



The Frederick Flyer



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President's Message

Greetings fellow chapter members,

March is here, and better flying weather is around the corner. I just wish the better flying weather would occur on the days that I am not at work!

If you are not flying, consider joining us for our chapter build sessions on Saturdays from 9AM to 3 PM. It is a great way to get to know your fellow chapter members, and possibly pick up a new skill. We also have a very lively lunch over at the airport restaurant. No experience is needed-just bring your passion for aviation.

A reminder about the banquet is in the newsletter. Please consider joining us if you can for nice dinner and gathering of exceptional people.

Be safe, and I hope to see you soon.

Bob
President
EAA Chapter 524





2024 March Chapter Meeting





Banquet Request

*Calling all members!
We've rounded the home stretch!
I have received 30 responses for
attendance to our banquet to be*



*held at Dutch's Daughter on June 1.
We need 12 more attendees to secure
a room for the festivities.*

*Please contact Linda Miller at
careoseldc@yahoo.com*

Or

240-315-5333

*With name and head count
The cost is \$60 per person*



Board Meeting Minutes

14 March 2024

Bob Miller, Kevin Delmolino Mary Ann Alvarado, Ernie O’Roark, Larry Jarkey,

Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm by Bob Miller

- ❖ \$405 Young Eagle Credits from EAA available to use for YE activities.
- ❖ Results from survey from EAA indicate that those who responded enjoy the chapter meeting presentations and are generally happy with the chapter.
- ❖ Rans update: wings on and IA review this weekend. Kevin reports that wings are ready to hang, list of items generated by IA have been addressed. Can’t find any GPS antennae or other ADSP records, gizmos...
- ❖ Appointed three members to the chapter Board of directors : Kevin Delmolino, Steve Gross and Terry Smith. The board is comprised of the President, Vice President, Treasurer, three appointed members and the immediate past president.
- ❖ Thirty people have signed up for the Banquet; 41 minimum are required.
- ❖ Board meetings will continue to meet monthly.
- ❖ IMC coordinator, Larry Jarkey is on vacation this March. IMC and VMC meetings will be back to normal next month.
- ❖ Ready to work on Cessna.

Meeting adjourned 7:17 pm

Submitted, Mary Ann Alvarado

Meeting Minutes

09 Mar 2023

Meeting called to order at 7:02 pm by Bob Miller

- ◆ Continuing to work on the Rans. A few more punch list items to work on and hope to complete by the end of the month.
- ◆ The chapter has been awarded the Ray Scholarship again this year. Thanks go to Dean Stickell and Ernest O’Roark. Will be looking for a new scholar later this year.
- ◆ The budget report has now been added to the newsletter.
- ◆ Erick Webb (EAA 524 Secretary) and his wife Kayla welcome twin girls into their world!
- ◆ Banquet interest? Initial research into a location and cost shows that the best deal appears to be DUTCH’S DAUGHTER and that will cost \$60 per person. Dates available are in May or June. A minimum of 41 people are required to sign up with a \$500 deposit.
- ◆ Paul reported on his RV 10 build. Finished fuel tanks, leaks were patched and is in the wing. Conduits are wired and have started on actuation, looking for some help. Started working on ailerons, have worked around 40 hours in last 3 weeks. Have had issues on laser cut holes on nose ribs and ailerons. Vans is sending me replacements for free. Due to my daily calls to Vans, response time to my calls have become much quicker; 30 minute hold time to 30 second hold time!
- ◆ Gary building a Rans S21 Outbound. Tailfeathers are done. Working on Left wing Framing is done, top is skinned. Ran the Pitot tubes, AOA lines and wiring out to wing tip, getting ready to skin the bottom. Tech advisor background and second set of eyes would be appreciated.
- ◆ Ernie reported on RV12. We have the wing kit. The Finish kit is on order, fully paid for and waiting for delivery. Working on long list of prep work for wing kit necessary before assembly.
- ◆ Paul offered to bring in his wing cradle to help when ready to assemble. The fuselage and tail is done.
- ◆ 50/50 was \$84; \$42 to Mary Ann Alvarado and \$42 to the scholarship fund

