

LOGBOOK



MARCH 2022

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EVENTS

EAA 602 Meeting
Tuesday, March 29th
7:00 pm @ C & R Restaurant
Please join us for dinner
and conversation at 6:00 in
the back room.



Photo provided by: Corey Drapala

President's Hangar Patrick Morris EAA 839538

What's been going on:

Our last meeting was in person with one remote call in at the C&R Restaurant. It was a small turn out compared to our pre-COVID days but still very good to see some people in person. Hopefully it will only get better as more people are comfortable coming out to events. At our March 29th meeting we will be continuing the current board until the end of the year. If there is anyone who would like to have a vote for a position before the end of the year, please reach out to me or come to the meeting to discuss.

As I finish writing this, I am taking one last look at the weather for **this weekend's chili fly-in in Norwich** and they are still calling for low ceilings. I was looking forward to an event to fly to but there will be others. At the meeting we discussed possible club events for the coming year and these are the things we talked about so far:

UPCOMING:

June 18 - Fly out to the **ESAM breakfast at Schenectady County** displaying our aircraft with particular emphasis on experimental with Ed doing a presentation on Experimental Aircraft.

Visit to Josh's build in Ballston Spa

Poker run in September and possibly another in October because it is just such a great time to fly

Airport day at Fulton County Airport, date to be determined

Club sponsored breakfast at Fulton County Airport, date to be worked out with the 195 Factory

May 21st there will be an event at **Harris Field 83K**. Here are some further details.

6th Annual CubCrafters Northeast STOL May 21st 2022

Harris (83K)
Camping
Food, Friends, Music

11am start





Vice-President ~ Darryl White

I was just looking thru some old photo albums and came across our trip to the Albany Tower in April of 2018. I remember that we had a late winter ice storm that day and it was dicey whether we could get make the trip. Luckily the weather was improving and I think we had about six members make it. It was very interesting because the Albany facility serves both as a tower for Albany and a TRACON for our area. The controllers take shifts between the two jobs. The TRACON facility is in the lower level of the control tower. We got to tour both area and speak to the FAA team that works both areas. The KALB Traffic was light so we had quite a bit of time at the top of the tower. Maybe now that COVID is letting up a bit we could make another trip down there for a tour. Let talk about at our upcoming meeting.



Spring!

It's been a tough winter for flying off a grass strip, with the alternating bitter cold, unusually warm, and intermittent precipitation making an icy mess of things. After ending last year's flying season with a long cross country down to Morgantown, WV (MGW) in early November, I have only managed to put another 13 hours or so on Phoebe's tach. Most of those few hours have been short early morning flights, which are still worth it despite the cold.

In the meantime, I've made some slow progress disassembling my new Baby Lakes project (named Luna), which I picked up from Marty last fall. I've been taking stock of all her various parts and making lists of things I need to replace, and looking into engine options. The stripped down frame is in my basement awaiting cleaning and some welding work. Darryl has kindly offered to let me borrow the welding equipment he got for his Hatz project ... I'm going to make a bunch of practice joints and see how I do before striking an arc on the airframe. This rebuild might take me a bit more time than I originally thought, but hurrying takes the fun out of it and I have plenty of other things to keep me busy these days.

By Ed Zwolinski





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