



Hi Flyer,

The March meeting of Chapter 667 will be held at the Southern Bell Building on Thursday 13 March at 7:30 PM. That is the one at 13th and 13th, where the first meeting was held. Dick French has a movie from the EAA Film Library and maybe that one on the Starduster test flight that we were supposed to have last time. There is no kitchen or goodie machines in this building, so refreshments will have to be of the bring your own type.

The Chapter Charter was issued by EAA Headquarters dated 6 February 1980, so all members who were enrolled prior to that date are asked to sign the Charter, if they have not already done so. The Charter will be brought to all the meetings until the appropriate signatures have been obtained.

Project Update: LeRoy Storey has run out of excuses not to finish his VP-1 project, since a friend has given him a new (well, it was new when it was put in storage five years ago) VW engine, and has received all the metal fittings, found a local supplier for birch. So, LeRoy....how about it?

Darrell McDonald is going great guns on his Quickie. This is the first time I have actually seen a Quickie kit and it is very impressive.

Frank Massa has actually started cutting metal on his Zenith kit and we should see some substantial progress soon.

LeRoy Storey has registered for the Spring Quarter at VoTech to learn to be a welder. He will concentrate on aircraft type welding of steel and aluminum using oxy-acetylene and tungsten inert gas (TIG) procedures. TIG is probably better known by a particular company name, ie Heliarc. Strange carryings on for a wooden airplane builder, what?

No word this time on the VariEze projects. Maybe next time.

From the scuttlebutt, it appears that the Chapter is going to have good representation at the Sun'N'Fun. Looks like at least 50% of us will be there at some time during the week. That's great. We have gotten the word that at least two of the designers of aircraft that Chapter members are building will be there. (Sonerai and Zenith) Probably there will be others that we don't yet know about, too. (Bud Schuman has been hoping to meet Bob Bushby for a long time.) At any rate, Sun'N'Fun should be a blast this year.

That's about it this time. See you on the 13th.

Gremlin