



May 2021

	WHEN:	WHERE:	PROGRAM:
MAY MEETING	Thursday, the 13TH, 6:30 pm (or earlier)	KMIW McCurry Hangar	PANCAKE NIGHT/FUNFLY

WHAT'S FLYIN' THIS WAY !!!

BACK TO THE AIRPORT!

Time to get back to a regular schedule as we meet at the Marshalltown Airport this coming Thursday, the 13th. As of this writing it appears the weather will be conducive to flying, so come early and get some air under your wings! The chapter grill will be warmed up for pancakes and sausage along with coffee and juice. We will have an update on the scholarship program and a lot of hangar flying too. Bring a chair and your appetite!

WHAT FLEW BY !!!

Our last winter meeting at Ray and Sandy Robinson's was, once again, a very good time of fellowship and hangar flying. New member Duane Priest was in attendance. Duane just purchased a Pietenpol and shared his very interesting experience in obtaining it.

Chapter 135 president, Alan Hummel returned this month after he and other Chapter 135 members attended last month and participated in our discussion of the scholarship funds we are working on distributing. Alan presented us with a check from the chapter for \$500 to add to our fund bringing the amount to \$2500! Lorin Miller will be giving us an update on the distribution program at our next meeting.

The Flying Old GeeZers (FOGz for short) have been incrementally getting back in the air. The wind has been brutal this spring.

EAA Chapter 135 president, Alan Hummel, presenting the Scholarship Fund check for \$500 to Chapter 675 president Paul Adams with 675 VP Lorin Miller (far left) and treasurer Dave McCurry.



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CALENDAR

FLY-INS ARE BACK!

As long as the weather cooperates.

Saturday May 13

EAA 675 Meeting

KMIW Marshalltown

~6:30 pm

Saturday, May 15

Dubuque Regional Airport (DBQ)

Dubuque Jet Center Conference Room

EAA Chapter 327 Flying Start Program

9 a.m. - noon

Website: Chapter 327 Flying Start

Sioux County Regional Airport (SXX)

Tulip Festival Flight Breakfast

7 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Website: www.octulipfestival.com

Mason City Municipal Airport (MCW)

Fly-in breakfast

7 a.m. – noon

Pilot-in-command eats free

Website: www.northiowaair.com

Wednesday, May 19

Council Bluffs Municipal Airport (CBF)

Great Plains Wing CAF Cookout

Open to all- museum open

5:30 p.m.

Email: jeffhutcheson3@gmail.com

Monday, May 31

Sully Municipal Airport (8C2)

Fly-in Breakfast

7 a.m. – 10 a.m.

Short walk east of airport

Email: shane@flyclassicaviation.com

Saturday, June 5

Green Castle Airport (1A24)

Antique Airplane Fly-in Lunch

9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Rain date: June 12

Email: michaelwmango@gmail.com

Website: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/green-castle-antique-vintage-experimental-fly-indrive-in-tickets-148920799119>

Sunday, June 6

Cherokee Regional Airport (CKP)

Fly-in Breakfast

7 a.m. – 11 a.m.

Email: rlsiefert@hotmail.com

Wednesday, June 16

Council Bluffs Municipal Airport (CBF)

Great Plains Wing CAF Cookout

Open to all- museum open

5:30 p.m.

Email: jeffhutcheson3@gmail.com

Saturday, June 19

Clarinda Municipal Airport (ICL)

Clarinda Airshow – Flight Breakfast

7 a.m. – noon

Email: hargin@yahoo.com

Saturday, June 26

Ottumwa Regional Airport (OTM)

Fly-in breakfast: 7 a.m. – 10 a.m.

Open house: 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Car show: 8 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Pilot-in-command eats free

Email: Balld@ottumwa.us

Website: www.ottumwa.us/departments/airport/

Ottumwa Regional Airport (OTM)

Dreams Take Flight fly-in supper

See website for details

5:30 p.m. – 9 p.m.

Website: www.dreamstakeflight.info

Sunday, June 27

Red Oak Municipal Airport (RDK)

Flight Breakfast

7 a.m. – 11 a.m.

Pilot in command eats free

Email: nrdk@redoakia.city

Monday, July 26 – Sunday, August 1

EAA AirVenture

Oshkosh, WI

Saturday, August 7

Council Bluffs Municipal Airport (CBF)

Great Plains Wing CAF Flight Breakfast/open house

Military museum will be open

Breakfast: 8:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m.

Lunch: 11 a.m.

402-981-4633 (Jeff Hutcheson)

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Aircraft registration renewals can now be paid online with credit card or ACH through the State of Iowa's new Gov2Go service. Aircraft registration renewal notices will include an Access Code for online payment accessed from the Iowa DOT's Aircraft Registration web page <https://secure.io-wadot.gov/Aviation/aircraftregistration/registration.aspx>. Once the annual registration fee is paid, a certificate is immediately sent by email. The certificate can then be downloaded or printed but, is no longer required to be stored in the aircraft. Over the next year, initial aircraft registration applications will also be able to be submitted and paid for online for those registering an aircraft for the first time.

"Hi Corey, After finishing the V-12 I never got around to showing any photos of it. Here are several in case you have any interest in passing them on. At some point I will have to make a video of it to show the guys. Gary"

Some of you may remember at one of our rare meetings last year seeing the in-progress version of Gary Kirchgatter's V-12 engine. Gary is an artist of miniatures and engines are one of his specialties. By the way, these are *working* engines that fit in the palm of your hand. Here are some photos of the finished product. Absolutely amazing!



FOGz Report & Ditch Walking

We had a good gathering in Boyd's hanger Thursday (Apr 24th). Started out with Boyd, Gannon, McCurry, and Hartgrave then several others wandered in and still others that came later but in time to clean the ditch. It was really



good to see folks. We enjoyed not wearing masks as probably all of us were vaccinated now but we still maintained distance from each other in the open hanger. Coffee and cookies were on hand. Conversation showed:

- Boyd's CI of Waix complete; replacing complex fuel line on Challenger as part of that CI
 - Hargrave's Cygnet still imprisoned in its damaged hanger
 - Emoji
 - McCurry has new in flight adjustable oil cooler flap
 - Miller getting new transponder certified in Ames
 - Feld ready to cover wings and contemplating painting alternatives
 - Risius's new knee slowly improving
- And the ditch was cleaned. No fly-ins but a good time together.

Friday I put one over on Tyson and he signed off my bi-annual. In the process I confirmed that the new pole up by the terminal building is indeed a new rotating beacon whose tiny little lights are brighter than the ancient one we are familiar with.



The Walkers of the Road Ditch (Lt to Rt)... Garry Brandenburg, Bruce Grumstrup, Doug Boyd, Mike Hargrave, Eric Bramhall, Dave McCurry, Don Feld and behind the camera, Corey Butcher