

President's Message

Greetings chapter members,

June has started out on a positive note for the chapter. We had our banquet on June 1st, and it went very well. It started with a delicious dinner, and was capped off by an excellent presentation by our chapter member Tom Comeau. Special thanks to Pam Dickinson and Linda Miller for arranging the banquet in a short period of time. Next year we are looking forward to scheduling the banquet in March or April-stay tuned!

On the order of old business, I am happy to announce that we sold the Rans S12XL! The new owner is a chapter member and will hangar the plane nearby. I want to thank everyone who helped acquire, repair, and prepare the plane. It was truly a chapter project, and I was really impressed by the efforts of all that were involved. Thanks again.

Keep in mind there will be <u>no chapter meeting in</u> <u>July</u>. Join us for our build sessions on Thursdays and Saturdays. Enjoy the summer weather. Be safe and hope to see you at the airport.

Bob Miller President EAA Chapter 524



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Skunk Works

June 7, 2024 - We are probably all familiar with Kelly Johnson and the famous Lockheed Skunk Works. Johnson's design team at the Skunk Works was responsible for innovative aircraft such as the U-2 and the SR-71. We at EAA Chapter 524 are also building innovative aircraft and now we can also lay claim to the name "Skunk Works." It seems a family of the cute but stinky critters moved into hangar 11 next door.

A fellow who was called by Andrew, the airport manager, came this evening and managed to trap seven baby skunks. He said there was no sign of the mother and the little ones seemed weak. He thinks something happened to the mom and the kids are orphaned. He said he would take them to his place and take care of them for a while until they are strong enough to be released. He re-set traps in the hangar for overnight and will check on them tomorrow morning in case there were any stragglers.

I'll let you know if I learn anything else.

Final update. The seven baby skunks are doing very well. For the moment they are being cared for by the son of the fellow who removed them. He says the little skunks now follow his son around. He came back this morning to check the traps one last time and discovered he had trapped a feral cat! The cat is now on his way to a farm where he will become a barn cat.



... more on Lockheed Martin Skunk Works



Board Minutes

13 June 2024

Bob Miller, Mark Pankratz, Kevin Delmolino, Ernie O'Roark, Larry Jarkey, Mary Ann Alvarado, Steve Gross, Terry Smith, Erick Webb

Meeting called to order at 7:04 pm by Bob Miller

- Kevin shared that the Rans sold this past week for \$18,000. Jon Shimer bought it. Condition inspection is fully legal and signed off.
- * Kevin and Wendy were thinking about picnics, fly-outs, etc. and decided that Keymar (MD42) would be a great place to have a fly-in picnic. 1,900' grass strip. Maybe September. Steve Gross has a commercial smoker he could bring and smoke some pork. September 14 was proposed as the date for the event and September 21 is the rain date. Need to clear the dates with Peter and Chelsea to make sure they're okay with the dates. Mark P. will check with them.
- *Ernie reported that Max (our scholarship recipient) had been training at Gaithersburg, but is now at Bravo and is scheduled to fly frequently. The issue is that he's spent a large part of the funds already and he's run out of money ahead of the scheduled payments from EAA. The scholarship expects that you will solo by \$4,400, but is slow to make payments. Max has spent over \$6,000 and has not soloed. Bravo will not bill the father; would only bill Ernie. Max's family has not been receiving the bills, Ernie has them. Owes over \$2,500 currently and Ernie doesn't want to approach the family with that bill because Max's father was in a car accident recently and sadly passed away. Steve Gross generously offered to pay the bill.
- * T-shirts will be on sale for \$20. See Kevin to buy them.

