

Newsletter of Chapter 75

Quad-Cities of Illinois and Iowa, USA

September 2012

THE EXPERIMENTAL AIRCRAFT ASSOCIATION



From The Desk of the President

The summer meetings – potluck noon meetings have "flown" by in a flash. Thanks to all who helped at the June, July and August events. It is always additional work for those who host these activities and bring these events together. The membership looks forward to these events and appreciates those who volunteer to host them.

We have had three "First Saturday Donuts and Coffee" events at various hangars with great participation by our members and visitors. We will not be holding a "Coffee & Donuts" event in September as it is going to be a busy month, including the Davenport Airport Airshow on the first weekend in September. However, in October we will be going to the Geneseo Airport with Robert Johnson as our host sharing his RV-8 project.

On September 8th we will again be doing a workshop for the girl scouts – Girl Scout's Aviation Take Flight Program". This will be held from 8:00A.M. until Noon at the Davenport Airport. This event takes several volunteers from our membership, so please call

me to volunteer. The Girl Scout's director felt it was a great success last year, and these are our potential future.

We will be hosting a "Young Eagles" event at the Clinton Airport on Saturday, September 22nd from 12 -Noon to 5:00 P.M. Please call Cinda Beert if you can fly or help at this event. Some of the girl scouts from the September 8th workshop will be in Clinton for a ride.

On Monday, August 27th I visited the Clinton Airport. The American Barnstormer Tour was there with their vintage aircraft, dressed in their period clothes. This is truly an assembly of highly polished aircraft, with care to every detail in their restoration and upkeep. They have many interesting stories to tell. Some of the pilots were giving rides. Just sitting and listening to those round engines start is like when "a fine symphony starts up". They are truly rare time machines.

We have five new members who have joined over the past month. Their names are listed elsewhere under new members in the newsletter. Please introduce yourself when you see them at the meeting and welcome them

The September board meeting will begin at 6:00 P.M. Board members, please make every effort to attend. Everyone is welcome to attend the board meeting, especially if you have items you would like to bring to the board.

We have programs scheduled for all the meetings throughout the rest of the year. However, if you have a program in mind, let our newsletter editor, Marty Santic or myself know. It will soon be 2013, and we will be looking for programs for those meetings.

Happy Flying - Jim

Next Meeting - September 8th - 7 PM - Tim Busch - Iowa Flight Training

Deere Wiman Carriage House — 817 11th Avenue Moline, Illinois (click for a Map)

September 8th Chapter Meeting

The September chapter meeting will be held on **Saturday**, **September 8 at 7PM**. It will be held at the Deere-Wiman Carriage House, located at 817 11th Avenue in Moline, IL.

This month's meeting will feature a presentation by Tim Busch. He is from Cedar Rapids, is a Master Certified Flight Instructor. Owner, Manager & Chief Flight Instructor at Iowa Flight Training, Acquisition Manager at Rockwell Collins in Cedar Rapids, President of the Iowa Aviation Promotion Group. Hope to see you at the meeting!! Bring a friend!!!

Keith Williams Moves the RV-12 to the Moline Airport

Keith Williams sent the attached photos and hopes to have another RV-12 flying by the end of September!!



Dave Johnson and Ron Ehrecke (above), Keith, Looking at All Before the Move (below)





On the Road!!



Ron and Dave - Looking Good!!



The Proud Owner!

Many Attended the August Chapter Potluck at the Clinton Airport

A very good time was had by all at the August potluck lunch at the Clinton Airport!! Many flew in. A good crowd for the last potluck lunch of the summer season. Remember, the next meeting will be at the Deere Wiman Center in Moline!!















Last Potluck of the Season at Clinton

















The Barnstormer's Tour at the Clinton Airport

The American Barnstormers Tour, a nostalgic salute to the barnstormers who ventured across America during the 1920s seeking fame and fortune in their biplanes, was in Clinton, IA at the Clinton Airport, August 27 for three days.

Warren Brecheisen commented. I flew down to Clinton today to see the Barnstormer tour airplanes. I talked for a while with one of their pilots. It looked like they were all having a good time. I had hoped to see some Chapter 75 folks but no one was around. After having a look at the airplanes, I came home. It gave me a good excuse to fly.

Galen Johnson was there also and sent a note. Went to Clinton this afternoon. Bought a ride with my daughter and grandson in the New Standard D25 flown by Ted Davis of Brodhead, WI. Timed it so we were on the flight that went on a tour of the town to advertise the event and the flour bombing run. (And I have the T-shirt.) Other planes giving rides were busy too and a lot of interested by-standers.

Wore my best airplane shirt and a hat full of name tags. The Barnstormers crew were happy to see a local EAA, MAAC, or whatever because they know the word is getting out and struck up conversations with the pilots-- even some I didn't know. Tell your friends and family and get them out there. Great PR for aviation.

Talked to Mike Nass and Mike was very happy with the crowd size. Overall the event was a success.











