



EAA Chapter 732

The Northwest Arkansas Chapter

July 2016 Newsletter

July Meeting at TruTrak

The July meeting for EAA Chapter 732 will be held at the TruTrak Flight Systems hangar on the East side of the Springdale airport. We will be meeting on July 17 at 2 pm. Don't miss a special announcement from TruTrak!

Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. Drinks will be provided by the Chapter.



Celebrate Neosho!

On June 25, the Neosho airport held their annual Celebrate Neosho event. Some of our very own chapter members, Al and Brenda Smith and Shane and Phyllis McDaniel, hosted an evening pulled pork meal at their T hangar that evening.

Congratulations on a successful event!!!!!!



Grumman, Gurmmans, and More Grumman

At the June meeting, there was a line of Grumman on the ramp at Drake Field. No, sorry, they were not the old military Grumman, but they were Grumman AA-5s. They were having a fly-in that week and just happen to be arriving during the meeting. Below are some pictures taken by Dollie and Elizabeth Resh.





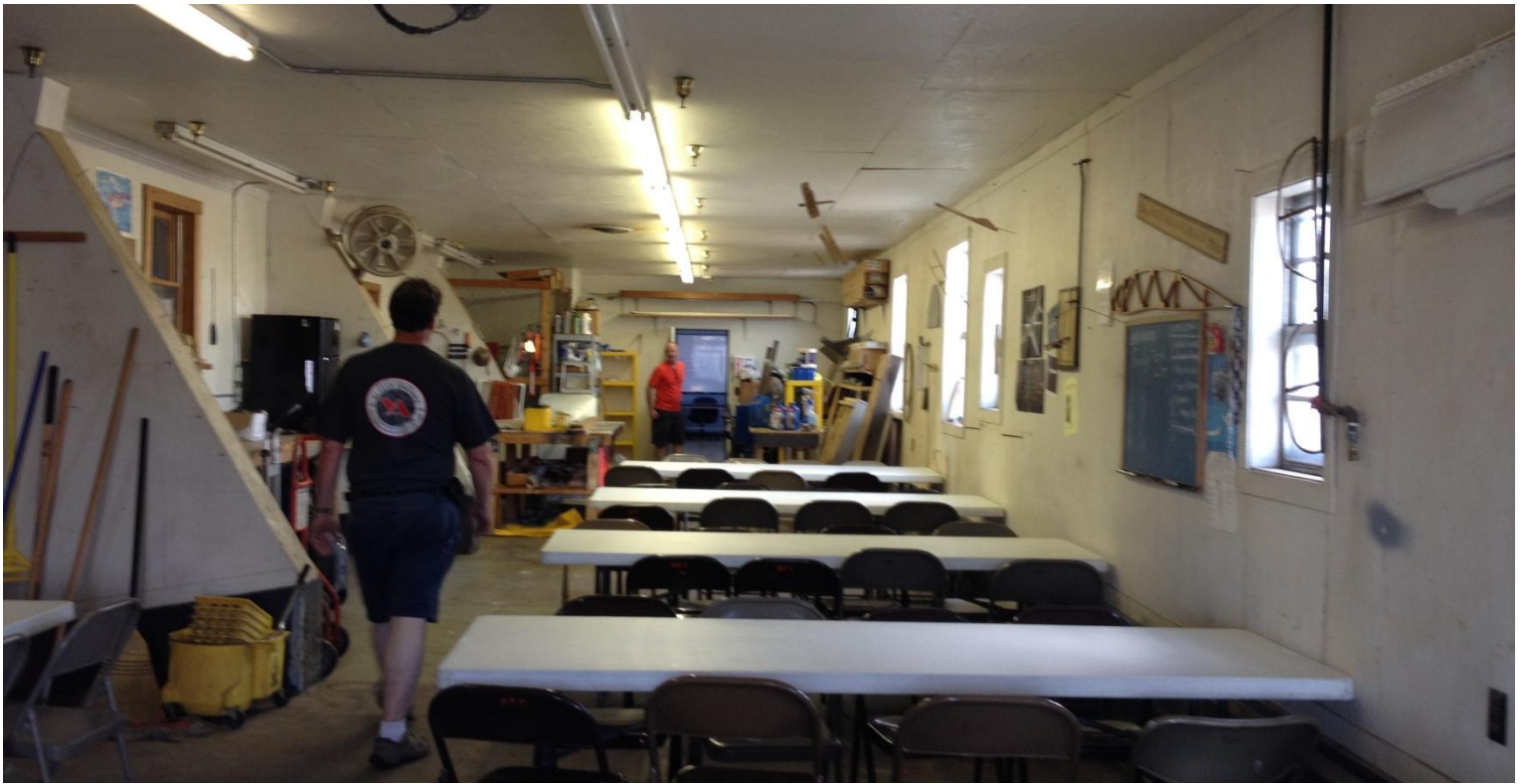








There was also an Aeronca Defender that crashed the party.



Pictures of the layout of the space we have in the back of the museum. Worked out very well.

Skyraider Project Update

Submitted by: Jim Jernigan

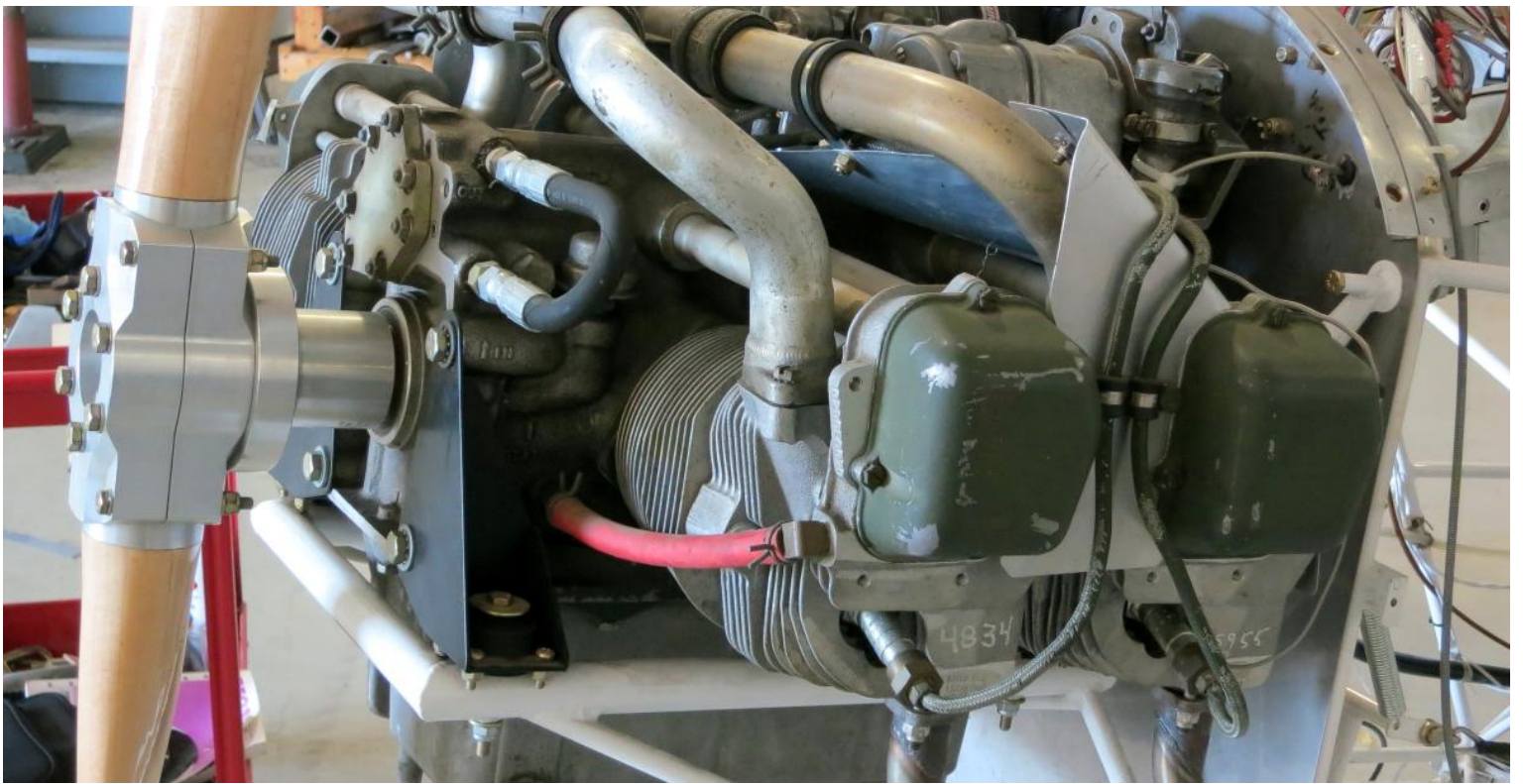
The SkyRaider is a kit, designed for the ultralight option if desired. This plane will be an LSA. Wingspan: 27', Chord: 3'10", length: 16'. My EW is 440 lbs, including projected weight of fabric and paint. The engine is an 4A084 Military Standard Engine, manufactured by Teledyne and normally shrouded and cooled by a crankshaft fan. The engine is used to power pumps and generators. Strip all the extra stuff off and you're left with what you see in the picture. Weight about 140 lbs, 39 hp, no starter, single magneto ignition, direct drive to the prop. Made to run on low grade gasoline. It is heavier than the Rotax 447, 277, or 532 two stroke engines the designer had in mind for the airplane, and I had to add weight aft to bring the CG into range. I have been working on the project off and on for nine years or so, a source of great amusement to those who have followed the project. Fabric covering has been completed using the Stewart System, and it was not nearly the horrendous ordeal I feared it would be. Prepping for paint now, latex acrylic(!), and a flight test hopefully will follow. The project is underway at Sam's Aircraft at the Springdale Airport, and anyone who is interested is most welcome to contact me and come by for a visit. I welcome any excuse to take a break from paint prep. I'd like to add that I'm immensely grateful to Sam Cordey and all those who have been so generous with their help. jimjer@cox.net
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Picture of the progress of Jim Jernigan's Skyraider



Picture of Jim Jernigan's Skyraider project



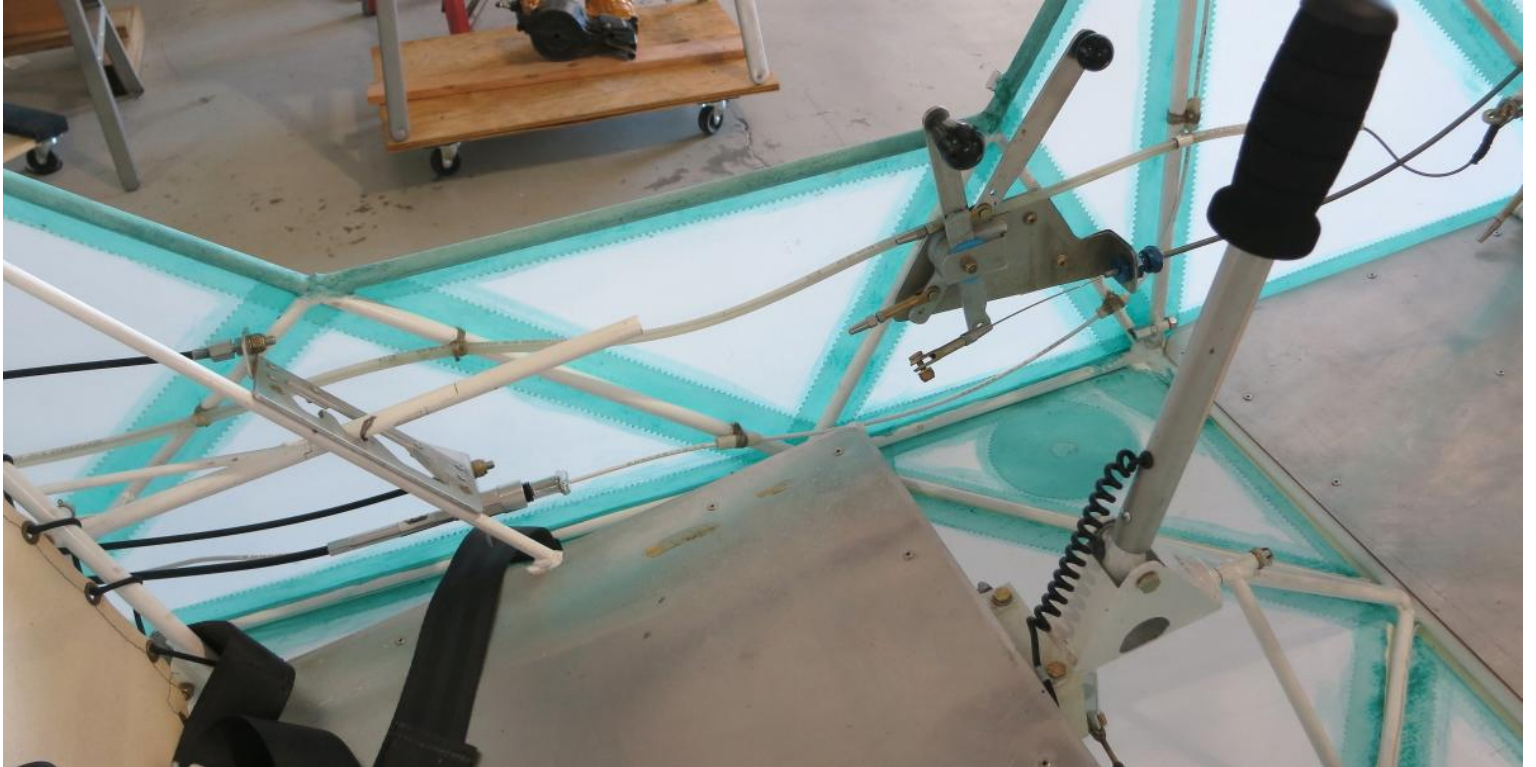
The engine on Jim's Skyraider



Progress on the Skyraider



Progress on the wings of the Skyraider



The control stick and seat in Jim Jernigan's Skyraider

Upcoming Events

All events listed are from Andy Anderson's weekly email

July 11 - ** Monday Event ** Paragould, AR – Kirk Airport (KPGR) 7:30 PM. Safety Seminar with free food provided by the Paragould Pilots' Association. Fly or drive in. Meeting in the FBO. Receive FAA WINGS Credit for this safety seminar on Weather Radar Available to Pilots. Sign up on FAASafety.gov web site. Questions contact Bob Alleman, [870-476-4949](tel:870-476-4949).

July 16 – Berryville, AR – Carroll County Airport (4M1) Fly-in or drive-in breakfast from 8:30 till 11:00am. Eggs, sausage, pancakes, juice/milk \$5.00 plates. Fuel is \$3.65 per gallon 100LL. This will be a reoccurring event the 3rd Sat of each month. For info call [870-423-8393](tel:870-423-8393) or [870-423-7854](tel:870-423-7854)

July 16 – Pine Bluff, AR – Grider Field Airport (KPBF) fly-in breakfast 3rd Saturday of every month. Our specialty is eggs anyway you want them, from fried to eggs Benedict. You should try our omelets. Come enjoy your breakfast in our WWII style Officers Club. A \$7.00 donation gets you all you can eat. Contact: Gerald @ [870-377-2728](tel:870-377-2728) or email: gwloyd@hotmail.com

July 16- Booneville, AR- Booneville Municipal Airport (4M2)-
EAA Chapter 1156 will be hosting a fly-in at 4M2 from 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.. Young Eagle flights and Eagle flights 8a.m. - 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Spot landing contest 10 a.m.- 11 a.m. with prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places. Hot dog lunch 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. (\$4.00 donation appreciated). Static displays, AirEvac Lifeteam helicopter, and lots of fun! For questions contact David at 479-806-3050.

July 23– Shell Knob, MO – Turkey Mountain Airport (MO00)
