

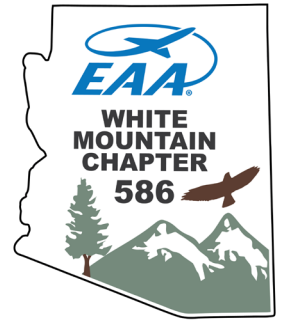


# WHITE MOUNTAIN CHAPTER 586

(LOCATED AT THE SHOW LOW AIRPORT)

## JANUARY 2024 - NEWSLETTER

HAPPY  
*new Year*  
2024



Happy New Year 586 Members & Guests!

The year ahead looks to be our best yet! The board has already been hard at work laying out the events for 2024. Some of the early highlights include a demo of a virtual reality simulator from the folks at True Course Simulations, a tower tour at Chandler (KCHD) airport, Young Eagles rallies, Flying Start event, Build & Fly program (partnership with Silver Creek Aeromodelers), AeroEducate workshops, pancake breakfast's and burger fry's. We also have some great fly-outs on the schedule too! We will fly to places like, the Buckeye Air Fair, the Cactus Fly-in, Sun 'N Fun, Catalina Island, Baja Mexico and Airventure.

We have also looked at chapter goals for this year such as growing membership, rebuilding the Teenie-Two into a quality static display to promote the chapter, start & complete a build and fly project, purchase a certified flight simulator, qualify and put forth a Ray Aviation scholar.

I am personally excited and proud that EAA Chapter 586 has become quite the aviation family in the Show Low, Snowflake/Taylor and surrounding communities. This is only possible because of it's members that strive to meet the needs of one another and their love of all things aviation. I can't wait to see our family grow in the coming year!

We have a great team of people on board and ready to make 2024 a year to remember as we put everything mentioned above into action....

President: Don Lusk	VMC Club Coordinator: Revone Bauwens	Web Editor: Kaylee Stock
Vice President: Dwight Stock	VMC Club CFI: Kimberly Jackson	Newsletter Editor: Don Lusk
Treasurer: Bill Fort	Young Eagles Coordinator: Shay Lusk	Fly Out Coordinator: Charlie Ballard
Secretary: Shay Lusk	Young Eagles Co-Coordinator: Diana Krugh	Eagles Coordinator: Shay Lusk
Immed. Past President: Ed Hamilton	Young Eagles Flight Leader: Patrick Krugh	Eagles Flight Leader: Patrick Krugh
Board Member: Stu Mennie	EAA Flight Advisor: Jeremiah Hill	Membership Coordinator: Ed Hamilton
Board Member: Brock Taras	EAA Technical Counselor: Patrick Krugh	Scholarship Coordinator: Brent Meyer
Board Member: Nolan Brimhall	Food Events Coordinator: Ed Hamilton	Build & Fly Coordinator: Don Lusk

It was very humbling to be voted president to lead our chapter in 2024 & 2025. I will do my best to meet your expectations and continue to build on the success of our previous president. I look forward to sharing my passion for aviation with others and help them succeed in achieving their aviation goals - Don Lusk

2024

GOAL  
PLAN  
ACTION

# Chapter Dues are Due for 2024!

Chapter dues have increased for 2024. Previously dues were \$10 per person per year. Dues are now \$20 for an individual and \$30 for a family per year.

You can pay dues with cash or check at any chapter event as before or you can now pay online via credit or debit card. If you would like to renew your chapter membership or sign up for the first time, scan the QR code to the right which will take you to the "Join EAA Chapter 586" webpage. Once there, select Individual Membership or Family Membership, enter some basic information about yourself (and family if applicable), your card information and then submit via the subscribe button. Subscribing will sign you up to automatically renew your membership annually.



SCAN to RENEW  
or JOIN CHAPTER



Welcome to the EAA Chapter 586  
Messaging Center.

You will now receive text messages  
about chapter activities and  
information.

We're glad to have you on board!