More Photos - The Barnstormer's Tour at the Clinton Airport

















Ed Old's Zenith 750 Project Status

(from Edward Olds)

Here are a few shots of my project. It is a Zenith 750 kit, using a Jabiru 3300 engine and Dynon Skyview panel. I've got 1200 hours into it as of this past week and have to finish installing doors, rear struts, and the wing control surfaces (which are already built) and a wt. and bal. We are finishing up at KSFY and hope to be in the air by end of Sept. I know, 90% done, 90% to go!

The cowling is done and the engine has been run.







Tom Shelton's New Acquisition - A GoPro Camera (from Tom Shelton)

The first picture taken with a new GoPro camera (Father's Day gift from my daughter) mounted temporarily in the top of the Cub. I've shot some video that is awesome but I don't know how to share those files yet. When I do I'll send one for the newsletter.

A VERY NEAT PHOTO!! Can't wait for the videos.

WELCOME CHAPTER 75'S NEWEST MEMBERS!!

Chapter 75 would like to pass a WARM WELCOME to our newest members.

Edward Olds III from Mt. Carroll, IL. Ed is flying a Cessna Cardinal and is building a GBY Look Alike. **Jeffery Kromer** from Mt. Carroll, IL. Jeff is building a Pober Jr Ace and is flying a '48 Vagabond.



Gary Guffey also from Mt. Carroll, IL. Gary is flying a Flight Design CTSW. Gayle Lande from Davenport, IA. Gayle is flying a Cessna Cardinal. Micheal Hackwith who resides in Oshkosh, WI. Micheal joined after visiting the Repair Barn at Oshkosh. And Bill Craig who is taking advantage of a trial membership in the EAA and our chapter.

WELCOME ALL! DO NOT BE SHY!!

A REMINDER - EAA Air Academy Scholarships Nominee's Needed

(from Gina Gore)

Chapter 75 is now recruiting for the 2013 summer EAA Air Academy camp. The academy provides an atmosphere where mature students become totally immersed in the world of flight. Ground instruction and introductory recreation flight experiences highlight this action-packed camp. It combines "in-the-air" and "on-the-ground" hands-on activities. The scholarship program encourages, recognizes and supports excellence among EAA members.

Scholarships help outstanding students who demonstrate a strong aviation desire to accomplish their goals. To be considered you should be well rounded, involved in school and community activities, as well as aviation. Academic records should show that you can successfully complete the educational activity for which you are applying. This is a full 100% funded 501 (3) (c) scholarship invested through the Moline Foundation valued from \$680-\$1100 per participant which annually provides tuition of one or more EAA Air Academy scholarships at any level for up to 2-3 youth to attend the EAA Air Academy Session for one week during the summer months. Our chapter has a passion for flying and mentoring the next generation and this endowed scholarship was established to benefit youth who have an interest in aerospace and flight.

To qualify: You must live within the Quad Cities of Illinois, Iowa or outlying areas; ages 14-18 years old; 2.8 minimum GPA, and applicant must have completed a Young Eagle Flight and be an EAA member. The recipient(s) are required to volunteer for 2 chapter events and present a power point presentation for the chapter members in the fall of the year attended to share their experiences with the group. Recipients are responsible for their own transportation to and from the academy.

To learn more about this scholarship, contact Gina Gore, EAA Air Academy Advisor at 563-940-6273 or gore gina@yahoo.com.

To schedule a Young Eagle flight which will qualify the applicant for a free EAA student membership contact Cinda Beert, our EAA Chapter 75 Young Eagles Coordinator at 563-505-9988, or cheert@mchsi.com.

The deadline for submission is September 30, 2012.









Photos - Chapter 75's 50th at OSH

(from Bonnie Ruder)









Internet Links from our Readers

If you click on the links, you should see the articles.

Cy Galley - <u>Dean Maupin and Don Grundstrom</u> with Fran Riley on KWQC.

John Bender - Flying Over America - An amazing YouTube video featuring the beauty of America.

Adam Santic - Tuskegee Airman LTC Julius Jackson jumps with the United States Army Golden Knights. Julius Jackson, 91, became the oldest person to jump with the US Army Golden Knights.

Marty Santic - The <u>JetLev Waterpack</u> - A different way to fly.

Adam Santic - Don't know if you saw this **EAA 2012 Recap Video** from LiveAirShowTV. I think it was their first trip there, filming it.

Pete Anderson - <u>FREE University Level Courses</u> - Frre couses from some of the most prestigious colleges in the country.

Mike Nightingale - Even if you are not into this you might want to pass this treasure trove on to others who are.

