

# EAA 713 Newsletter January 2025

EAA 713 Club Officers

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<u> Happy New Year!</u>





## - Ken Foote

Happy New Year everyone! As your incoming President, I am both grateful and honored to take the helm for the coming year. The reins were in terrific condition when Mike Bond handed them to me with no pressing issues that needs attention.

The 713 Chapter is one of the most vibrant chapters I've seen and heard of, with so much deep talent that you all bring to this really terrific club. We have great members heading the board and committees, thank you to everyone who has volunteered to step up into these positions.

In the coming year, I challenge everyone by looking at what talent you possess that could benefit our club. Everyone has something to bring to the table and I ask that you do whatever you're able to do to contribute to our club, however you're able.

I want to do my part by presenting some fun ideas that I hope will add to our club, stay tuned for more details on these.

Last but not least, I look forward to a fun, safe and event filled year and I ask that you join in whenever possible. It's going to be a great year!

Thanks.

Ken



# Karl's Korner

Many new things are happening with the New Year. Excited to have Ken Foote as our new facilitator. We saw the departure of Fred and Cebe Breisch after so many years of dedicated service. Thank Bill Schneider, Tom Blake, Frank Watson, and Dave Gianakos for taking over the scholarship committee responsibilities. The chapter has supported the scholarship fund very well this past year. The matching challenge is being repeated for this new year! Every little bit adds up. The scholarship fund jar is always on display.

The Christmas celebration party was certainly enjoyable. You could see how blessed I am to have Lynn preparing food. I do like her leftovers also. See you next Tuesday and on Sunday mornings. Keep John Stephan in your prayers as he has some physical repairs being attended to in the upcoming months. Be Well, Karl

# Membership Coordinator

## -Chuck Walker

Membership News:

We gained three new members at this year's Christmas party. Monty Horst and Cesar Del Aguila are both from Powell. I'm still waiting on the application from the third individual. This past year has been a banner year, with membership now standing at a record high of 72. Dues for 2025 are now being accepted and are requested no later than March 1. You can pay Karl Lampe, our Treasurer, at a meeting or mail it to the address below.

Membership is open to all, from aviation enthusiasts to aircraft owners, pilots and builders. Annual dues are \$20 for the entire family. They can be paid at a monthly meeting or mailed to EAA Chapter 713, P.O. Box 841, Cody, WY 82414-0841. All are welcome to join our aviation community

## **YRA Board News**

## -Chuck Walker

As of the December 11 Board meeting, there were three T-hangars still available. Contact the airport administrative office if interested. Due to a recent ownership change, the FBO will become Hawthorne Aviation, comprising fuel and ramp services. The Part 141 flight school, charter flight

operations and maintenance services will continue under Choice Aviation, with Choice becoming an independent company once again. There are no physical moves anticipated at this time. Caleb Payne has been named the new General Manager of Choice Aviation



# - John Stephan

As Year 2025 is rolled out of the hangar, I would like to welcome our new board members to the team. With the change of the cockpit and the smooth transfer of power comes new, and exiting ideas for the near future of our wonderful EAA Chapter 713. This new team will build upon the already strong foundation left by Mike Bond and his outgoing flight crew. I personally have very much enjoyed working alongside with this past year's board members and I thank you. John W Stephan

Let's make 2025 a great year for flying!







Tues. Jan. 14 at 6pm EAA Dinner meeting! Serving Lasagna (thanks Pam Bond)



Please bring salads and desserts! Very much appreciated!





Safety officer **Jim LaRowe** will discuss carburetor fires

# **EAA.org** homebuilders



From Charlie Becker, EAA Homebuilt Community Manager

# Rebuilders Week – Online Event **Starts January 27th**

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. To sign up for the sessions, visit **EAA Homebuilders Week** 

# <u>January 21 - 27, 2025 | EAA</u>

The topics cover something for

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everyone, whether you are just considering the idea of building an aircraft, are knee deep in a project or getting ready for test flying. EAA Homebuilders Week follows immediately after the anniversary of the founding of the Experimental Aircraft Association on January 26th, 1953.

# **★**BOARD MEETING SET FOR TUESDAY JAN 28 at 830am



## Sunday Breakfast at EAA chapter 713

## **EVERY SUNDAY**

7am at the EAA Hangar, please join us for a ★\$5 hot breakfast! Eggs to order, toast, blueberry pancakes, sausage, coffee and orange juice! The EAA community gathers each Sunday for lively discussions!



# Photos from 2024 Christmas at the Terrace! What a beautiful venue and fantastic people! And the food was absolutely spectacular!! I hope the Chapter can do this again!! Thanks for all the effort, Lynne

Lampe!



Casual Santa at the Bar!



Lynne Lampe, who prepared a beautiful and delicious buffet of appetizers, and Ted Ajax!

# **Photo requests from the Newsletter Editor**



Newsletter needs aviation photos of your adventures, mishaps, triumphs and just overall great days of flying. Please share them with EAA Chapter 713! It will make for an interesting newsletter!! Fred Breisch did such a great job of creating quizzes and promoting aviation history, I want to open that up to the whole group. If you have a picture of an airplane, historic or modern, and want to have members try to identify it, please submit that also.

Submit photos to suz.stephan.ss@gmail.com

Can anyone identify this **MYSTERY** airplane? What is it called? Who built it? Where does it live? And **most importantly**, when can the newsletter editor get a ride?





