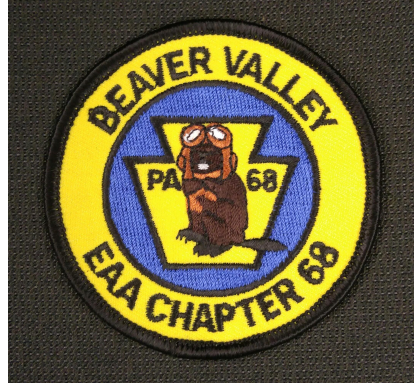


Newsletter



Beaver Valley EAA Chapter 68 founded 1958

The October monthly meeting was Tuesday evening, October 5th, and was held at the Air Heritage Museum. We had a good turnout with 13 members in attendance. After business concluded we all had an opportunity to see some of the airplanes inside the hangar at the museum. The main hangar almost always has been occupied by one of the "big birds", either the C-47 or the C-123, aka "the Pig". Tonight the C-47 stood waiting inside. That gave us a chance to look her over.



The C-47,

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Progress continues on the Fairchild.



the Funk,



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the T-28 Trojan,



while the C-123 stands ready on the ramp.



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General information for those who were unable to attend last month's meeting. Be advised that November is election time. Presently there are three positions to be filled. Vice President (incumbent Dave Brunberg), Treasurer (incumbent Dewey Clawson, and board member (incumbent Ed Campbell). Nominations are open now until closing during the November meeting. As a current member you can nominate anyone in good standing simply by telling the Election Chairman, Tony Pavilonis. Call him, text him, message him, or attach the candidate of your choice's name to a homing pigeon and see that Tony gets it in time. Please take a minute to offer your input with respect to the officers whose terms are now due.

In addition to the election matters one other significant issue was posed for consideration at the meeting.

The Chapters is endeavoring to launch it's internet presence. By doing so we hope to take advantage of the wide exposure that the internet platform offers. This effort is in its infancy and will begin with information gathering about how best to proceed, with emphasis on an individual who can guide us up this path. I'll try to keep everyone informed so stand by for updates.

The next meeting will be held at the Air Heritage Museum and will be on Tuesday, the 2nd, at 7:00 P.M.

The next Y.E. event will be Saturday October 30th. (weather permitting)

One of our senior members, Ralph Zinkham has decided that it's time to part company with the RV-6A that he built and flew. His RV is powered by an IO 360, and swings a constant speed prop. If you're interested contact Ralph for the specifics. Ralph is also selling surplus tools. See the list posted below.



One - Accordion Hole Locator
 2 - Battery Solinoids
 2 - Cabin Adjustable Air Vents
 One - Pair Duzz Pliers
 One - Control Stick Adapter / Holder
 One - Pair of Cleco Pliers
 One - Right Hand Metal Hand Sheers
 One - Left Hand Metal Hand Sheers
 One - Vans Ampmeter 2 1/2"
 One - UMA Manifold Press. Gage 2 1/2"
 One - 2" wide roll of carbon fiber
 One - I-Com IC-24 Radio/ Transmitter/ w Charger
 One - 1" dia x 16"lg Scat tube
 One - Roll of Plastic Chaffing Tape
 One - Timming Indicator
 One - Differential Cylinder Pressure Tester
 One - Magneto Synchronizer
 One - Set of Bendix P Lead Adapter
 One - TDC Plug
 One - Spark Plug Tray
 One - Bottle of Spark Plug Thread Lub

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The Prez sez...

Chapter 68 will meet at Air Heritage on November 2 at 7 pm.

Once again, we thank Air Heritage for the use of their facility. Agenda items will be completion of the nominations and election of the Officer and board positions for the coming year. On Saturday, October 30 we will host a Young Eagle's event at the Beaver County Airport from 9 am to 2 pm. Dewey Clawson has done a banner job of gathering names of young eagle candidates who will hopefully be inspired by an up close view. Registration and documentation will take place in the terminal building. We will keep our fingers crossed about the weather as we complete a successful cycle of young eagle flights for the year.

