

February-March-April 2021

Chapter 732



April 18th Meeting

(KFYV) East Hangers
2:00 Meeting

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EAA Chapter 732 April 2021 Gathering

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Last month we heard from Jordyn Haught with the OZ1 club. She offered a nice overview of the membership and benefits, with another option for the visit to Oshkosh.

We also heard from Deb Monger Traffic Operations Manager at XNA. She offered good insight to operations outside of and into the airport airspace.

This month we will meet and zoom our meeting with a visit to Fred Fallis RV7 project. He is located on the East side of Drake on Earnest Lancaster Drive. Hangar C-4 and ramp for open space. Some one will be at the second gate to open it until 2:00. After that follow the directions posted to the card reader at the second gate.

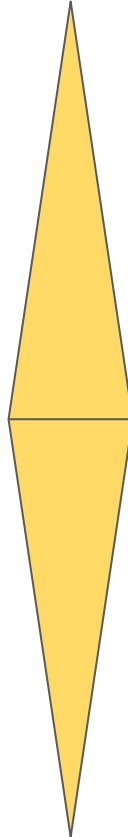
Speaking of the Drake Tower, Eric Mark Traffic Operations Director will be at the meeting to talk about Drake Tower operations.

Fred will offer an update on his RV7 project. A map to his hangar was emailed out Thursday.

I also attended an FAA FSDO FSM zoom meeting. Good safety and airport improvements for FSM. I've tried to add screen shots and/or website links for [FAA.gov](https://www.faa.gov) to USFS Prescribed Burning notices. Some have safety films and others data pertinent to flight safety. Explore and enjoy.

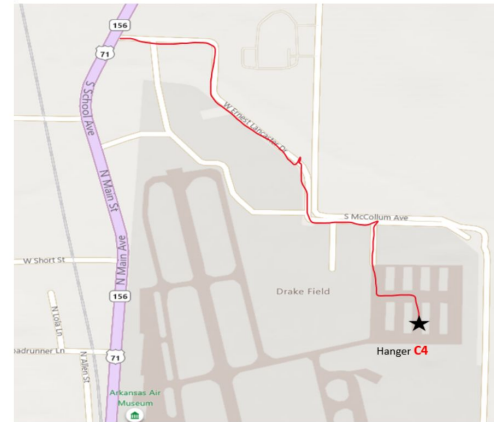
I hope to see or zoom with you Sunday.

Rick




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Well folks, we have something different this month. Instead of our usual location at the Drake terminal (still under remodel), we will get together at the hangar of Fred Fallis. We will be treated to his in-progress build. So don't go to the terminal building or air museum this time. Instead, enter via the East gate and park at hangar C4 (see map below). Someone will be at the East gate to let you in. Tables and chairs will be provided. We will also be hosting the gathering via Zoom. I will try to get the Zoom started at 1:30PM on Sunday, April 18 2021 for a 2PM start. The link for the Zoom attendees is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82835114034?pwd=WIBRUDlhQTUvQ3F4Y2o1OGltRGQwdz09>. Should be a good time. Hope to see you all there.



Steve Bray
EAA 732 Vice-President



FAASTeam Outreach

Relationships with the Aviation Community



The FAASTeam "teams up" with individuals and the aviation industry to create a unified effort against accidents and "tip" the safety culture in the right direction.

FAASTeam Members

A FAASTeam Member is anyone who makes a conscious effort to promote aviation safety and become part of the shift in safety culture.

To become a member:


- Sign-up at FAASafety.gov and take part in all it has to offer
- Pilots – participate in our new WINGS – Pilot Proficiency Program
- Mechanics – participate in the new automated AMT Awards Program
- Attend live FAASTeam webinars or events in your area

Runway Safety Action Team Educational Videos


An effort the FAA is undertaking to raise awareness and combat wrong surface errors is the new "From the Flight Deck" video series.

All videos are also available on the FAA YouTube channel. Just search "FAA From the Flight Deck."





