



EAA Chapter 732

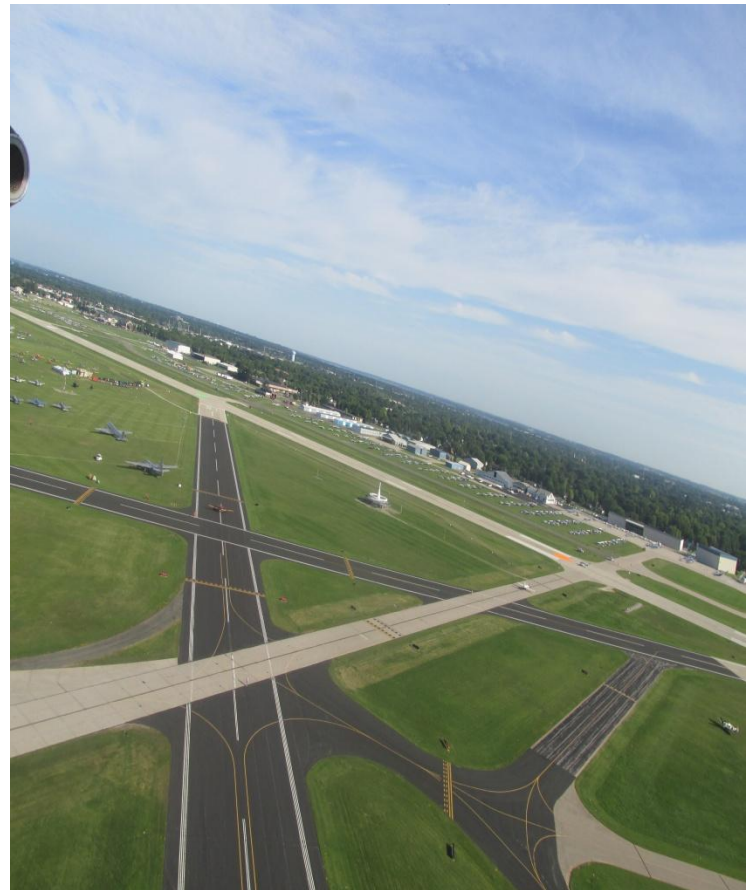
The Northwest Arkansas Chapter

January Newsletter

Happy New Year!!

Happy New Year to you and your families. Hope this year finds you well and ready to fly. The January meeting will be held on Sunday, January 17 at the Fayetteville Air and Military Museum at 2 pm.

Please bring a snack or dessert to share. Drinks will be provided by the chapter.



Cross runways at
Wittman Regional
Airport in Oshkosh, WI.

2016 Dues

The chapter dues for 2016 is due! It is \$20 for the chapter. ONLY paid members will receive notifications about the monthly meetings, the newsletter, and any other chapter events. You can pay Jodie Johnson at the next meeting or you can send it to her by mail.

Her address is: 1204 Flamingo Rd
Rogers, AR 72756.

If you are not a paid member by March, you will no longer be on the email list.





Clean up on Wedington Woods runway after the rain over Christmas weekend.

A Birthday to Remember

Submitted by: Ellen Taylor

Feeling a bit blue about the upcoming milestone birthday I was facing, my husband tried to cheer me up one afternoon and said, "Let's go flying!" Since I love to fly and the spring day was absolutely beautiful, my answer was a resounding YES! We got out our shiny polished 1954 Cessna 170B and took off into that cobalt blue sky. Flying over the lake, we "flew" down memory lane: there's the island where our boys camped out in a sailboat one weekend, and there's the grass strip where one of our friends used to live. I can still see our sons jumping up and down in excitement when we flew over their campsite right before dusk. And I have fond memories of the last cookout at our friends' hanger on that grass strip. I gazed at the deep blue lake, hills of emerald green, and those fluffy white clouds you could almost touch, but soon it was time to head back. After an (almost) perfect three point landing, we put her up and headed to dinner. Another trip down memory lane and we were eating at a place where we celebrated every one of our sons' birthdays with a "chocolate mess." My sweet husband realized he had the hanger keys still in his pocket and I said, "Let's go back, it's not that far." We had to do a bit of rearranging of aircraft, but this time we got out our silvery polished 1947 Cessna 140 (we are a two airplane kind of family)! Another flight on the same gorgeous day equaled a big bonus! This time, hubby had me take the plane for a bit, and feeling rusty at the controls, and not quite SO old, I flew for the first time in over eighteen years! It was like coming home again. As I said, I love flying. It always puts life in perspective to get above it all and see the beauty of this earth from a different point of view. Problems seem far away and it renews my spirit. It makes the hassles of being an aircraft owner all worthwhile. Especially when one is married to a husband like mine, who says, "Let's go flying!"