Save the date Fly-in time and menu TBD For additional information call: Judy at [417-858-6345](tel:417-858-6345); Cell 417-671-1832 **
Note CTAF 122.9 and also The Turkey Mountain Airport restaurant is being remodeled; please bear with us during the construction. During this time, we will be having the fly-in events and meals in a hangar in the plane parking area at MO00.

2016 Meeting Locations

The meeting locations for the rest of 2016 are:

August – Berryville (Carroll County Airport)

September – Pruitt

October – Wedington Woods

November – Museum

December – Museum

Young Eagles Event on 7/9/16

The Young Eagles event on July 9 was cancelled due to weather. We will be looking at a date to reschedule for later this year.



Farewell to Our Newsletter Editor

Due to the lack of response, there will no longer be a monthly newsletter published for EAA Chapter 732 UNLESS SOMEONE STEPS UP TO DO IT! Our current newsletter editor, Elizabeth Resh, is moving in August to Oklahoma to attend Southeastern Oklahoma State University. She will be studying for two majors – Professional Pilot and Business Management. Despite her efforts to recruit a replacement, no one has stepped up to take the job.

This is the last newsletter that will be published by Elizabeth. Although we are sad to see her go, we are thrilled that she is pursuing her dream of becoming a pilot.



New Meeting Notification Process

Due to the lack of a newsletter editor, beginning in August, there will be a new notification process for upcoming meetings. Our chapter President, Randy Resh, will send out an email with the date, time, and location prior to the meeting.



Chapter
President, Randy
Resh

See You There!

In two short weeks, it will time to be at Oshkosh for Airventure 2016. I hope everyone is making their final arrangements and final preparations to make the pilgrimage this year.

If you have not already done so, make plans to come attend the World's Greatest Aviation Celebration!

More information can be found at www.eaa.org/en/airventure . See you there!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!



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