Weather

- Controlled Burns / Forest Fires
 - arkfireinfo.org
 - PIREPs
- Fog
- Wind
- Thunderstorms



THANK YOU

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3 Times · APR 16 – APR 18

Fayetteville, AR: B-29 Doc History Restored Tour

Arkansas Air and Military Museum · Fayetteville



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Event by **Doc's Friends**

Arkansas Air and Military Museum
4290 S School Ave, Fayetteville, AR 72701 · 3.4 mi

3 Times · Apr 16, 9:00 AM – Apr 18, 4:00 PM

Tickets
www.etix.com/ticket/v/16209

Details

Doc, one of only two B-29 Superfortresses still flying, will arrive at the Arkansas Air & Military Museum Thursday, April 15, and will be on static display Friday, April 16, through Sunday, April 18. B-29 Doc Flight Experience rides will be available Saturday and Sunday, April 17 and 18.

BOOK YOUR SEAT ON B-29 DOC TODAY!

Tickets for B-29 Doc Flight Experience rides are on sale now at www.b29doc.com/rides. Rides are scheduled for 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. on April 17 and 18. Ground and flight deck tours for B-29 Doc will be available following the ride flight operations, at approximately noon on both days.

Secretary Report: EAA Chapter 732 Meeting 1/17/21

- Meeting location – Drake Field Terminal Building and Zoom app
- Members and visitors – 12 members and 1 visitor (Gary Moore) present in room with 3 members on Zoom call for a total of 16 .
- I would like to welcome our newest paid members – Jesse Haney Jr. – interested in starting a homebuilt project, Joe Golden – flies a Pietenpol, and Gary Moore – building a RV-7.
- Treasure report by Randy Doughty – There is \$1,350.71 in the bank account.
- Chapter Administration – Rick McKinney - Pres. presided over meeting. We will continue to hold meetings as we are doing now, in person and using Zoom for those that cannot attend. We hope to have a speaker from Razorback Approach control next month.
- Young Eagles by Rick McKinney – the next scheduled Young Eagle flights will be June 2021. This is dependent on COVID rules and regulations. We may have to schedule an alternative aviation activity for the Young Eagles if we cannot fly.

- Who's been Where – Dale Mitchell presented a summary of the ArkanSTOL competition held at BYRDs Adventure Center Sept. 10-13, 2020. There were 3 classes of airplanes competing, heavy, medium, and light. Dale competed in the heavy class. 26+ planes competed in the event. EAA headquarters sent one their writers to the event and had an article detailing the event in January's 2021 Sport Aviation magazine.
- Project updates – Randy Doughty showed a video of his shop where he is building a Zenith 750 Cruiser. Randy is working on mating the front and rear fuselage halves together, main landing gear brackets and cabin frame brackets.
- Chapter video – Air Venture 2021 is in the planning stages now and is scheduled for July 26 -Aug. 1st. EAA has acquired more land adjacent to the grounds and plans to move the Ultralight field there. Watched a Hints for Homebuilders video showing how to use clamps as a third hand.
- Safety – Bill Smith via Zoom talked about crosswind landings and winter flying.
- Next meeting will be held Sunday Feb.21, 2021 at the Drake Field Terminal Building and on Zoom.

Secretary Report: EAA Chapter 732 Meeting 03/21/2021

- Meeting location – Arkansas Air and Military Museum
- Members and visitors – 7 members and 4 visitors present in room with 4 members and 1 visitor on Zoom call for a total of 16.
- Treasure report by Randy Doughty – There is \$1,258.97 in the bank account.
- Chapter Administration – Rick McKinney - Pres. presided over meeting. Rick introduced Jordyn Haught who is director of the Ozark Flying Club(OZ1) based out of Bentonville airport. Jordyn talked to us about the possibility of 732 chapter members camping with the OZ1 club members at OSHKOSH this year. \$150 charge would cover breakfast, dinner, and a camping spot. You can buy just a meal ticket if you don't want to camp with the group.
- Young Eagles by Rick McKinney – the next scheduled Young Eagle flights will be June 12, 2021. This is dependent on COVID rules and regulations. We receive double the chapter points from EAA hdqtrs for each Young Eagles we fly. Rick needs more pilots to help fly these Young Eagles, please let Rick know if you can help out.
- Project updates – Fred Fallis moved his RV-9A project to a hangar at Drake Field during March and showed a few pictures of the move.