Ellen Taylor on her recent birthday adventure



Jim and Ellen Taylor with their Cessna 170B



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A view from Ellen Taylor's recent birthday adventure

Walker/McDaniel RV-10

Submitted by: Phyllis and Shane McDaniel

Our son-in-law, John Walker, was with us last month and the work on the RV-10 was moving along swiftly. Thanks to Alan and Brenda Smith's help, the RV-10 is now in a hanger at the Neosho airport. While John was here, the plane was moved, the wings and propeller were installed, the engine instruments were tested-corrections made-tested again (and again), and John was able to successfully start the engine on the airframe for the first time.



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Work being done on the Walker/McDaniel RV-10



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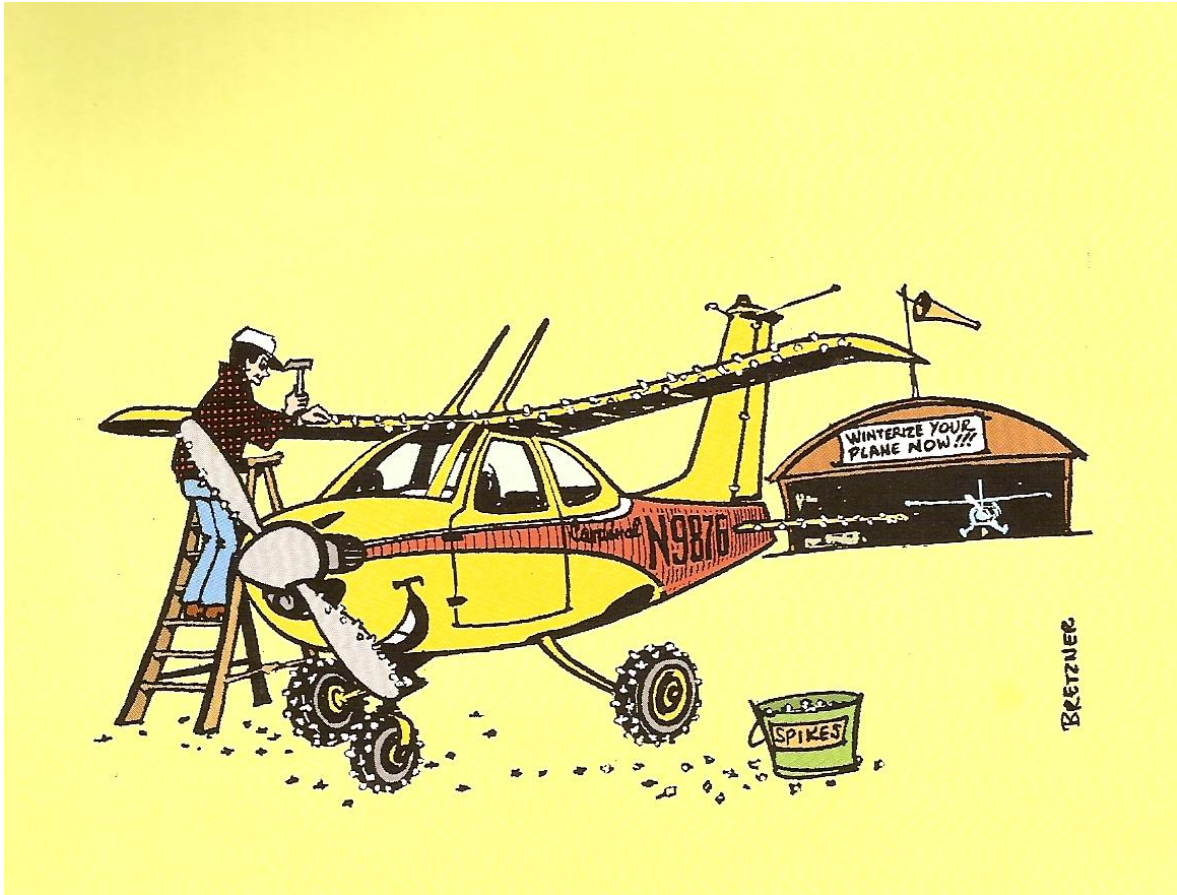
Club Opportunity

Barry West has offered the proceeds of these items to be donated to Chapter 732 EAA ,

Aerox 9 cu ft oxygen system	\$300
4 each, Sigtronics head sets, not noise cancelling each	\$50
12 hole spark plug rack	?
an abrasive spark plug cleaner with abrasive one case and 10 quarts W100 motor oil, 50 wt \$5.00/qt	\$10
Some hydraulic oil	?
a mall press, I don't know what it is for	?
compression tester	\$75
yoke mount clip board – remember those?	\$10
a 6/12/24 volt battery charger.	\$80

See these items at the next club meeting. Come and show your support of Chapter 732.

Thanks Barry!



Winterize your Plane now!!!

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