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 pm

Submitted, Mary Ann Alvarado

2024 Feb Financial Report

| Income | |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Dues | \$480.00 |
| 50/50 Raffle | \$68.00 |
| Ray Scholarship - Mia | \$0.00 |
| EAA Workshop | \$0.00 |
| Income T-Shirts | \$0.00 |
| Donations | \$0.00 |
| Banquet Income | \$0.00 |
| Total Income for FEBRUARY | \$548.00 |
| Expenses | |
| Hangar Rent | \$267.00 |
| Member reimbursement | \$49.66 |
| Scholarship | \$0.00 |
| EAA Dues | \$0.00 |
| Banquet Costs | \$0.00 |
| Total Expenses for FEBRUARY | \$316.66 |
| Profit/Deficit | \$231.34 |
| Checkbook Balance | \$12,648.56 |
| Paid Members | 38 |
| Scholarship Fund Balance | \$942.33 |
| Veterans Build Fund | \$8,066.06 |



Club Bulletin Board



EXPERIMENTAL AIRCRAFT ASSOCIATION CHAPTER 524

WHEN: FIRST THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH, 7:00 P.M.
WHERE: AVIATION EDUCATION CENTER
 (HANGAR SOUTH OF THE FREDERICK FLIGHT CENTER AT FDK)

NEXT REGULAR MEETING APRIL 4TH
SPEAKER: JACOB PATRICK

"AERIAL FIREFIGHTING WATER SCOOPING OPERATIONS"

JAKE HAS AN EXTENSIVE BACKGROUND TEACHING FORMATION AND AIRBORNE COORDINATION TACTICS. COME LEARN HOW THEY EMPLOY MULTIPLE AIRCRAFT FIGHTING WILDFIRES OUT WEST.



The Webb Family welcomes ...



... Emma and Lily!
 (future aviation enthusiasts)

The VMC Club - New Coordinator



Thank you Tom Comeau for all the hard work you put into starting up and running the chapter's VMC Club; especially during the "YEAR IF COVID!"

Welcome Katie Spillane! She is a flight instructor at Bravo Flight Training Center with a commercial, CFI and CFII rating. Katie will be taking up the reins and leading the VMC Club's real-world scenario group discussions. Thanks to Larry Jarkey (EAA 524 IMC Coordinator) for reaching out to Katie and facilitating the position transfer.

Check the Chapter EVENT CALENDER for date, time and location.
<https://chapters.eaa.org/ea524/event-calendar>

EAA Chapter 524 Tees AVAILABLE

Embroidered Polos and Tee-shirts are HERE and available for purchase. This is a chapter fundraiser and can be purchased from Kevin Delmolino.

Polo Shirt: \$30.00
Tee Shirt: \$25.00

GoFundMe

Spread the word and share the link: (<https://gofund.me/01a73aba>) social media sites or email to friends, as you deem appropriate.

GOFUNDME Veteran's Aircraft Build

JUST A REMINDER:

EAA Chapter 524 dues for 2024 are due. Your chapter dues of \$30 go toward paying rent on our chapter house and other miscellaneous expenses. Dues should be sent to:

Ernie O'Roark
 809 London Ct. Frederick, MD 21701.



On behalf of "Bob & Betty Best" R. Richard Costello donates these helmets to EAA Chapter 524. These helmets are offered for sale: \$2000 for both.

Contact Chapter President if interested:
 Robert Miller
chapter524president@gmail.com

Instagram

EAA Chapter 524 members with Instagram accounts you might wish to follow:

- [jfeighny](#)
- [erickwebb1](#)
- [mia_a246](#)
- [aeurim_rv10](#)
- [cindy60w](#)

Chapter Videos

Couldn't make a chapter meeting? Visit the EAA Chapter 524's website and Chapter Video page.

Recent additions:
 2024 Jan: [Keystone Aerial Surveys](#)
 2024 Feb: [Surveillance Broadcast Services](#)

Video Presentations



Upcoming Events

Chapter Monthly Meeting Program Schedule

| Month | Program |
|-------|---|
| Mar | Engine Management by Mark Pankratz |
| April | Aerial Firefighting Water Scooping Operations - Jacob Patrick |
| May | TBD |

Chapter Meetings

Meeting date & time: Thursday, April 4, 2024; 7 pm

Presentation: Engine Management by Mark Pankratz

Board Zoom Meeting: Thursday, Mar 11, 2024; 7 pm.

