



# SPEED'S NEWS

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## Hello Members and Friends :

At last month's meeting we changed the location of the Chapter Banquet back to Awad's. Rosemary reported to us the Picadilly had undergone a management change and their competence was in question. Anyway, the date is tentatively scheduled for February 18th, provided Awad's can accommodate us on that date.

## T-18 PROJECT FOR SALE

Cal Jansen reports that the T-18 project he formerly owned is for sale by the current owner, Bob Pearson of Lakeland. The T-18 is on gear and very nearly complete. The \$7000 asking price includes a 125 horse Lycoming converted GPU. If no one wants to buy it outright, Cal would be interested in a partnership with one or two other people. His phone number is 776-3616, or talk to him at the next meeting.

## LARSON'S COLT FLYING

Chuck Larson's Colt is finally once again airworthy. He planned to be flying it to Benson Airport on October 29th.

## DUES RAISED?

According to my notes of the October meeting, a motion was seconded and passed to raise the Chapter dues to \$15 a year. According to Rosemary's minutes, the motion was tabled until the November meeting. I guess we'll have to sort it out at the November meeting. Anyway, the point is that the Chapter funds are depleted to an uncomfortably low balance and we sorely need ideas from members on how to raise funds. No idea will be considered too outlandish to be given a fair hearing.

## CALENDARS

EAA Calendars will be available at the November meeting and the price has been set at \$6.00.



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## NOVEMBER MIDMONTH

George Mathieson will host a midmonth at his home on Monday, November 17th. George has the Flight Simulator III program which will allow you to "fly" a Lear Jet, a P-51, and a number of other aircraft. The address is 3727 72nd St East in Inver Grove Heights, the time is 7:00pm and George's phone number is 455-9271.

## CHAPTER PICTURE

Bill Schanks suggested we line up all the airplanes owned by chapter members for a group photograph next Spring. We'll make more definite plans at a future meeting.

NEXT MEETING IS MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14th, 7:30 PM at LAKE ELMO

SEE YOU THERE