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Monthly meeting are the second Tuesday of every month starting at 7 PM inside Deer Valley airport restaurant .

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Calendar of Events

Oct 10 th , 2017	Chapter Monthly Meeting
Oct 27-28 th , 2017	Copperstate
Oct 27-28 th , 2017	"All In" Poker Run
Nov 10 th , 2017	Young Eagle Rally
Nov 14 th , 2017	Chapter Monthly Meeting
Dec 12 th , 2017	Chapter Holiday Party

EAA Chapter 538 President's Report

October 2017

Hello Chapter 538 members!

We were scheduled to have Fred Gibbs, APA Safety Director/FAAS Team Lead Rep. to give a presentation of Basic Med but mechanical issues stopped him from making the meeting. We'll try to reschedule him again as soon as we can.

We are three weeks away from the Copperstate Fly-in at Falcon Field in Mesa, AZ. This year EAA 538 will have a booth at the Copperstate Fly-in! We will need volunteers to help man the booth both Friday and Saturday during the fly-in. Duties of those manning the booth are talking with the public and answering questions of who we are, what we do, airplane talk and lots of hangar flying. Duties will also include taking donations for the 50/50 raffle and possibly recording Poker Run hands if they show up at the booth. Stephen Bass offered the large volunteer tent outside the main Copperstate entrance for our Poker Run and 50/50 Raffle prize presentations. We gladly accepted! Poker Run winner to be announced at 2:30 PM Sat and 50/50 Raffle drawing winner immediately following. We need to make ourselves known to the public and this one of the BEST ways and time to do it. A volunteer form will be passed around for signing up.

Presidents Report Continued

Member Rodney Tang has offered 4-5 easels that we can use for displays. We are looking for members that would like to create a display of their projects to have at the booth. He is also requesting volunteers to help him man the Kids Corner booth. To contact Rodney for more info click [here](#).

In September's meeting I mentioned that November elections are approaching. We are asking for 2 or 3 member volunteers this month to contact the membership to inquire interest for officer and director nominations. Until confirmation of candidates please consider all seats open.

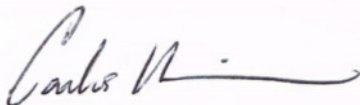
I want to thank Jack Norris for his donation of \$100 and to all the other members last month who collectively donated the balance of \$100 for the purchase of a 4 burner, 36" Blackstone Griddle for future chapter events. With this griddle, we are setting up for EAA Chapter pancake fly-in breakfasts! Maybe even as soon as December 2017!

Membership Reminder Notice:

Last month the chapter voted that our meeting time will move up a half hour earlier and we are now meeting from 6:30 to 8:30 PM instead of 7 to 9 PM This new meeting time starts THIS month.

I look forward to seeing YOU on Tuesday October 10, 2017 at our monthly meeting from **6:30 – 8:30 PM** in the Deer Valley Airport Restaurant. Come early if you are hungry and enjoy the Social Half-Hour starting at 6:00 PM Please plan to attend, and don't forget to bring a friend!

Thank you for being a part of EAA Chapter 538!



Carlos Hernandez

Secretary's Report

Meeting Place:

- Deer Valley Airport Restaurant. Time: 7 – 8:30 PM.

Welcome Guests:

- Keith Harbaugh, Dennis McLeod, Dave Bigham, Stephen Bass

Name Tag Check:

- Several members put \$1.00 into building fund box

Officers in Attendance:

- President: Carlos Hernandez.
- Vice President: Stuart Snow.
- Secretary / Treasurer: John Gregg reported that all required reports have been filed. There is \$6,941.00 in account. No outstanding issues.
- Directors: Dave Biddle. Cherie McGunagle. Jack Norris was not in attendance.
- Tech Counselor report: Ed Daror. Other Tech Counselors were not in attendance.
- Young Eagles: Cheri McGunagle

Announcements:

- Cheri announced that Joe Quitman Johnson passed away. He was a POW, author and friend of Chapter 538. There will be a Young Eagle event at KGEU on Nov. 18, 2017.
- Steve Bass said we can use 20' X 20' volunteer tent in grassy area for our 2:30 PM prize presentations from poker run and 50/50 raffle.
- October is Fly-Out Month. Rodney Tang mentioned that Grapevine Strip is open Sept. 9, 15 and 16. Oct. 20, 21

Program:

- Carlos said that FFAST Team Rep Fred Gibbs had flat front tire on his plane in FLG, would not be at meeting.

2017 Chapter Officer / Director Contact Info

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Secretary’s Report Continued

Steve Bass, Copperstate President spoke about this year’s upcoming fly-in, said he expects about 90 exhibitors. Requested volunteers. Event will run Friday Oct. 27th and Saturday Oct. 28th.

Break:

None

New Business:

Fall potluck at Dave Biddles’s hangar for Young Eagle event on Nov. 18th.

Carlos asked for volunteers to run for board positions – November elections.

Carlos asked for suggestions for monthly meeting presenters.

Members voted to change meeting times to 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM due to restaurant closing earlier.

Carlos asked for members to send info about their planes to Alex for production of our Chapter brochure for Copperstate.

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Members voted to buy griddle and donated final \$100 toward purchase. Jack Norris donated the original \$100.00.

Adjourn

Members Projects

Stuart Snow shared some pictures of my Corvair Aircraft Engine conversion I just completed this month.



