



# SPEED'S NEWS



**SPEED HOLMAN CHAPTER-54**  
ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

OCTOBER 1991

## KUPFERSCHMIDT'S CITABRIA TOTALED

Al Kupferschmidt and his son walked away from an accident in Wyoming that left Al's Citabria totaled. Al plans to give a full report at the October meeting along with a general talk about mountain flying. He will address some of the "do's" and "don'ts", presumably with an emphasis on the "don'ts".

## ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The election of new officers will be conducted at the October meeting. Most candidates are so far running unopposed. They include:

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| For President.....           | George Mathiesen |
| For Vice President.....      | John Thomas      |
|                              | Roger Westerberg |
| For Secretary-Treasurer..... | Rosemary Frank   |
| For Newsletter Editor.....   | Art Edlund       |

## EXPANDED COVERAGE

Earlier this year, headquarters announced the new EAA Chapter Non-Owned Aircraft Liability Insurance. This insurance provides liability protection when any Chapter uses a non-owned aircraft for orientation rides. AVEMCO Insurance Company has recently agreed to expand the coverage to include retractable gear aircraft. A recap of the parameters for aircraft to be used in conjunction with this Chapter insurance is as follows:

- single engine
- fixed wing
- four seats or less
- standard category
- fixed or retractable gear

The limit of liability is one million dollars combined single limit for bodily injury and property damage and the coverage applies on a per occurrence basis. This is liability insurance only and does not cover any damage to the non-owned aircraft being used. The insurance will protect the Chapter, its officers, members, and any Chapter volunteers but does not apply to the aircraft owner. This insurance coverage provides the Chapters with a great opportunity to introduce interested aviation enthusiasts to the enjoyment and thrill of flying without being concerned about liability.

## OCTOBER MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Art Edlund attended the National Championship Air Races in Reno this September, and will give a talk on his experiences at the event.

Bill Schanks and Dale Rupp will demonstrate rib stitching and guide people who would like to try their hand at it.

1992 EAA Calendars will be on sale at the October meeting. The price is \$7.00. Our chapter ordered seventy-five calendars (for which we also received a 1991 Oshkosh Convention video). Last year we sold all seventy-five. (Last year the Nutley, New Jersey Chapter sold 1325 calendars; the most of any Chapter. Edmonton, Alberta was a distant second with 825 calendars sold.)

Rosemary will begin accepting next years dues payments- still just \$15.00.

## JUST KIDDING, FOLKS.....

Heard about the jokester pilot, who after everyone was strapped into their seats on a recent float plane trek into the Canadian subarctic, announced, "Now, will everyone please pass their dental records to the center aisle?"

### **NEXT MEETING: MONDAY, OCTOBER 14, 7:30 PM AT LAKE ELMO**

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#### Chapter 54 Officers:

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| Secretary/Treasurer..... | Rosemary Frank.....   | 541-8187 |
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