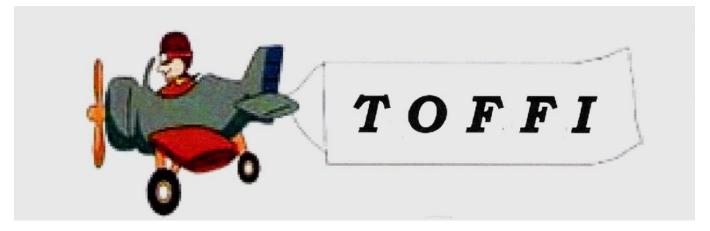
Aviation Pioneers
World War I Aces
Hall of Fame of the Air

WW2 European Theater (ETO)
WW2 Pacific Theater (PTO)
WW2 US Marine Corps
WW2 US Navy Aces
WW2 Mediterranean (MTO)
WW2 German Aces

Korean War Aces
Russian Aces
Vietnam Era Aces
Airplanes
World War I Planes
1930s Aircraft photos

WW2 Fighters
WW2 Bombers
WW2 German Planes
WW2 Airplane Pictures

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THE OLD FOGEYS FLY-IN

Honoring Pilots Aged 65 and older

All others are welcome Saturday, September 15, 2012 Whiteside County Airport (SQI) Rock Falls, Illinois Barbeque and Beans Lunch From 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM \$5.00 Free Will Donation

Come swap stories & lies about flying back in "the good old days".

Award for oldest pilot to fly in.

The Bar-B-Q is to sustain you.

The beans are to assure that you have plenty of gas for the trip home.

AOPA Air Safety Institute Seminar





New for 2012: Flying for a Lifetime

A bit of trivia: Every cell in the human body is replaced at least once every ten years. You are, quite literally, not the same person you were a decade ago. You're also (less literally) not the same pilot. Experience, physical stamina, risk tolerance and mental acuity all shift over the years. Question is, how do you adjust? Our latest seminar delves into the forces that shape us as pilots, and explores different ways to maintain the same high level of safety.

October 9, 2012 7-9 PM Quad Cities Intl Airport-John Deere Global Aviation Services

Call Tim Leinbach at (309) 781-9585 (Text or Phone), e-mail at tlmt@qconline.com or go to www.eaa75.com for Info

Local Calendar of Events (Click on the Links)

(Link to the Iowa DOT Office of Aviation Calendar) (Link to the EAA Calendar)

Saturdays thru December

EAA 563 Mt. Hawley Airport, Peoria, IL Breakfast, Fly, drive, or walk. 8a-9:30a. Pancakes, Eggs, Sausage, Coffee, Juice, and Good Times and Hangar talk.

Friday's in September

Clinton Airport Friday Night Supper 5pm-7pm

September 1-2, 2012

Quad City Air Show - Davenport Municipal Airport 563-285-7469

E-mail: info@quadcityairshow.com Website: www.quadcityairshow.com

September 3-9, 2012

Galesburg, Illinois (KGBG), <u>41st Annual National</u> <u>Stearman Fly-in</u>

September 6, 2012

Stearmans Over Geneseo' lunch at the Geneseo airport (3G8), 11am to 1pm.

September 8, 2012

Geneseo Trains, Planes, and Automobile show is Saturday, September 8th in downtown Geneseo, early morning til around 2pm.

Chapter 622 Annual Fly-in / Drive-in breakfast and aircraft display at KDNV in Danville, IL.

EAA Chapter 75 Monthly Meeting - 7pm Deere-Wiman Center, Moline, IL

Girl Scout's Aviation Take Flight Program". This will be held from 8:00A.M. until Noon at the Davenport Airport.

September 9, 2012

Fly-In Breakfast. Ogle County Airport, Mt. Morris, IL. 7:00 am - 12:00 noon. "Best Breakfast in the Midwest" http://oglecountyairport.com

September 14-16, 2012

Jacksonville, Illinois: Jacksonville Municipal Airport (KIJX), Midwest Ercoupe Fly-In

September 14-16, 2012

Litchfield, Illinois: Litchfield (3LF),East of the Mississippi StarDuster Fly-in

September 15, 2012

Fly Iowa 2012 - at the Atlantic Municipal Airport http://www.flyiowa.org/

September 15-16, 2012

Jacksonville, Illinois: Jacksonville Airport (IJX), Midwest Stinson Fly In

September 21-22, 2012

Southeast Iowa Airshow in Burlington, Iowa

https://sites.google.com/site/seiowaairshow/ 6:30pm to 9:00pm. First Ever SE Iowa Night Show on Friday Evening. 11:30am to 3:30pm Saturday. Traditional Day Show Featuring: Jeff Skiles with his Cabin Waco, Worlds Only 100% Ethanol Powered Team and more

September 22, 2012

"Young Eagles" event at the Clinton Airport. from 12-Noon to 5:00 P.M. Please call Cinda Beert if you can fly or help at this event

September 29, 2012

World's Best Brat Competition Fly-In, Wisconsin Aviation, Watertown, WI. 12:00 Noon - 6:00 PM 3rd annual Wisconsin Brat Competition Fly-In. Taste over 36 different types of Wisconsin brats and enjoy live music and family entertainment. If you enjoy brat, don't miss this event with over 1,200 attendance in 2011. http://www.worldsbestbrats.com



Moving Map

Send event information on those activities that would interest the membership. Will be delighted to include any information on aviation related activities, fly-in breakfasts, etc. e-Mail your information to marty.santic@gmail.com

Upcoming Aviation Seminar - