August 2018

Chapter 732



August 19th Meeting

Arkansas Air & Millitary Museum
Drake Field (KFYV)
1:00 Food
2:00 Meeting
Bring a side dish

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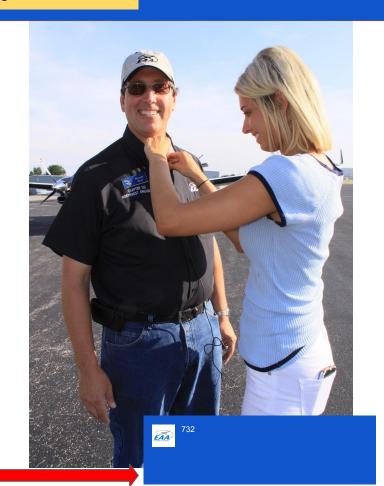
A Note From Randy

Well, Oshkosh 2018 came and went in a hurry. It seems like it only lasted a day or two even though we were there for the entire week. Already looking forward to 2019! Camp Scholler was very full this year. They even rented another property and filled it as well. It may be interesting the next few years to see what happens with the camping situation. I look forward to hearing from those that attended Oshkosh and hear about their experiences at the meeting.

At least the temps have relaxed a bit from what they were in July even if the next two weeks looks like a steady dose of rain. Our next meeting will be back at the Air Museum on Sunday the 19th. Food at 1:00 with the meeting at 2:00. The Daughty's will be providing sub sandwiches. Please bring a dish to share.

Randy

MEMBERS DON'T FORGET TO WEAR YOUR NAMETAG!!!





Chapter picture at the Brown Arch – 732 members Gerald Resh, Jim and Joan Wimberly, Jodie Johnson and Randy Resh. Notice the chapter banner front and (almost) center!

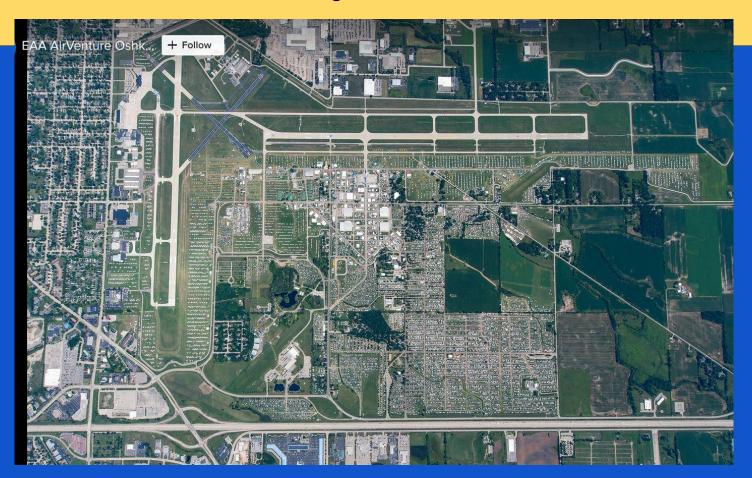


How many EAA 732 chapter members can you find in this Women Venture photo?



The 732 group that camped together in Camp Scholler. L-R, Dollie Resh, Deb Hewlitt (Randy's Sister), Gerald Resh, Lewis Hewlitt (Randy's Brother-in-law), Randy Resh, Jim and Joan Wimberly, David and Junelle Moore, Eli and Toria (the Moore's Grandkids), Elizabeth Resh, Martha and Noli Molina.

Overall view of the grounds at Oshkosh 2018



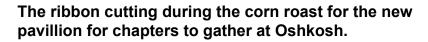
Oshkosh Highlights



A Local Connection to Oshkosh









The Women Venture Photo session was lucky enough to have a special visitor, Jack J. Pelton.

Oshkosh Leadership Breakfast



Girls Flying-About



Jodie Johnson getting a ride on a trike at Oshkosh!



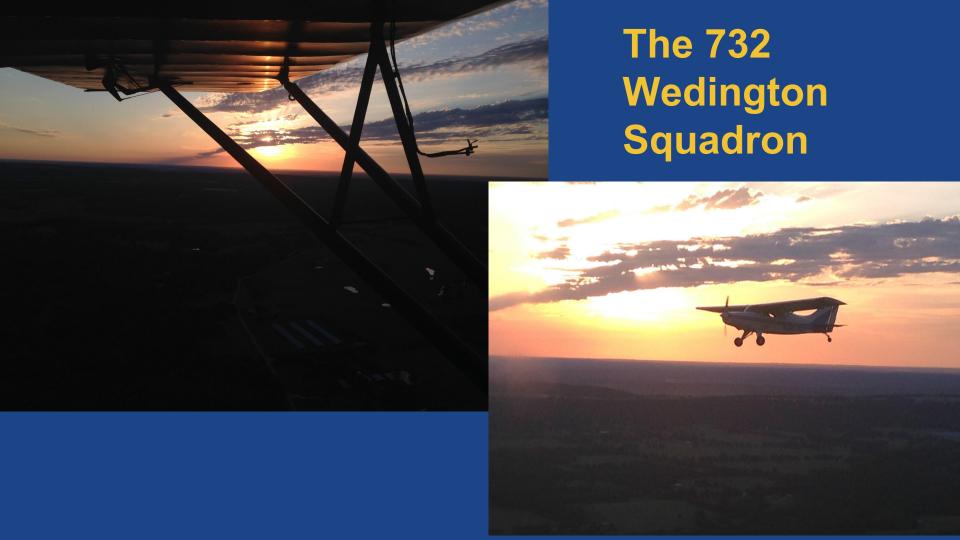
What a great feeling to fly with someone who can teach you how to find Wedington Woods and where to make the turns needed to land without incident. Not to mentioin how to get out of a tight spot with a turn out through a valley! Thanks Elizabeth!

N750SB Project Update Submitted by Steve Bray



Since my last newsletter update, most of my time has been spent on getting the cowling modified to fit well. I haven't had experience working with fiberglass before, so there was a lot of trial and error involved. The largest effort was reworking the nose so the top and bottom halves align in front. I also created more of a "chin" so the cutouts for the gearbox and mount are covered up. I used a combination of fiberglass cloth and resin, 2 part foam, and Bondo filler to get the shape. I also fiberglassed around where I had cut and lifted the air-scoop to better match the profile of the airbox. It is by no means perfect, but it will do until it needs to be prepped for painting down the road. The halves are held together with a piano hinge, which you can see in the 2nd photo. I now have 1389 hours logged on the project.





Open Hanger Days in Mexico, Missouri

Anyone interested in building a Zenith (or Sams) aircraft should plan on attending the Open Hangar Days Sep 21-22 2018 at the Zenith factory in Mexico, Missouri (about 5 hour drive from my home in Garfield, shorter by air). Even if you are looking at something else, the major engine vendors and parts suppliers generally attend and many of the seminars are non-Zenith specific. More info at http://www.zenithair.net/



This will be the **27th annual event**, and they are planning educational and fun social (and flying) activities over two full days at the factory in Mexico, Missouri! **Fly-in or drive in for the activities!**

As in years past they'll have numerous events for builders and pilots of Zenith kit planes (as well as all aviation enthusiasts) starting on Friday, Sept. 21. They will present new seminars and workshops (to be announced), and host a Zenith banquet dinner / social for Friday evening and also a Saturday evening BBQ dinner at the factory!

July Meeting





A special thanks to all who contributed to the newsletter!

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