- Chapter video – Watched a Hints for Homebuilders video showing how to form aircraft plywood using the water soak method.
- Safety – Bill Smith talked about spring cleaning your airplane and practicing crosswind landings. Use the same amount of flaps for crosswind landings as you would for a non-crosswind landing.
- Debbie Monger, KNXA Tower Chief Manager – Discussed issues with pilots flying into Bentonville straying into XNA class C airspace. If you see you are going to get into XNA's class C airspace you need to be talking to XNA tower on the radio.
- Who's Been Where – Bill, Camille, and daughter flew to Kansas City and toured TWA museum. Steve Bray flew to Morrilton for an EAA Chapter 1590 Saturday breakfast. A group of chapter members flew to Byrds for the restaurant opening.
- Next meeting will be held Sunday April 18, 2021 at the Fred Fallis's hangar (C4) at Drake Field.

March 2021 Business Meeting Agenda, March 21st, 4:00 p.m.

Attending: Rick McKinney (President), Steve Bray (Vice President), Fred Fallis (Secretary), Randy Doughty (Treasurer), Randy Resh (Board Member) in person with Martha Molina (Newsletter Editor) on ZOOM

Old Business:

- Content of Chapter Gatherings - Rick
 - Is content of chapter gatherings working or do we need to make changes
 - Continue to seek aviation speakers to talk to us monthly
- Monthly Gatherings and Upcoming Events
 - April Gathering will be at Fred Fallis's hangar - send Steve a screenshot of hangar location, Rick will work with Summer or Tamra to get gate access

Ideas for increasing participation at chapter gatherings?

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 - Use Chapter blast and brochures to advertise gatherings
 - Set up a booth at Air and Military museum when the warbirds arrive in April
 - Advertise our chapter gatherings at the air and military museum by having brochures available
 - Use social media to advertise chapter gatherings and events
- Need to change message on Chapter website regarding gathering status of gatherings

Submitted by Fred Fallis

EAA Chapter 732 - Treasurer's Report

Period: 12/15/2020 – 01/14/2021

Previous Balance:	\$1,350.71
Deposits:	\$40.00
Membership Dues	
Withdrawals:	\$31.74
Name Badges	
Current Balance:	\$1,358.97