8 Msgs/Month. Reply STOP to  
cancel. HELP for help. Msg&data  
rates may apply.

## Get Information and Alerts About Chapter Events!

text

**EAAChapter586**

to

**(844) 427-5026**

You will receive a welcome message after sending which is confirmation you have been added to the list. Once added to the list you will receive individual text messages about chapter events (not a mass group text)

## VMC Club Meeting

### Question of the Month

*How do VX and VY change as an aircraft climbs to higher altitudes? What is the altitude at which VX and VY are the same?*

### VMC Video of the Month - *Bounced Landing*

Come join us as we watch the video of the month. After watching the video, we will discuss it and reveal the answer to the question of the month. All are welcome to attend and we hope to see you there!

Date: Thursday, January 4th 2024

Time: 5:30 to 6:00pm Dinner  
6:00 to 7:00pm Club Meeting

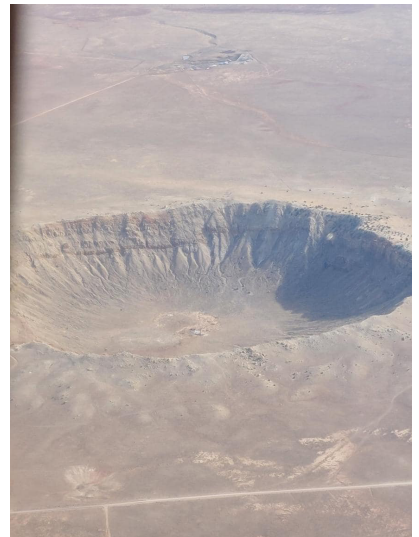
Where: Show Low Airport (KSOW)  
Chapter Hangar (Lusk Hangar)  
3150 E. Corporate Way  
Show Low, AZ 85901





## Chapter Fly-Out - Breakfast at Sedona

On Saturday December 16th, members of our chapter took flight bound for Sedona (KSEZ). In total, there were seven airplanes and twenty one people that made the trip for breakfast and to take in the sights of Sedona! See more photos at [facebook.com/eaachapter586](https://facebook.com/eaachapter586)





# Homebuilders Week - Online Event Starts January 22nd

An online Opportunity to learn about building your own aircraft!

By Charlie Becker, EAA Homebuilt Community Manager


Homebuilders Week is an online opportunity to carry on the founding mission of EAA by sharing as much knowledge and information about building your own aircraft as possible in five days. We start on Monday, January 22nd, 2024, and end on Friday, January 26th, 2024. Each day, we offer six live webinars back-to-back, starting at 11:30 am central time and running every hour and a half until the last session at 7pm central. The sessions are live and allow time for questions. To sign up for the sessions, visit [www.EAA.org/HomebuildersWeek](http://www.EAA.org/HomebuildersWeek)

The topics cover a wide variety of areas of interest to anyone curious about building their own aircraft. We try to make sure there is something for everyone, whether you are just considering the idea of building an aircraft, are knee deep in a project or getting ready for test flying. We even have EAA president Jack Pelton lined up on our anniversary date, January 26th, to talk about EAA's Advocacy efforts on behalf of the homebuilt members.

EAA Homebuilders Week coincides with the anniversary of the founding of the Experimental Aircraft Association in 1953. We have come so far since that first EAA meeting. Back then, information on homebuilding was sparse and hard to come by. I know that if our founder, Paul Poberezny, was still with us, he would give us a big thumbs up for this effort to support the homebuilder.

EAA Homebuilders Week is made possible through the generous sponsorships of Aircraft Spruce & Specialty Co., Dynon, and Scheme Designers, Inc.

Visit [www.EAA.org/HomebuildersWeek](http://www.EAA.org/HomebuildersWeek) to sign up.

