



Experimental
Aircraft Association
Chapter 533

President's Message March 2022

EAA 533 Members,

Hope everybody is doing well.

I would like to thank everybody that came out for the movie night. This month we have the FAA here for a safety talk. Hope you can all make it.

For all members that have badges, please look at expiration date and come to the meeting the month before to get your paperwork to renew.

Thank you,

Brian

EAA 533 Board of Directors Meeting March 2, 2022

Attending:

David Baker, Mike Depue, John Flanagan, Sharon Flanagan, Kevin Hooey, David Javarey, Brian Jones, Dick Welles

Excused:

Mike Taveniku

Members:

David Brown, Dwight and Loraine Myers, Rick Reynolds, Gerald Jones, Jonathan Pearl, Kevin Polovick, Paul Chappius, Stephen Thomas, Peigi Cook, Chris Gabers, and several other members and guests. Movie Night followed the board meeting.

Meeting called to order at 6:07 PM by President Brian Jones. Minutes of the previous meeting were read by Dick Welles. Upon motion of Mike Depue, second by Dick Welles, and vote, the minutes were approved as read.

Treasurer's Report:

John Flanagan presented the Treasurer's Report:

Checking Account	\$23,056.81
CD	\$11,259.17
Total	\$35,315.98

The NYSEG bills just received: \$899 and \$124. There are two meters at the hangar. One meter is a "demand meter," which responds to spikes, such as throwing multiple switches at once in the hangar. The bill for Jack Vakiener, Ray Scholarship recipient, has been paid out of the Scholarship Account: \$4,191.00 paid to Costa Flying Service.

New Membership/Hangar Badge Requests:

A membership application from David Brown was reviewed. Upon motion of Dick Welles, second by Sharon Flanagan, and vote, David Brown's application was approved. A membership application was also submitted at the meeting by Jonathan Pearl. After reviewing his application, a motion was made by Mike Depue to approve the application. Sharon Flanagan seconded the motion, and upon vote, Jonathan Pearl's application was approved.

140 Status:

Plane is scheduled to fly this Friday.

J-3 Cub Status:

No change from last month.

Hovercraft/Project Night:

Shaping of the thrust duct continuing on the Hovercraft. Kevin Hooey and crew continuing work on the B-25 wings.

Website:

No change.

Dick Welles, Scholarship Coordinator, reported on the Ray Scholarship Chapter Application. 169 applications were received at National. 128 scholarships were given out. EAA 533 did not receive one this year. For information, Dick Welles noted that the \$10,000 award is distributed in three installments: \$4,000 up to solo, then \$4,000 for flying post-solo, then \$2,000 towards the written exam. Dick is registered for a Ray Scholarship Webinar later this week.

Kevin Hooey announced that Jim Doane, Costa Flying Service, has agreed to speak for the chapter's May event, following the board meeting.

2022 Events:

The first fly-in breakfast of the season is Sunday May 1st. Discussion on prices. Breakfast will be \$10 for adults, \$5 for 12 & under. Sharon Flanagan will make a poster that is good for all the breakfasts, May through October.

Dick Welles said the "free list" for posting on the internet costs \$3/month.

There being no further business, upon motion of Mike Depue, second by Sharon Flanagan, and vote, the meeting was adjourned at 6:43PM.

Respectfully submitted, Sharon Flanagan, Secretary

*****Bill Abbott Presentation*****

"Elmira/Corning/Horseheads EAA Chapter 533 Safety Seminar"

Topic: Best Practices for maintaining your Vintage and Aging Aircraft

On Wednesday, April 6, 2022 at 19:00 Eastern Daylight Time

Location:

EAA Chapter 533 Hangar Elmira-Corning Regional Airport
26 Aviation Drive
Horseheads, NY 14845

Select Number:

EA23111835

Description:

This presentation will provide owners of vintage and aging single-engine airplanes guidance on maintaining the airworthiness of their airplanes. The general aviation (GA) fleet is aging. In 2000, the average age of the nation's 150,000 single-engine fleet was more than 30 years. We will discuss "best practices" for maintaining older airplanes that go beyond normal inspection requirements.

To view further details and registration information for this seminar, follow the below URL:

https://www.faasafety.gov/SPANS/event_details.aspx?eid=111835

The sponsor for this seminar is: Rochester FAASTeam

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The following credit(s) are available for the WINGS/AMT Programs:

Basic Knowledge 3 - 1 Credit

AMT: 1.00

Member Information



Like us on Facebook. Search for EAA 533 on Facebook or go to:
www.facebook.com/EAA533.

Hangar Tenant Agreement and Semiannual Aircraft Review Checklist as well as the hangar procedures document are available on the **website:** www.eaa533.org

Chapter email address to contact board:
EAAChapter533@gmail.com



Any EAA 533 members interested in bringing **projects into the hangar** should contact the hangar committee with space requirements and requests. (John Flanagan, Brian Jones and Kevin Hooey are the current committee).

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Chapter Activities

(All dates and times subject to change)

NEXT board meeting: Meeting is scheduled for April 6, 2022 at 6 PM.

Any questions, comments, photos or suggestions, please contact me at: mrdepue@reagan.com

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