



Young Eagles



The Young Eagles Event at the RCRA Open House was a big success. Brenda Nolan had everything really well organized. Pilots Rick Belsaas, Rob Burton, and Scott Christiansen flew 35 new Young Eagles! Forrest Foster, Jerry Petersen. And Gary Telkamp provided ground support. Molly Benkert, Julie Burton, and Linda Petersen did the paperwork, and Nancy Hovdenes printed out the certificates. And Brenda was everywhere! Steve Hatfield offered simulator rides for kids who wanted them. Steve said, "I wonder who had more fun -- The Young Eagles or me. Also, It's really neat to see so many girls showing up for this event -- about twice as many as in Northern California."

Thanks to all who provided their time and services to introduce so many kids to flying!



More pictures will be posted on our [website](#) next week.

The Ford Tri-Motor



Greetings!

I hope this note is finding you well and near some much deserved rest and relaxation in the near future. Congratulations on an outstanding weekend, you should be incredibly proud. You had an amazing turnout despite two days of weather struggles. I know our crew was quite impressed. Thank you for all of your efforts! It is because of chapters like yours we are able to keep this program going to be shared with cities across the country! Your group is a bunch of rock stars!

Once we receive the box of information from your tour stop Olivia will be in touch with wrap up commission information for your review and approval!

Warmest regards,

Kristy Busse EAA #1016800
Manager, Air Tours
EAA - *The Spirit of Aviation*



Thanks to Harold Samdal for the photos

Benkerts' Annual Fly-in/Drive-in Picnic

October 8

More info to follow

save
the date!

Next Meeting:

Tuesday, September 13

at Chapter 39 Clubhouse

6:00 Burger Burn

Please bring a salad, dessert, or munchies to share. A donation to cover the cost of the burgers, buns, & other supplies is also appreciated.

7:00 Meeting

Program: Rehash of RAP Open House



Chapter 39 Labor DayWeekend Fly-in/Drive-in Breakfast

When: 9:00 AM to 1100, September 3, 2016

Where: Custer State Park Airport (3V0) / Game Lodge Campground (across from the visitor center) If you fly-in we will pick you up at the airport that is 3 miles away.

\Airfield tent camping: Tent camping is available for at the airfield, the POC at Custer State Park is Doug Scott [605-255-4255](tel:605-255-4255) and the cost is \$19.00.

BOYC: If you are driving to the Fly-in Breakfast Bring Your own Chair (BYOC) Breakfast location is at campsite 21E / 19E (middle of the campground)

If you haven't paid for your nametag, contact Scott at 786-6198

August Birthdays:



Pete Shouldis—6th
Curt Groote—11th
Les Mittleider—13th
John Glasford—24th

Chapter 39

Officers

President	John Glasford
Vice President	Mike Harmon
Secretary	Gary Schroeder
Treasurer	Scott Christiansen

Volunteers

Newsletter & Web Manager	Molly Benkert
Young Eagles	Brenda Nolan
Safety Officer	Jerry Densmore

Tech Advisor Jerry Densmore

TREASURER'S REPORT

By Scott Christiansen

Balance brought forward.....\$2183.38

Income:

Burger Burn and Nametags.....13900
Dues X 2.....40.00

Balance on hand.....\$2362.38

August Minutes

By Gary Schroeder

- Meeting was held at the Club house
- John called the meeting to order at 7:03
- Minutes read and approved
- Treasures report given

Old Business

- Several shared their AirVenture experiences
- The tri-motor will arrive Aug 18th, and the open house will be on the 20th. Thanks to those that posted fliers around the area to advertise the event. The lists were passed around to let more people sign up to help in the different areas where volunteers are still needed.

New Business

- The Labor Day camping/fly-in at Custer State Park is coming soon. Plan to participate it should be fun and something different than the usual fly-ins.
- We have the new name tags, they will cost \$6.00 be sure to pick them up.

Program

- The program was a demonstration of the Microsoft Flight simulator X that Steve Hatfield will have at the open house on the 20th so some Young Eagles can try it out.

Meeting adjourned

Just wanted to say "Thank you" for all of you who participated in the Ford TriMotor effort. Because of all of you it turned out to be a huge success. The first two days were a bust due to weather but we flew 18 flights on Saturday and 22 flights on Sunday. That was almost 400 people. EAA was impressed as was everyone who flew on it. Our Chapter truly "mustered" "rose to the occasion", "went all out", "did ourselves proud" or however else you want to put it! Thanks again for a job well done.

Darrel



The Hasses enjoyed a flight on the Tri-Motor/



An 80 knot marvel, took off at 80 knots, climbed at 80 knots, cruised at 80 knots, and landed at 80 knots. Love the sound of the Pratt Whitney engines... This is for all you airplane enthusiasts - a well-done video about a magnificent, airplane!

FYI, the Navy PBV had no wing flaps. The pilot used no gauges - He was expected to look out the windows. It was the flight engineer that flew the plane. There was a cook and kitchen on board because the plane flew long missions. The plane was sectioned off with water tight doors between different areas so that if it went down, then not all areas would be flooded.

[Click here to](#) see the video.

Submitted by All Neal



more Open House photos

Submitted by Dan Benkert



Sep 10, 2016: SD Aviation Hall of Fame meeting at **Black Hills Airport – Clyde Ice Field (SPF), Spearfish, SD.**

SDAHF Event Chairman Ted Miller, Black Hills Aero ([605-642-0277](tel:605-642-0277)). All activities at Black Hills Aero Hangar.

- 11:00am: John O'Connell of Letcher will talk about his aviation background and experiences as a helicopter pilot in the U.S. Army flying medevac in the Vietnam highlands.
- Noon: Lunch – Burger Burn (free-will donation).
- 1:00pm South Dakota Pilots Association meeting.
- 3:00pm Safety seminar: Dr. Robert Allen will talk current FAA Medical Certification Requirements.
- 5-6:00pm Social hour.
- 6-7:00pm Steak fry.
- 7:00 pm SD Aviation Hall of Fame ceremony and FAA Wright Brothers Master Pilot Awards.

If flying in, reserve rooms at the Holiday Inn (Spearfish) through Eagle Aviation ([1-800-843-8010](tel:1-800-843-8010)). Car rentals available at Eagle Aviation.

This is the web site for the FAA info on the new ICAO flight plan. It will see use as of Oct. 1st it is being phased in. Might be of interest to the club. Dwight.

http://www.faa.gov/about/office_org/headquarters_offices/ato/service_units/systemops/fs/res_links/media/ICAO_Flight_Plan_Filing.pdf
[ICAO Flight Plan Filing - Federal Aviation Administration](http://www.faa.gov/ICAO_Flight_Plan_Filing_Federal_Aviation_Administration)
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He who demands everything that his aeroplane can give him is a pilot; he who demands one iota more is a fool.

You have to make up your mind about growing up and becoming a pilot. You can't do both.