nose and doesn't create a large amount of fumes. Disposable gloves, and brass bristle brushes are needed. Please feel free to come up to the hangar and lend a hand on the restoration.

AROUND THE AIRPORT 45G

- **Saturday morning breakfast**
Breakfast is served at the BAA House, on Hyne Road, every Saturday morning at 9:00am.
- **Pilot Proficiency Night**
Monday evenings



Fundraising Project

The fundraising project was a huge success and the aircraft was sold for \$9,000.00 to a gentleman in Weberville, MI.

As was originally planned, we were going to reimburse David Keller and David Hubbard for their expenses incurred on the project. Both gentlemen decided to donate those funds to Chapter 384 to facilitate the pay-off of the hangar mortgage. As of Saturday, October 23rd, our Treasurer (Rod Beckwith) wrote a check and the Chapter was able to pay off the hangar. Many thanks to Jack and Kate Haviland for lending the Chapter the funds to purchase the hangar and holding a note (mortgage) for years.

All excess funds will be used to start saving for a new bi-fold hangar door. If you are interested in donating money to the Chapter for the purchase of the bi-fold door, please speak with any of the Board Members. At this point, we have about \$2000 towards the estimated cost of \$8000 for an insulated bi-fold door so any donations from our members (\$50 to \$500) will be greatly appreciated.

Hangar Updates

Over the last two weeks, the hangar has underwent some transformation. At this point the sliding door has been closed for the winter months, the insulation has been hung up, secured and taped. The newly donated shear is holding the door firm to prevent any movement from the wind.



Gil Lembree and Greg Pawczuk resting after installing the wall insulation.

Side Note: Most important piece of equipment in the shop

The coffee pot

Stinson Restoration Update Photos



Nav light wiring over the brown painted spar



Wiring over a partially stripped spar



Nav light wiring on partially stripped spar



Wiring removed and fully stripped spar section



Fred Pearlman cleaning cleco fasteners



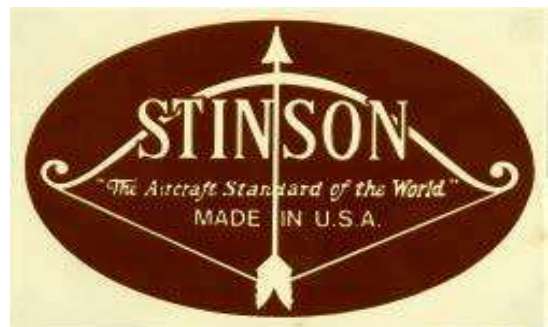
Greg Pawczuk going for another pair of gloves



Dave Hubbard being photographed by Greg Pawczuk while taking photographs.

Tasks for next Tuesday, Wednesday and Meeting night

1. Continue stripping both spars - front and back. (Many hands will make light work of this task)
2. Strip the outboard fuel tank strap.
3. Strip the right wing inset leading edge.



YOUR EAA CHAPTER ELECTIONS

At the October meeting, chapter officer nominations were opened. At this point, all Chapter 384 Officers have decided to run for re-election. The current list of Officers is displayed at the top of the newsletter.

At the November meeting next Wednesday, nominations will be reopened, in the event there are additional candidates for any office, and then the nominations will be closed and the election will occur.

Don't forget, this is your local EAA Chapter and you are a part of it. Thanks

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