

Chapter News

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October 2024

Chapter News—Let's Get Going!

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Our meeting this month is an FAA Wings program. The topic will be Density Altitude, a subject that we should all be very aware of. Patty Martin posted a link on our website to the program. If you participate in the Wings program, you will want to receive credit. If you don't participate in the Wings program, this is a good time to sign up and get started. The IMC/VMC program that Richard Martin puts on every second Wednesday also counts as credit for the Wings program.

November is the month that we elect new officers. This year the Secretary, (Patty Martin), who stepped in after Esther Smith passed away, and Vice President, (Bill Epperson), terms are up. I want to thank them both for the tremendous jobs they have done. Additionally, Patty has been working hard to keep up with the website, and really could use some

help from a Tech-Savvy member. So, if you're into high tech stuff, please give Patty a call.

This is also the time of year when we honor members of the chapter who have shown additional interest in the chapter and will be recognized as outstanding members. The Board could use your help here in selecting these winners. The awards will be for Outstanding Member, and Member of the Year. The last time we presented the EAA Chapter 72 LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT award, was in 2007. Members who received this recognition were Bruce McCombs, Hank Bartlett, Larry Dale, Hurstle Stidham, and Pat Halloran. If you feel there is a member that should receive this award this year, let the board know. Otherwise, this award will go unrecognized again this year.

Three years ago, we had a Chili Cook-off at our November meeting, and it was great. There were six or seven entries, and talk about good chili, WOW! So, if you think you make good chili, bring a big pot of it to the November meeting and you may win free simulator time or a cash reward. The winners will be selected by the membership.

With the holiday season fast approaching, it's time to start planning our Christmas party. As I mentioned earlier, it will be in the hangar. So, with a new heating system, new lights, and the insulation on the hangar door replaced, the hangar looks pretty good. Also, AeroLab and the MLAA have remolded the second floor with new windows, new siding, new ceiling, new support posts and much more. Overall, the hangar is starting to look like a real hangar instead of an old, dilapidated building falling down. I really hope that the membership will appreciate all the work that has gone into the building. Keep the spirit alive!

Blue skies and tailwinds,

Jim Steward

President, Bruce McCombs EAA Chapter 72

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UPCOMING EVENTS

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| • Oct. 12 | Young Eagle Rally / Coffee & Donuts | 9 am – 12 pm |
| • Oct. 16 | National EAA Sport Aviation Hall of Fame Museum Inductees | Oshkosh, WI |
| • Oct. 19 | Chapter Meeting, Jeff York on Density Altitude (wings credit) | 11 am followed by lunch |
| • Oct. 27 | Celebration of Life for Dave and Jeanne Allen, Kelly Airpark | 10 am – 2 pm |

2024 CALENDAR OF EAA CHAPTER 72 PROGRAMS

- Nov. 23 Chapter Annual Business Meeting, Board Elections, VP & Secretary
- Dec. 7, 8, or 14 Christmas Party, MLAA Hangar

YOUNG EAGLES

Volunteers,

We have another Young Eagles Rally coming up Saturday, Oct. 12th, 9AM-12PM, at the MLAA building at Meadowlake airport. Please let me know if you'll be able to come and participate, and in what capacity. The pilot brief will be at 845AM. We'll have coffee, doughnuts, and bagels in the classroom for you by 815AM. There are currently 30 children registered with 11 on the waiting list. Should be a great event!

Thank you all again for your support, and please let me know if you have any questions.

MLAA building address:
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God bless you,

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NEW BY-LAWS FOR THE CHAPTER

The Chapter 72 Board members have written new by-laws to be considered and voted on by the members at our November meeting. Please review the by-laws at the link below so you will be informed and ready to vote.

<https://acrobat.adobe.com/id/urn:aaid:sc:us:48f2fcc0-7bee-49ee-9de1-271a43f8b680>

WINGS CREDIT

For those in the FAA Wings program, click on this link to get Wings credit for the October meeting.

https://www.faasafety.gov/SPANS/event_publicregistration.aspx?eid=133065&type=1

Chapter 72 Membership Survey

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

Check if interested in any of these positions:

- Vice President
- Secretary
- Web Editor
- Event Planner

Chapter 72 desires to provide interesting and informative topics for our monthly general meetings. Please help by suggesting any topics and/or speakers you would like to see at the 2025 General Meetings:

Chili Cook-off Contest for November Meeting

The chapter meeting on November 16 will be followed by lunch with a Chili Cook-off. Members are encouraged to bring their best home-made chili. Prizes to be awarded are your choice of:

- 3 hours of free simulator time in the Redbird FMX simulator or \$75.00 cash, first place;
- 2 hours of free simulator time in the Redbird simulator or \$50.00 cash, second place;
- 1 hour of free simulator time in the Redbird simulator or \$25.00 cash, third place.