Period: 03/15/2021 – 04/11/2021

Previous Balance:	\$1,258.97
Withdrawals:	\$0.00
Current Balance:	\$1,258.97

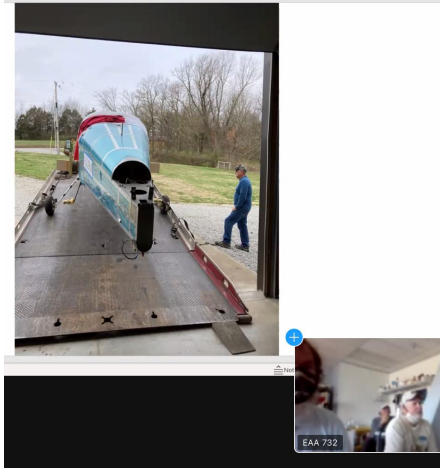
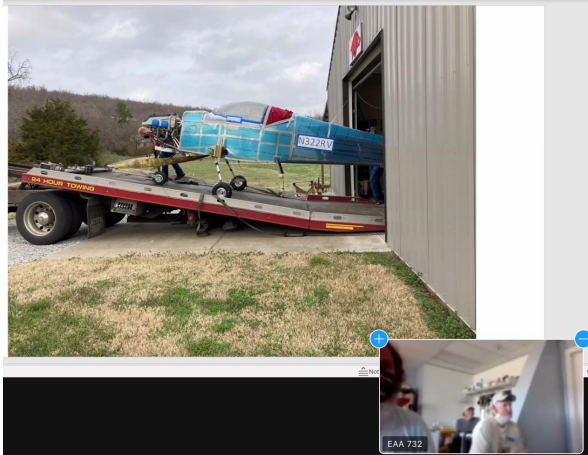
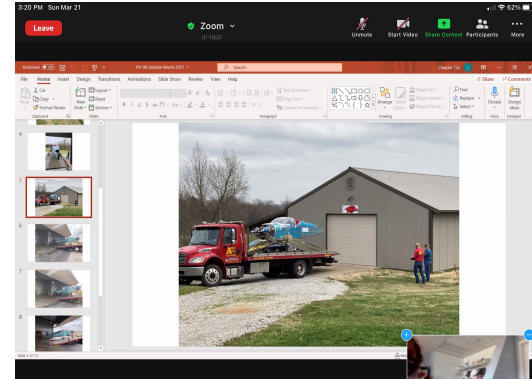
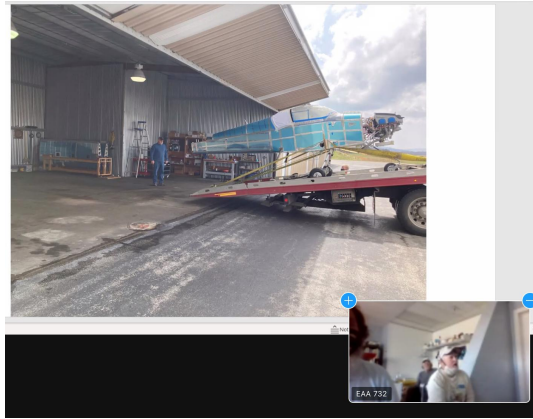
Period: 01/15/2021 – 02/14/2021

Previous Balance:	\$1,358.97
Withdrawals:	\$100.00
Monthly Meeting room rentals	
Current Balance:	\$1,258.97

Randy Doughty
EAA Chapter 732, Treasurer

Fred's RV-9A Project Update "Movin' on Up!"

Fred was kind enough to share his story of moving his plane from his home to Drake Field. Here are some photos from the March gathering of Fred's experience.



June 2021 Midwest Sonex Fly-In By Rick Wantz

2021 Midwest Sonex Fly-in -
June 5th - Fayetteville, AR -
Drake Field (KFYV) - Informal
meeting of Sonex Aircraft
builders and enthusiast. Arrivals
starting at 8:00 AM on Ramp
north of FBO. Lunch will be
served at noon and donations
requested to cover food costs.
Discounted \$5 admission to the
Arkansas Air Museum. Hosted
by EAA Chapter 732-chapter
members. For more information
contact Rick Wantz by email at
rawantz@sbcglobal.net or Frank
Klimek at flylite@cox.net

June 5th, 2021
Fayetteville, AR
Drake Field
FBO Terminal
Ramp



**Hope
to see
you!**



Hosted by EAA Chapter 732 members
Rick "NWA Wingman" Wantz Sonex 0367
Frank "Captain" Klimek Onex 090

For more information email
Rick at rawantz@sbcglobal.net
Frank at flylite@cox.net

Fayetteville Drake Field (KFYV)
4500 South School Ave, Fayetteville, AR
Ph 479-718-7642

- Enjoy meeting other Sonex Aircraft builders and enthusiasts
- Fly-in's and Drive-in's are welcome
- Arrivals starting at 8:00 am, drive-in attendees use gate south of museum
- Programs starting at 10:00 am
- Lunch served at 11:30 - Donations accepted to cover cost
- KFYV Class D CT 128.00 WX 119.575

For information on Sonex Aircraft visit
<https://www.sonexaircraft.com/>



My First Passenger

By Steve Bray



I recently flew my first passenger in my Zenith 750 Cruiser, N750SB. Yes, it was my dog, Tango. When I was building the plane, I knew we would eventually be getting a puppy. I was hoping the dog would become a traveling companion since my wife is a bit of a “white knuckle” flyer. I added a reinforcement rail between the upper and lower baggage compartments, which you can see in the photo.