 <b>Homebuilders Week Schedule</b> <b>January 22 - 26, 2024</b>					
<b>To sign up: <a href="http://EAA.org/HomebuildersWeek">EAA.org/HomebuildersWeek</a></b>					
Time CST	Monday 1/22/24	Tuesday 1/23/24	Wednesday 1/24/24	Thursday 1/25/24	Friday 1/26/24
11:30-12:45	Building an Aircraft: What You Need to Know Charlie Becker	Composite Construction Basics Mark Forss	Amateur-Built Certification Process Joe Norris	Lies, Darned Lies, and Homebuilt Accident Statistics Ron Wanttaja	EAA Advocacy Update: Top Homebuilding Issues and the Impact of MOSAIC Jack J. Pelton, Sean Elliott & Rob Hackman
1:00-2:15	Wiring Basics Dick Koehler	The Nuts and Bolts of Nuts and Bolts Kerry Fores	Building on the Cheap Ron Wanttaja	Lycoming Engine Installation Dave Prizio	Working With Wood 101 John Egan
2:30-3:45	Welding Basics: Gas & TIG Charlie Becker & Tracy Buttles	Fabric Covering Basics Nate Hammond	Buying a Used RV Aircraft Vic Syracuse	Sonex Aircraft and AeroConversions Products Mark Schaible	Zenith Aircraft Kits & Plans Sebastien Heintz & Roger Dubbert
4:00-5:15	Sheet Metal Basics Jim Scott	Factory-Built to Homebuilt: What's the Difference? Tom Charpentier	Advanced Flight Systems Rob Hickman	Garmin Experimental Avionics Solutions Brad Brensing	Scratchbuilding From Plans: 90% Done and 90% to Go! Marty Feehan
5:30-6:45	Panel Planning and Wiring Marc Ausman	Dynon Avionics Michael Schofield	Flight Testing 101 Paul Dye	Propeller Selection for Homebuilts Steve Boser	Latex Paint: A Low-Cost Alternative Malcolm Morrison
7:00-8:15	Rotax 9 Series Installation & Operation Phil Lockwood	Painting Your Plane: DIY or Use an Expert? Craig Barnett & Ken Reese	Engine Break-In Mike Busch	Van's RV Aircraft Kits Greg Hughes	Common Builder & Maintenance Errors Vic Syracuse

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## ***A Look Back at 2023!***

**What a year of activity!**

As our chapter began to see a resurgence of activity in late 2022, it became obvious we needed to get in compliance with the Arizona Corporation Commission and the IRS to ensure we were recognized as a 501(c)3 organization. It took a lot of hard work and dedication to see it through from Ed Hamilton and Bill Fort but they got it done and our official letter from the IRS was issued mid-2023.

Charlie Ballard stepped up as our fly-out coordinator. Although this was a new position in the chapter, Charlie was able to put together some pretty awesome fly-outs for the chapter. We flew as a group to Flagstaff for a tower tour (a special thanks to Brent Meyer for putting this together), Marble Canyon, the final flag at the Reno Air Races and a few local breakfast fly-outs (Coolidge & Sedona). A group of members piled into a Cherokee Six bound for Airventure too! What a great year of chapter fly-out activity.

We hosted (5) Young Eagle Rallies, (1) Flying Start Event and (2) Pancake Breakfast Fundraisers. We flew 113 young eagles, 11 eagles during our Flying Start Event and served 225 meals at the pancake breakfasts. This required a ton of volunteers to pull these events off successfully and would not have been possible without everyone that came together to make it happen, thank you all!

Understanding the importance of pilot proficiency, we started a VMC Club in late 2023. To date, we have had 16-18 participants at each meeting. The discussion among those in attendance has been eye opening and a great way to increase knowledge and proficiency in our piloting skills. We also had the FAA FAST team present a FAA Wings credit presentation on the recent emphasis of traffic patterns into non-controlled airspace. We look to have the FAST team back again in 2024.

Chapter member projects: Tom Graves is near completion on his Sonix project. He and Bob McCalpin have been steadily working on the project and expect to complete it this year. The Show Low Aviation Club (SLAC) purchased a partially built RV-12iS project. The SLAC members have been working toward completion while waiting for the power plant and avionics to ship. They too expect to have their plane flying this year.