The program presentation at the November meeting will feature our own Mark Overby as he relates his experience in painting his RV-7 project. Questions and answers will be given as we explore the elements of the painting process. Changing technology, choice of materials, equipment, preparation, and realization of the final product will be the topics of interest for us all.

I hope to see everyone on Tuesday, November 2, at 7 pm.

Tony



On the lighter side...

Two young boys walked into a pharmacy one day, picked out a box of tampons and proceeded to the checkout counter.

The pharmacist at the counter asked the older boy 'Son, how old are you?'

'Eight,' the boy replied.

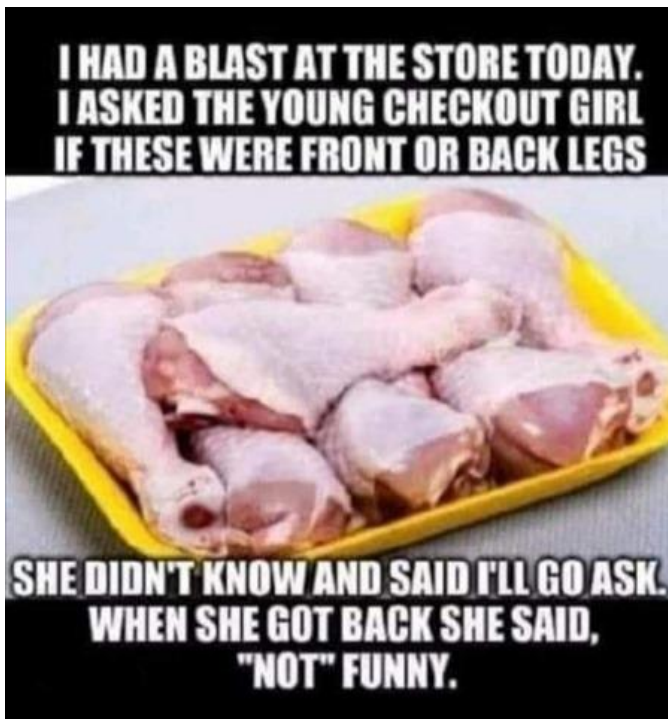
The man continued, 'Do you know what these are used for?'

The boy replied, 'Not exactly, but they aren't for me. They're for him. He's my brother. He's four.'

'Oh really?' the pharmacist replied with a grin.

'Yes,' the boy said. 'We saw on TV that if you use these, you would be able to swim, play tennis and ride a bike. Right now, he can't do none of those.'

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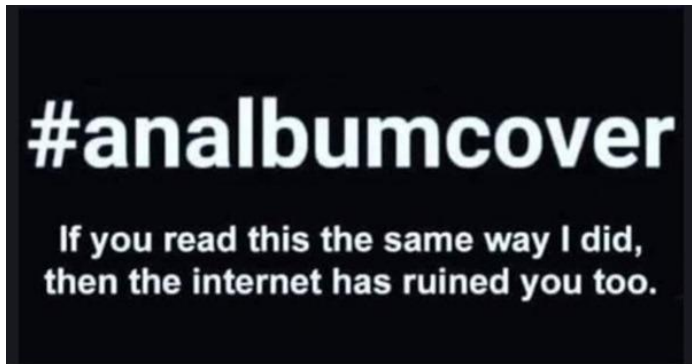
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When I offer to wash your back in the shower, all you have to say is yes or no.

Not all this "who are you and how did you get in here?" nonsense.





Reminders.....

The November monthly meeting will be at the Air Heritage Museum on Tuesday evening the 2nd of November, at 7:00 P.M.

Unofficial Saturday meetings are still gathering at Lance's Port, about 2 miles west of Chippewa on Rt 51, each Saturday at 9:00 A.M.

Officers: President Tony Pavilonis, Vice-President Dave Brunberg, Treasurer Dewey Clawson, Secretary Stan Kocuba

Board Members in addition to the current officers: Ed Campbell and Kenny Gray.

Newsletter Editor: Stan Kocuba

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