



EAA Chapter 732

The Northwest Arkansas Chapter

April 2016

April Meeting hosted by Jay Hale at Wedington Woods

The chapter meeting for April will be held at Wedington Woods Airpark (67AR). Jay Hale will be giving us an update on his Kitfox that he is building. He has his airplane at Wedington Woods, therefore, the meeting will be at first hangar at Wedington Woods on April 17th at 2 pm.

We will have hamburgers. Drinks will be provided by the Chapter. Please bring a desert or snack to share.



Chip Gibbon's Stearman
Taken October 2014 at
Wedington Woods.

Don't Forget Airventure Oshkosh!! July 25-31

Don't forget to order your discounted Oshkosh tickets for 2016! They are on sale until June 15!

WANTED!!!!!!

Our EAA Chapter is in need of a new newsletter editor. Our current newsletter editor, Elizabeth Resh, will be moving in August to attend college in Durant, Oklahoma at Southeastern Oklahoma State University. This means that July will be the last month we will have a newsletter if someone does not accept the position.

All the position requires is a few hours a month making the newsletter and checking emails for questions and submissions by chapter members. Basic computer knowledge is helpful.

If you have any questions about taking this position, please email Elizabeth Resh at fly4girl@gmail.com. She is more than happy to help you step into this position.



Where to Fly?

All events listed below are from Andy Anderson's email listing of events.

•**April 16 - Cookson, OK – Tenkiller Airpark (44M) – 27th Annual Wild Onions 'N Eggs Fly-in Breakfast 8:00 -10:30AM.** Fuel available on the field (cash or check – no credit cards). This is a long running event that attracts Warbirds, classics, and just about any type aircraft that flies. The location is a grass strip in very good condition right on the shore of Tenkiller Lake. The food is always good and plentiful; (The wild onions are optional.) On field overnight camping is available in the Mary Kelly Park on the east side of the runway. Jody will smoke his famous BBQ for supper around 6:00 PM on Friday for campers. Camp out on Friday and watch all the Saturday arrivals. Fuel is available with cash or check – no credit cards. Information: email: veedster@aol.com or Phone: [918-457-4774](tel:918-457-4774) Contact me for event flyer.

•**April 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).

•**April 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

•**April 16 – Cotter, AR – Valley Airport (61AR)** 8:30 – 10:00
Valley Aero Association Fly In / Open House and Breakfast. Fly-in pilot eats **FREE**. Homes and lots are for sale along with several airplanes. Tour homes and see vintage and experimental airplanes up close. Bring a friend! Take a look at our website: <http://www.thevalleyairport.com> We look forward to see you in the Valley. Contact : Ed Ludtke at 605 940 9420

•**April 22 - 24 – Golden, MO – Table Rock Airport (MO32)** Fifth Annual Golden Aerodrome Flying Circus. A three day event filled with flying, presentations, tall tales, antique engines, classic cars, arts & crafts, etc. Tent camping on the field or bring your bedroll and “camp” inside one of the buildings. Showers and restrooms are available. Saturday activities at the Flying Circus include hands on mechanical activities, flying, and food. The evenings will feature meals and live music in addition to tall tales. For more information visit: <http://www.goldenaerodrome.com/Home.php> to familiarize yourself with the proper arrival/ departure procedures & download flyer from website. Register on the website so they will have an idea of headcount for meal planning. For additional information or questions contact: Chad Smith phone: [479.685.8380](tel:479.685.8380) or email: cisolutionsllp@gmail.com
Contact me for event flyer.

• **April 23 - North Little Rock, AR – NLR Airport (KORK)** *** New Unicom / CTAF 123.075 *** EAA chapter 165 Super Breakfast by donation on the 4th Saturday every month. Starts at 8:30 and goes until everybody is stuffed. We strive to make it a Super Breakfast by having all the usual things you expect plus whatever extras we can dig up like blueberry pancakes, French toast, hash browns, fresh fruit, omelets and eggs cooked to order. Our cooks love to surprise you with something they thought up. Come hungry and leave overloaded. There is usually RV formation flying by Bulldog Flight right after breakfast, ride along or fly with them. Contact Marvin Homsley [419 360-7414](tel:419.360.7414).