VMC Club Meeting: WEDNESDAY, MAR 20 and APR 17; at 7pm

A in person meeting at the Hangar! More ways to join in. Visit [Event Calendar page](#) or reach out to the VMC coordinator (email listed on the right hand column)

IMC Club Meeting: TUESDAY, APR 16; at 7pm - **NO MEETING IN MARCH**

IMC meetings will be held in person at the Chapter Aviation Education Center/ Hangar, unless otherwise notified. For up to the minute clarification on meeting status, visit [Event Calendar page](#) or reach out to the IMC coordinator (email listed on the right hand column).

Visit [IMC Club meeting page](#) and [VMC meeting page](#) form more information.

Other Events

Go to EAA Events at: <http://www.eaa.org/news>

Go to EAA Aviation Calendar of Events at:
<http://www.eaa.org/calendar>

Go to AirVenture at:
<http://www.airventure.org/index.html>
<https://www.eaatgether.org/>

Go to EAA SportAir Workshops at:
<http://www.eaa.org/sportair>

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2024 March 14; Saturday at the Hangar





FREE EAA Webinars

EAA webinars are free to all aviation enthusiasts. Pre-registration is recommended since space is limited to the first 1,000 registrants.

<https://www.eaa.org/ea/news-and-publications/ea-webinars>

Live multimedia presentations, informative and interactive, allow presenter to use slides and audio. Audience members can ask questions or polled for opinion. Webinars begin 7pm CDT.

- 03/20/24 Fueling VFT - Learning from Mistakes to Prevent a Tragedy *
- 03/26/24 Young Eagles Rally Planning 101
- 03/27/24 Lessons from a Performance Chart*
- 04/02/24 The Van's RV
- 04/03/24 Ending the War on jugs **
- 04/18/24 Mr Bearhawk's Wild Ride: A Surprise Encounter with Extreme Turbulence"
- 04/24/24 Four Ways to Save Fuel, Time, and Money with Better Flight Planning*

LEARN TO FLY WEEK

May 13-18, 2024

- * Qualifies for FAA WINGS credit
- ** Qualifies for FAA WINGS and AMT credit
- *** HOMEBUILDERS WEBINAR SERIES

FAA Wings Program

- WINGS PROGRAM 2019
- WINGS EFFECTIVENESS REPORT 2011
- WINGS FLIGHT INSTRUCTOR GUIDE 2018
- WINGS ADVISORY CIRCULAR 2011

Clear skies, safe travel, be happy and see you all soon!

Frederick VMC Club

IMC Club meets: Wednesday after the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00pm. (Always the day after IMC club!)

Location: Chapter 524 Aviation Education Center/Hangar, Frederick Municipal Airport

EAA 524's VMC Club is a discussion group for VFR pilots of all experience levels. The VMC Club meets on the third Wednesday of each month, the day after the IMC Club meets. The VMC Club offers monthly meetings in which pilots can network and share knowledge and experience. The meetings use real-world scenarios to engage members, and allow a free exchange of information that improves awareness and skills. The VMC Club is a hybrid meeting - in person at the hangar and remotely using Zoom. More information about the club and its mission can be found on our website at <https://chapters.eaa.org/ea524/vmc-club>



Frederick IMC Club

IMC Club meets: third Tuesday of each month, 7:00 p.m.

Location: Chapter 524 Aviation Education Center/Hangar, Frederick Municipal Airport

Interested in learning more about IFR flying? Scenario-based discussions are available here.

A community of pilots willing to share information, provide recognition, foster communications, promote safety, and build proficiency in instrument flying. IMC Club chapters offer monthly meetings in which pilots can network and share knowledge and experiences. Now meeting in person at the hangar. Drop by and share in the knowledge.

More information about the club and its mission can be found on our website at <https://chapters.eaa.org/ea524/imc-club>



Chapter Meeting Location & Time

Chapter 524 meets: first Thursday each month, 7:00 p.m.

Location: Chapter 524 Education Center/Hangar, Frederick Municipal Airport

As you enter the airport, park in the Terminal Parking lot. Walk south past the Frederick Flight School (yellow building). There are signs on the end of the second row of hangars for the Chapter. Additional information can be found on the Chapter website: <https://chapters.eaa.org/ea524>

Frederick Municipal Airport ,
330 Aviation Way, Suite J, Box #9
Frederick, Maryland 21701



EAA 524 Chapter Website

The EAA Chapter 524 website:

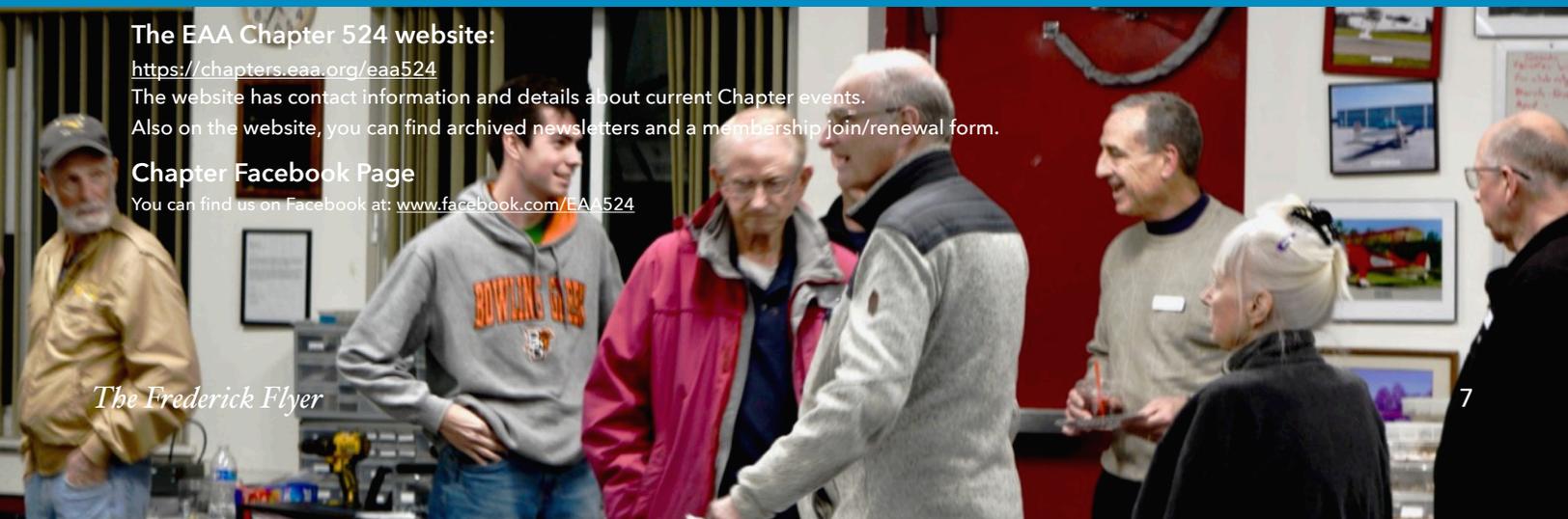
<https://chapters.eaa.org/ea524>

The website has contact information and details about current Chapter events.

Also on the website, you can find archived newsletters and a membership join/renewal form.

Chapter Facebook Page

You can find us on Facebook at: www.facebook.com/EAA524



EAA Chapter 524 Membership Application

Annual dues are \$30 for individual or family membership. Fill out this form and return it with your dues to the Chapter Treasurer.

Cash or check accepted. Make check payable to **EAA Chapter 524**. Bring the form and dues to the next meeting or mail to **Ernest O'Roark, 809 London Court, Frederick, MD 21701**.

If you have a question about your membership, contact the Treasurer at 301-694-0053 or cadfael1@aol.com. These dues help support the Chapter and are not applied to the national organization.

I. Registration Information (Print please)

Last Name _____ First Name _____

Member Status: New ____ Renewal: ____ No Changes: ____

Membership Type: Individual (\$30.00) ____ Family (\$30.00) ____

Other name(s) if Family Membership _____

EAA Membership Number _____ Member Since: _____

Phone Number (H) _____ (C) _____ (W) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail Address (for receiving notices & newsletter) _____

Aircraft/Projects/Interests _____

II. For Official Use Only

Status: New ____ Renewal ____ Individual: ____ Family: ____

Dues Paid: Check ____ Number ____ Cash ____ Amount \$ ____

Date Received ____/____/____ Fiscal Year (Jan. – Dec.) 20 ____

Treasurer's Initials ____ Roster updated ____/____/____ Deposited ____/____/____

----- Cut here. Keep Section III for your records -----

III. Member's Receipt for EAA Chapter 524 Dues

Date paid ____/____/____ Dues paid for fiscal year 20 ____

Renewal – Individual/Family Membership Dues: \$30.00 ____

New – Individual/Family Membership Dues: \$30.00 ____