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In addition to beefing up the rigidity of the baggage area, it provides a place to add attachment points to secure cargo, or in this case a leash. As a small puppy, I would familiarize Tango with the plane by letting her sit in the back with the engine off, and then with the engine started. Finally, with a stretch of good weather, and being comfortable enough with the aircraft that I felt I could manage any canine induced distractions safely, it was time. With the plane at Lost Bridge (40AR), I pre-flighted, took Tango for a short walk down the runway to do her business, and loaded her up. I tied a knot in the leash, so she had about a foot of slack from the attach point. We started out by just doing some taxi runs. Being a dog, she was very interested in watching the scenery go by in the window, but did not pull, strain, or try to hop into the passenger seat or my lap. Knowing I could review her behavior in detail later, I had the GoPro™ camera in the cockpit turned her way. Keeping my concentration on the flying, I did a normal takeoff, circled over the lake, and made an uneventful landing. Upon reviewing the footage from the GoPro™, it became apparent the while the takeoff roll got her attention, there was no panic. After we were airborne and the ride was smooth, she just looked out the window and tried to curl up and get comfortable. Next time, I'll give her a few extra inches of leash so she can relax more easily. Landing was also uneventful, except that as with the takeoff roll, the landing roll was noisy and bumpier than flight and got her looking out the window. The windows in the Cruiser baggage area are just the right height for her to sit or lie down and look out. Although she can get car sick in the truck, she did very well this first time flying. I believe the success to this point is due to having a long-term plan for training the dog, starting early, following the plan, and concentrating on flying the airplane.



EAA T-shirts and Patch for Sale



\$10



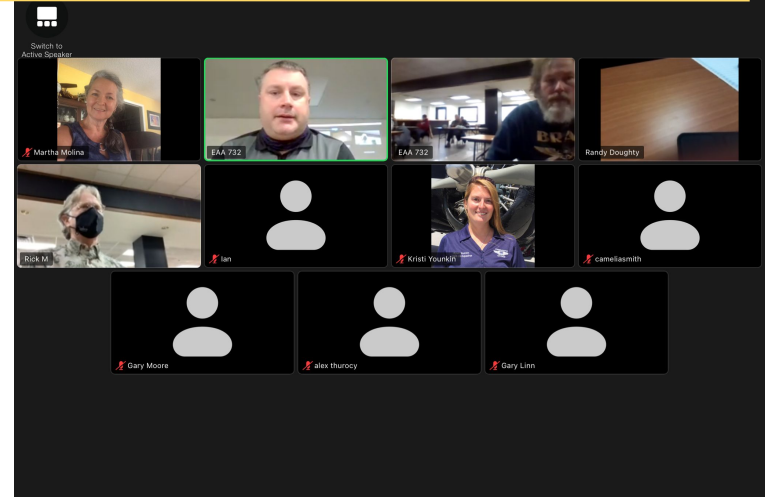
\$5

January EAA 732 meeting
featuring Steve's creative
new paint job!





February EAA 732 meeting welcomes and celebrates Matt Younkin as he shares news of his receipt of the Art Scholl Memorial Showmanship Award. Congratulations Matt!



March EAA 732 meeting featured Jordyn Haught speaking about The flying club at VBT.

2:19 PM Sun Mar 21

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SOCIAL MEMBERSHIP

- Access to OZ1 Lounge, our private hangout at VBT
- Invitation to all OZ1 events
- Own your own aircraft? Get full service fuel at VBT with a significant discount!
- VIP service from Cafe LOUISE
- Members-only drink discounts
- Monthly dues: \$60
- Monthly dues for those with a current medical certificate: \$37

I'M INTERESTED

Jordyn Haught

2:13 PM Sun Mar 21

Zoom 90%

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• \$145/hour wet

PIPER PA-18-150 SUPERCUB

- Year: 1959. Complete Cubcrafters rebuild in 2005.
- 180 HP Lycoming O-360
- Garmin GTN 650 GPS/NAV/COM/MFD
- Garmin G5
- Extended baggage
- 2000 lb gross weight
- \$125/hour wet

Jordyn Haught

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Paul Howard Poberezny

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