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Celebration of life for Dave & Jeanne Allen



Please join our family and friends in remembrance of Dave & Jeanne on Sunday, 27 October 2024
Celebration of life will be held at the home/hangar of Dave & Jeanne. Food, beverages and memories will be shared.
24686 Kolstad Loop, Elbert, CO 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

Main course to be provided. Any, and all sides/deserts are greatly appreciated.

Please RSVP by 20 October in order to determine main course catering needs and seating. Contact Jim Allen regarding any questions at 602-585-2023.

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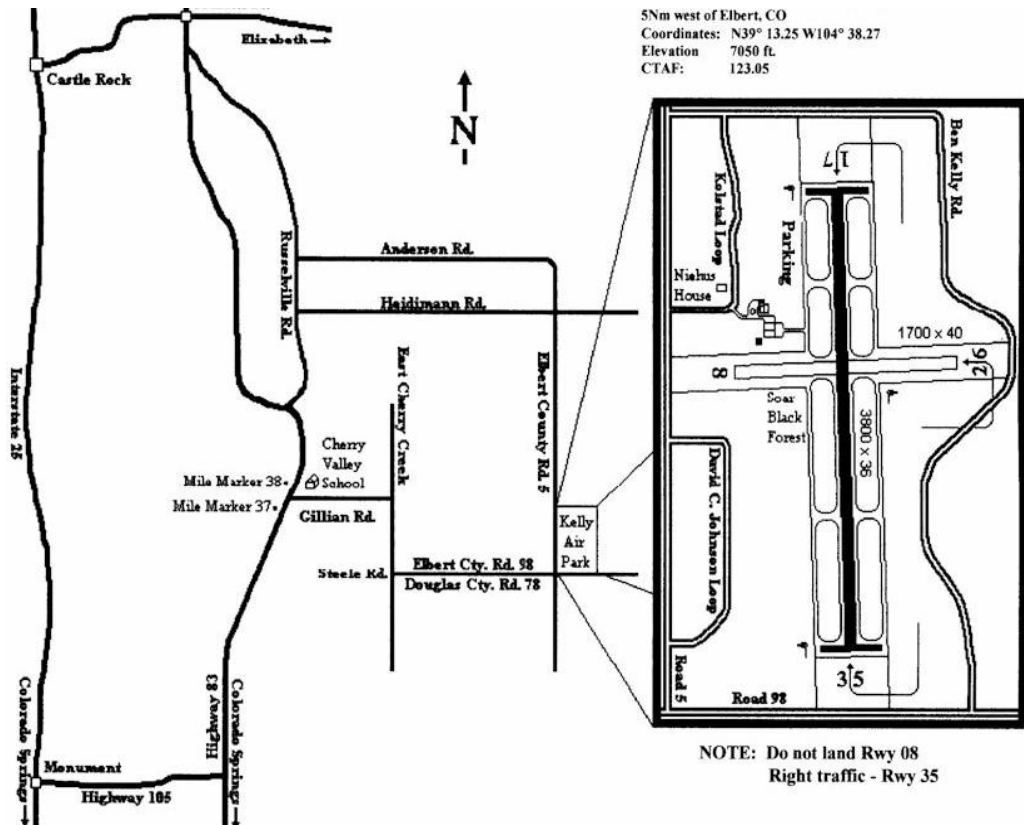
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If you are flying in, call Kelly Air Park Unicom 123.05 Mhz for field advisory. Ground personal will be available to assist you. Please bring your own tie-downs. Here is a driving map. The Home/Hangar address is 24686 Kolstad Loop, Elbert, CO 80106. There will be plenty of aircraft and auto parking available.

“NO STRAIGHT IN APPROACHES PERMITTED”

For more Airpark information contact:

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Chapter Financials

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these EAA Chapter 72
members!*

EAA BRUCE MCCOMBS CHAPTER 72 TREASURER'S REPORT

As of 10/01/2024

<u>Date</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Amount</u>
09/30/2024	Checking Balance	\$5,573.51
09/30/2024	Scholarship Account	\$9476.46
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Chapter Meeting

Date: Oct. 19, 2024

Topic: Density Altitude, Jeff York, FAA Fast Team, Wings credit, followed by lunch

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About our Chapter

The Bruce McCombs EAA Chapter 72 meets at Meadow Lake Airport. Meetings are held on 3rd Saturday of each month with a breakfast or lunch. Look for the calendar of events to highlight special chapter activities like Young Eagle Rallies, fly-outs, and other chapter sponsored events.

The Chapter Newsletter is published monthly, normally emailed, and available on the website a few days before each meeting. Readers are encouraged to contribute articles, photos, etc. by submitting them to the Newsletter Editor by the first Saturday of each month.

Annual membership is \$35 or 3 years for \$90 . Send to: Membership chairman Greg Wolff, 19773 Kenshaw Ct. Monument, CO 80132.

Make check payable to EAA Chapter 72 or pay on-line at <https://chapters.eaa.org/eaa72>. Get involved with fellow pilots and builders.