•**April 23 – Warrensburg, MO – Skyhaven Airport (KRCM)** 11:00 AM – 4:00 PM Fly-in, Drive-in, Lunch & Car show. Aircraft static displays. Hosted by Alpha Eta Rho. Lunch will be \$5. If you bring a hot rod or show off your aircraft, lunch will be \$2. Proceeds will be towards <https://wingsofhope.ngo/> The airport is 4 miles west from highway 13 on Highway 50. The address is 160 NW 251 Rd, Warrensburg, MO 64093. If you need any more information, please contact Taylre Moore at the following: Number: [\(912\)-432-8153](tel:912-432-8153) Email: tsm68780@ucmo.edu Contact me for event flyer.

•**April 23 – Heber Springs, AR – Heber Springs Municipal Airport (KHBZ)** Fly-in, Hours: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM Food, Aerobatic Demonstrations, Aircraft Display, Car Show, RC Aircraft demos, craft fair, primitive camping available and motels close by. Contact information: [501-362-5354](tel:501-362-5354)

•**April 23 – Horseshoe Bend, AR – Horseshoe Bend Airport (6M2)** Fund raiser golf tournament. Fly in and play golf at Turkey Mountain, course adjacent to 6M2, carts available at pilots lounge. Three person scramble format tournament; 8:00 AM Coffee & Doughnuts; 9:00 AM Shotgun Start; Team Entry Fee \$105. For information phone [870-670-5252](tel:870-670-5252) or contact: Jim Sawica Cell- [314-799-2387](tel:314-799-2387) or Email- jjs51@sbcglobal.net



A bird's eye view of Boeing Plaza at Airventure 2015 from the control tower.

•**April 30 – Harrison, AR – Boone County Airport (KHRO)** Boone County Pilot's Day Sponsored by Boone County Airport and Fly Arkansas FBO. Practice for Spot landing contest upon arrival 8:00 – 10:00 Coffee and Doughnuts available. 1030A to 1130A - FAA Wings Seminar - Pilot Preventative Maintenance and Airworthiness. 1130A - Smoked/Cooked On-Site Lunch & Dessert from Jordan's BBQ & Catfish (**Free** for those registering in advance, registration via the FAA Wings program is appreciated for headcount or by Calling Fly Arkansas – HRO at [\(870\) 741-4510](tel:8707414510)! We just need your name(s), phone number and/or email, and tail number if you're flying in!) Price is \$10.00 per plate while supplies last to un-registered participants. Please ensure you call and cancel if you're not coming so we can get an accurate food count! 1230P - Starts the spot landing contest. 1330P - NOAA/NWS Presentation on ADS-B Weather in the Cockpit and Radar Interpretation. 1500P - Awards Ceremony & Prizes: Prizes will include **Free** Avgas, Oil Change in a Box (Filter & Case of your favorite piston oil!), **Grand Prize** for Top Rank (Combined seminar quiz & Spot Landing) is a **Stratus 2S ADS-B Receiver!** Avgas will be **\$2.99/Gal** for Participants Take as Much as you can Carry! Contact [\(870\) 741-4510](tel:8707414510). Contact me for event flyer.

•**May 6-7 - Walnut Ridge, AR – Walnut Ridge Airport (KARG)** Walnut Ridge Airport / Wings of Honor Museum 18th Annual Air Field Reunion & the airport's 74th Birthday party. Saturday **FREE** Breakfast 7 – 9:30 provided by airport in the terminal. 10:00 Safety meeting in the Museum followed by **Free BBQ lunch** noon – 12:45 for seminar attendees. Walnut Ridge was an Aviation Cadet WWII Training facility and there is a museum on the field. ARG is also the home of The Parachute Inn, a restaurant inside a retired SW Airlines 737. Contact: Walnut Ridge Regional Airport [870-886-5432](tel:8708865432) Contact me for event flyer.

•**May 7 - Horseshoe Bend, AR – Horseshoe Bend Airport (6M2)**

8:00 AM Fly in first Saturday of each month for a great breakfast at the Calabama Restaurant. Calabama is adjacent to the airport. Phone [870-670-5553](tel:870-670-5553).