Members - Spotlight

Stuart Snow continued



Stuart Snow continued



OCTOBER 2017 WALLPAPER

October 2017 Wallpaper can be found by clicking photo:



OCTOBER						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

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Poker Run Poster



FALCON FIELD MESA, AZ OCT. 27TH & 28TH

\$20 FOR FIRST HAND
\$5 EACH ADDITIONAL HAND - NO LIMIT
(BEST HAND WINS HALF THE POT)

2 DAYS TO FLY TO 5 AIRPORTS TO
COLLECT YOUR CARDS
(IN ANY ORDER ENDING AT FALCON FIELD)

COTTONWOOD (P52) - SEDONA (KSEZ)
- WINSLOW (KINW) - PAYSON (KPAN) -
FALCON FIELD (KFFZ)



OPEN TO PUBLIC (18+)
2 DAYS OF TICKET SALES - 1 WINNER - BIG \$\$
TICKET \$
1/\$1 - 6/\$5 - 15/\$10 - ARM SPAN/\$20

POKER RUN AND RAFFLE DETAILS AT WWW.538.EAACHAPTER.ORG OR AT WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/EAA538

POKER RUN RULES

Those participating in the "All In" Poker Run will adhere to the following rules:

You do not need to be an existing member of the Experimental Aircraft Association (EAA) Chapter 538. Anyone can participate. The "All In" Poker Run is open to all pilots, their families, and friends.

The "All In" Poker Run takes place on **Friday and Saturday, October 27 and 28, 2017**. Sealed envelopes with cards will only be available those days at each airport.

There will be NO reschedule if the event is canceled due to weather.

The start location is your home airport. The start time on **Friday, October 27, 2017** is up to you and your passengers depending on your plane, your assessment of weather conditions, etc.

We are requesting you pre-register for this event. Please see registration below.

The entrance fee is \$20.00 for the first hand and \$5.00 per each additional hand (no limit) and is payable upon arriving at Falcon Field Airport (KFFZ) when recording your hand(s). Cash only and exact change is preferred.

All hands must be presented at the Falcon Field Airport (KFFZ) no later than 2:00 PM on **Saturday, October 28, 2017**.

For each hand you play, you will pick up one sealed envelope containing a card at each of the 5 airports. You may NOT trade cards with other participants. You may NOT open the sealed envelope. These are considered cheating. You and all involved parties will be disqualified and no refunds will be made.

POKER RUN RULES Continued

- You do not need to fly the entire course. If you cannot make it to all of the airports, additional decks of cards will be at the final destination airport so that you can still get a full hand.
- You can go to the airports in any order on **Friday and Saturday, October 27 and 28, 2017** with the final airport being Falcon Field (KFFZ), checking in no later than 2:00 PM on Saturday. The 5 airports are:
 - P52 – Cottonwood Airport
 - KSEZ – Sedona Airport
 - KINW – Winslow-Lindberg Regional Airport
 - KPAN – Payson Airport
 - KFFZ – Falcon Field Airport
- The prize for the best poker hand will be ½ the pot.
- Standard 5 card draw poker rules apply. The participant with the best hand will be declared the winner.
- Since each airport has a representation of a complete deck (Cards 1 – 52), it is possible to get 5 aces or 5 twos, etc. In the unlikely event of exactly duplicated hands each player involved in the tie will draw a card and the highest card breaks the tie.
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You must be present at the awards ceremony which will begin at 2:30 PM Saturday October 28, 2017 in the volunteer tent located in the park just south of the Copperstate main entrance.

This is not a race. Your time between airports does not matter. Your primary concern should be safety and the exercise of good judgement and airmanship.

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REGISTRATION

Registering does not obligate your participation in the “All In” Poker Run. We would like to attain as accurate a head count as possible for our attendance purposes so that we can be sure to have enough playing cards at each

designated airport. If you plan on participating in the EAA Chapter 538 “All In” Poker Run please RSVP to Carlos Hernandez pazmany.ch@gmail.com and please include all of the following information in your email:

1. Subject line: “All In” Poker Run registration
2. First and Last Name
3. Aircraft type, make, model, N-number and color(s)
4. Will you be:
 - a) Pilot in Command

REGISTRATION Continued

- b) Riding along with someone as a passenger (please indicate with whom)
- c) Would like to participate but need a ride (we'll do our best to get you a seat)
- 5. How many players are you planning to bring?
- 6. Which day will you be planning to make your run and check in to record your hand?
- 7. If you have an open seat(s) would you be interested in taking another player(s) that would like to participate but have no aircraft available?

IMPORTANT NOTES:

1. The Experimental Aircraft Association (EAA) Chapter 538 will hosting the “All In” Poker Run during the same weekend as the Copperstate Fly-in in Mesa, AZ. The last Poker Run stop and your hand will be recorded at Falcon Field. Due to this, once you have landed at Falcon Field you will be responsible for all entry fees required by Copperstate. *Copperstate and EAA Chapter 538 are separate entities and the “All In” Poker Run is not a co-sponsored event.* Our intension is to offer some additional fun and scenic flying while you’re in the area. If you would like to participate in the Poker Run but you ARE NOT or DO NOT want to attend Copperstate then other means of recording your hand(s) will be required. Please contact Carlos Hernandez at pazmany.ch@gmail.com or phone him at 623.810.5675 to make alternate arrangements.

2. The Experimental Aircraft Association (EAA) Chapter 538 is the sole host of the “All In” Poker Run but assumes no liability for the safe operation of your aircraft and your flight. As PIC of your aircraft, you assume full responsibility. Please check all NOTAM’s, TFR’s, weather, and ensure that your aircraft is in airworthy condition. As a passenger, it is your responsibility to ensure that the person that you are flying with is competent to operate the aircraft.

Volunteers Wanted

EAA 528 Needs YOU. Please consider being one of many volunteers. EAA will have a booth/table that needs people to help answer question, take donations for the 50/50 raffle, sell cold water, hats, and Tee shirts and pass out brochures.

Copper State Fly In also needs volunteers. Click on the link below to see who they need.
[URL: https://www.copperstate.org/volunteers/](https://www.copperstate.org/volunteers/)