Meeting adjourned 7:42 pm Submitted, Erick Webb, Secretary

2024 Financial Report

MAY 2024		
Income		
Dues	\$60.00	
50/50 Raffle	\$78.00	
Ray Scholarship	\$0.00	
EAA Workshop	\$0.00	
Income - T-Shirts	\$150.00	
Donations	\$5,250.00	
Banquet Income	\$3,327.60	
Total Income for April	\$8,865.60	
Expenses		
Hanger Rent	\$267.00	
Event Expenses	\$5,600.00	
Member reinbursement	\$51.25	
Scholarship	\$0.00	
EAA Dues	\$0.00	
Banquet Costs	\$0.00	
Total Expenses for April	\$5,918.25	
Profit/Deficit	\$2,947.35	
Checkbook Balance	\$15,162.96	
Paid Members	46	
Scholarship Fund Balance	\$1,020.33	
Veterans Build Fund	\$8,012.50	

GLENN H. CURTISS MUSEUM EVENTS





Curtiss Golf Classic



EVENTS and FLY-INS



SATURDAY, JUNE 22, 2024 AT 7:30 AM - 2 PM

Wheels & Wings Festival & 5K Run (WW5K)

Lancaster Airport

- Event by Rotary Club of Lancaster
- Lancaster Airport
- ◆ Tickets · Free \$20 www.eventbrite.com/e/rotary-club-of-lancaster-wheels-and-wings-festival-5k-registration-858107802537
- Public · Anyone on or off Facebook

SATURDAY, JUNE 22, 2024 / LANCASTER AIRPORT

7:30 AM - 5K Race Start

7:30 AM - Pre Car Show Coffee Cruise ... See more

Sports Neffsville, Pennsylvania



SATURDAY, AUGUST 3, 2024 AT 9 AM - 3 PM

Wings & Wheels Fly-In

Garrett County Airport

- Event by Garrett County Government, Split Shifters Car Club and Deep Creek Lake & Garrett County, Maryland
- Garrett County Airport
- Duration: 6 hr
- Public · Anyone on or off Facebook

Bring the family to the airport for a day of fun!

Static displays, car show, helicopter demonstrations, food, kids activities, and rides! FREE ADMISSION

McHenry, Maryland



JUN 18 AT 9 AM - JUN 23 AT 12 PM

SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY FLY-IN

Lock Haven Piper Memorial Airport

Come see the fantastic Piper planes that fly back to their birthplace. There are food vendors, games for kids, a corn boil everyday at 5pm and a band Tue through Friday evenings from 7-10pm and Saturday from 4-7pm.

The newly restored Berlin Airlift Flying Museum will be here! Come see some fascinating history!

Gates open from 9am to 10pm

daily with free admission after 5 and all day Saturday. Wednesday after noon is free to Clinton County

residents and Thursday is No fee for Veterans Appreciation. See less

Lock Haven, Pennsylvania



EVENTS and FLY-INS



Come out and join us and Kotei Kids Shaved Ice as we say goodbye to the school year and welcome in summer at the Frederick Airport. This kick off event will have a number of fun activities throughout the day including: face painting, hula hooping, and bubbles! We also plan to have local groups present to talk about how kids can get connected with aviation.

The event will be held in the main airport parking area (Parking lot for the Airways Inn Cafe).

Kotei Kids Shaved Ice will be set up at the Frederick Airport EVERY FRIDAY from 11am to 4pm until August 30th.



Smokehouse Pilots Local Events



WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19TH 6:00PM - 7:30PM

THE FUTURE OF AVIATION - INSIDE ESTOL

An Inside Look at Electra.aero & Advanced Air Mobility (AAM)



Presented By: JP Stewart Vice President & General Manager

Join us in person for a night with Mr. JP Stewart, Vice President & General Manager of Electra.aero, to discuss the future of aviation with an inside into Electra.aero & Advanced Air Mobility (AAM).

Electra is on a mission to decarbonize aviation.

That journey begins with a hybrid-electric, ultra-short takeoff and landing (eSTOL) aircraft. It combines the operational flexibility of a helicopter with the safety and economics of a fixed-wing aircraft.

Reminder: Come early and grab your food and drink before the event starts at 6PM with a short networking and social segment before transitioning into the formal lecture.

Location:

Buffalo Wing Factory 43761 Parkhurst Plaza #100 Ashburn, VA 20147



Smokehouse Pilots head to Altoona!