A couple of "Hands On" activities included, refurbishing the newly acquired Teenie-Two from the Show Low Airport. A team worked to get the Teenie-Two in working order so it could participate in the Show Low 4th of July parade and the Snowflake Pioneer Days parade. We also had an opportunity at one of our gatherings to put a RV-9A on the scales and work the weight and balance calculations as a group. This was an excellent learning opportunity. We plan to have similar opportunities in the coming year!

**Congratulations to the following members on the purchase of an aircraft!**

David & Trisha Lee - Cessna C-172	Seth Gaston - Cessna C-182
Brandon Monahan - Piper Cherokee 180	Kimberly Jackson - Cessna C-120
Mark Gardner - Cessna C-182	Pareece Jones - Cessna C-182

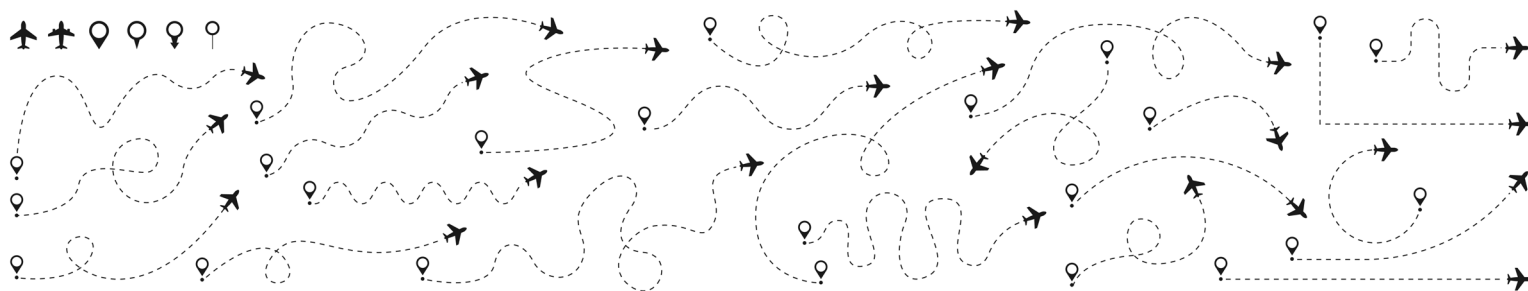
**Congratulations to the following members on the completion of their flight training!**

Seth Gaston - Private Pilot Certificate	David Lee - Private Pilot Certificate
Shane Carter - Private Pilot Certificate	Nolan Brimhall - Commercial Rating
Revone Bauwens - Flight Review	

**How about this list of chapter members pursuing certificates or ratings in 2023!**

Stu Mennie - Flight Training (PPL)	TJ Hess - Flight Training/Soloed (PPL)
Abdi Monahan - Flight Training/Soloed (PPL)	Brandon Monahan - Flight Training (PPL)
Elena Monahan - Flight Training/Soloed (PPL)	Nolan Brimhall - Flight Training (CFI)
Mark Gardner - Flight Training (PPL)	Pareece Jones - Flight Training (PPL)

**Congratulation to Tom Holloran - US Glider Team - Competed in FAI World Gliding Championships. Pretty awesome to know one of our members is a pilot worthy to compete on this level, way to go Tom!**



***Want to learn to fly...***



**Silver Creek Aviation, located at KTYL offers airplane rental and flight training.**

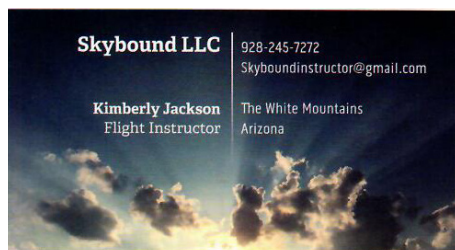
**Contact Info:**  
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***Reach out to Jeremy, Kimberly or Al and get started today!***