•**May 7 – Ponca City, OK – Ponca City Regional Airport**

(KPNC) First Saturday breakfast. 7:00 – 10:00 AM Fantastic food; very well attended long running event. For a suggested \$7.00 donation (and well worth it) you can have pancakes, scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, potatoes, biscuits & gravy, orange juice, coffee, and fruit. Sponsored by PNC airport booster club on the first Saturday of every month rain or shine. Contact Bruce Eberle [580-761-5884](tel:580-761-5884)
ou444@yahoo.com Contact me for flyer.

•**May 11 - ** A Wednesday Event ** Cape Girardeau, MO – Cape Girardeau Regional Airport (KCGI)**

Air Show - 2016 Air Festival Gates open at 1500 Show starts at 1700. For information: [573.334.6230](tel:573.334.6230) OR YOU MAY EMAIL hseesing@cityofcape.org Contact me for event flyer

•**May 12-15, 2016 – Ozark, AR –Byrd's Backcountry Airstrip**

(Lat: 35 40' 37"N Long: 93 43' 59"W) Eleventh annual Spring Fly-in. 2 grass runways along the Mulberry River in Arkansas. Beautiful scenery in remote setting. New riverfront restaurant, cabins, RV hookups, under-wing camping, and large restroom with hot showers. On the web @ <http://www.byrdsadventurecenter.com/activities/fly.html> Phone contact: [479-667-4066](tel:479-667-4066)

If you are not on Andy Anderson's email list, email him at andya@diamondcity.net.



The Wedington Group at Byrd's Adventure Center in Ozark, AR. They will be hosting a fly-in May 13-15.

ARKANSAS AIR AND MILITARY MUSEUM

presents

AIRPORT DAY

SATURDAY May 21, 2016

At Fayetteville Executive Airport

4290 S. School Ave

\$10.00 Adults

\$5.00 children 6-12

Ages 5 and under FREE

All admissions include:

FREE Pancake breakfast from 8:30 until 10:30

FREE Hotdog or Hamburger lunch from 11:00-1:00



All admissions include:

3 Museum buildings

Parachute Demonstrations



Weather permitting and for an additional fee:

AIRPLANE RIDES

For more information call the museum at 479-521-4947

Airport Day takes place rain or shine

EAA Chapter 732 Home

In January, our President, Randy Resh, tasked a few volunteers to scout our possible places for a permanent home for EAA Chapter 732. That group came back in February with a good place. The Arkansas Air and Military Museum in Fayetteville, Arkansas, on Drake Field is going to allow us to use part of their space in the back of the museum to be the permanent home of EAA 732.

Part of the agreement with the Museum is that our chapter will need to help with their Airport Day. Our first opportunity is on May 21. We will also have a work day to help the Museum move some of their stuff to give us room to have our things. More details to come on the work day; however, the flyer for the Airport Day is on the previous page.

Thank you very much to the Arkansas Air and Military Museum for allowing us to use some of their space. This is a great joint venture that will benefit both organizations and promote aviation.

Thank you Arkansas Air and Military Museum for allowing us to have the March meeting at the museum at the last minute!!!





A view of the space the EAA Chapter will be allowed to use.

Airventure 2016

Only four months left to plan your trip to Airventure 2016. Tickets are now on sale. An adult weekly ticket is \$118 or \$30 for an adult daily ticket. Non-members can purchase tickets for \$45 a day. Weekly admission tickets are only available for EAA members. These prices last until **June 15**. You can find a full list of prices at <https://www.eaa.org/en/airventure/ea-airventure-tickets> .

Do not forget to purchase your camping or parking tickets as well. Camping is \$27 a night with a three night minimum payment and parking is \$10 a day or \$60 for the week. Camping is only open to EAA members.

If you are not an EAA member, the dues for the national organization is \$40 a year and gives you great benefits at Airventure and many other places too! You can register online at <https://www.eaa.org/ea/join-eaa/individual> .

Dates for Airventure 2016 are July 25-31. Be sure to mark your calendars!!!!!!

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