The June 2024 Fly Out will be held on SATURDAY, JUNE 22nd, with a destination of Altoona–Blair County Airport (AOO).

Please plan to arrive at/by 11:30AM and join Smokehouse for lunch at La Fiesta Mexican Restaurant.

We are working with the restaurant to accommodate our group so please

RSVP if you are planning to attend by replying to this email, or click "Going" on Facebook. This really helps with planning. Helpful Links:

Airport: https://flyaltoona.com/aviat.../corporate-aviation-services/
La Fiesta Mexican Restaurant: https://www.facebook.com/
lafiestamxMartinsburg/

*Disclaimer: Attendees assume all risks of participating in any/all activities associated with this event and Smokehouse Pilots shall not be held liable for damage to person/property associated with the flight tor/from the Event.

The Pilot in Command is responsible for ensuring a safe outcome of the flight.

Club Bulletin Board

Neil Wright Ultralight - For Sale

2003 Aventura II Ultralight/Light Sport N912WS 525TT on Rotax 912 3 Blade Prop **ADSB** Always Hangared \$43,000



AirVenture Housing Opportunity

Great deal on a place to stay for Oshkosh...

Air conditioned four bedroom suite with kitchen two bath living room with bus transfer to the show.

Available: 20 to 28 July.

Cost: \$110 a night for the whole thing!

POC: Barry Gamblin

His contact info: 703-472-3817, Email: gamblinb2@gmail.com.

Instagram

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

jfeighny

erickwebb1

mia_a246

aeurim_rv10

cindy60w

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

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 **Summer Tee Shirt Sale!:** \$25.00 **\$20.00**





On behalf of "Bob & Betty Best"

R. Richard Costello donates these helmets to EAA Chapter 524.

These helmets are offered for sale:

MAKE AN OFFER Contact

Chapter President chajftinterested dent Robert Miller









Upcoming Events

Chapter Monthly Meeting Program Schedule

Month	Program
June	NO MEETING; Awards Banquet; presenter: Tom Comeau
July	NO MEETING; EAA AirVenture 2024
Aug	TBD

Chapter Meetings

Meeting date & time: Thursday, Aug 2, 2024; 7 pm

Presentation: TBD

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

VMC Club Meeting: WEDNESDAY, June 19 and July 17; at 7pm

An 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, June 18 and July 16; at 7pm

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.eaatogether.org/

Go to EAA SportAir Workshops at:

http://www.eaa.org/sportair

The Rans has SOLD!

EAA chapter 524 member, Jon Shimer bought the Rans S-12XL for \$18,000!

On Saturday, Jon, and an instructor familiar with the type of plane, flew the Rans for the first time since we acquired it. The plane and Jon did fine, although when they got back they discovered an oil leak that Carlo will have to look at.



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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/eaa/news-and-publications/eaa-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.

06/18/24	Making Friends with a Sukhoi*
06/19/24	Tips for Flying into EAA AirVenture 2024
06/26/24	Ultralight/Homebuilt Rotocraft Arrival Procedures
	AirVenture 2024*
07/02/24	EAA AirVenture 2024 Features and Attractions
07/09/24	Tale of Two Prebuys **
07/10/24	CFIT - Avoiding Controlled Flight into Terrain*
08/07/24	Unaffordable /Unavailable *
08/14/24	Introduction to Mountain Flying Concepts*

AirVenture 2024

July 22-July 28

09/04/24	Can't Sign it Off?*
09/11/24	The Airborne Law Enforcement Response*
09/17/24	1927 Fairchild FC-2*
09/25/24	The Importance of Ring Gap and Cylinder Life

- * 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/eaa524/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/eaa524/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/eaa524

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

EAA 524 Chapter Website





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.

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:	<u> </u>
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. – D	Dec.) 20
Treasurer's Initials Roster updated// Deposited	
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III. Member's Receipt for EAA Chapter 524 Dues	
Date paid/ Dues paid for fiscal	year 20
Renewal – Individual/Family Membership Dues: \$30.00	97
New – Individual/Family Membership Dues: \$30.00	