## TWO MONTH LOOK AHEAD

2024 JANUARY						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
31	1 NEW YEAR'S DAY	2	3	4 VMC CLUB	5	6 FLYOUT COOLIDGE B-FAST
7	8	9	10	11	12	13 GATHERING
14	15 YE CREDIT DEADLINE MLK JR. DAY	16 2024 CALENDAR PLANNING MEETING	17	18	19	20
21	22	23 BOARD MEETING	24	25	26	27 EAA LEADERSHIP ACADEMY
28 EAA LEADERSHIP ACADEMY	29	30	31 RAY AVIATION SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE	1	2	3

### January Highlights:

- 4th - VMC Club Meeting
- 6th - Flyout Coolidge
- 13th - Chapter Gathering Virtual Reality Sim Demo
- 16th - 2024 Calendar Planning Meeting
- 23rd - Board Meeting

2024 FEBRUARY						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
28	29	30	31	1 VMC CLUB	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10 GATHERING
11	12	13	14	15	16 BUCKEYE AIR FAIR	17 BUCKEYE AIR FAIR
18 BUCKEYE AIR FAIR	19 PRESIDENTS DAY	20	21 VALENTINE'S DAY	22	23	24
25	26	27 BOARD MEETING	28	29	1	2

### February Highlights:

- 1st - VMC Club Meeting
- 10th - Chapter Gathering
- 16th - Buckeye Air Fair
- 17th - Buckeye Air Fair
- 18th - Buckeye Air Fair
- 27th - Board Meeting



## Airplane for Sale at KSOW!

Jacob Allen is selling his Piper Cherokee 140. Asking price is \$40,000



Full or fractional ownership options available  
Contact Jacob Allen at (618) 960-9039 for more information

## BOX HANGAR FOR SALE

Taylor Arizona (KTYL)

LOCATED ON 1ST APRON HANGAR D

42 X 12 FOOT OPENING

40 FOOT DEPTH

### FEATURES:

SCHWEISS BI-FOLD DOOR

CONCRETE TILT UP CONSTRUCTION

METAL ROOFING

4 - LED SHOP LIGHTS

100 AMP SUB PANEL INSIDE HANGAR

# \$100,000

CONTACT:

ANDY WOOD 928-243-1491

MIKE SOLOMON 928-243-8747

## Hangars for Sale!

Jared Hatch has hangars for sale at KTYL...

42'x40'x14' Hangar - \$120,000.00

50'x50'x16' Hangar - \$175,000.00

Contact Jared at (928) 255-2805  
for additional information and terms.

## Have something to sell or trade?

Please let Don Lusk know  
and get it in the next newsletter!



## Garmin 530 (non-waas)

Seth Gaston is selling a used Garmin 530 complete  
with tray and yellow tag.

Asking price is \$4,000.00

Contact Seth for more information at 602-320-6799



# HAVE YOUR SAY!

2024 is upon us and there is still some time before our January 16th calendar planning meeting and we would like to hear from you.

At the January VMC and Chapter Gathering, there will be comment cards available and a deposit box that you can write in things you would like to see the chapter do or offer in 2024.

If there is an activity you would like to head up or present, we'd like to know that as well and get you plugged in.

Rather not fill out a card... let us know your suggestions via email at [ksowchapter586@gmail.com](mailto:ksowchapter586@gmail.com)

or text message to  
(844) 427-5026

## ***Reminder!***

Our next Chapter Gathering is Saturday, January 13th with the social hour starting at 9am and the gathering starting at 10am. Hope to see you there!

Day: Second Saturday of the Month  
Time: 9:00am to 10:00am Social Hour  
10:00am to 11:am Chapter Gathering  
Location: EAA 586 Hangar (Lusk hangar)  
(south hangars on E. Corporate Way)



If you know someone that *Builds... Flies... or Dreams* about Aviation, please invite them to join us!

***Best regards from EAA White Mountain Chapter 586***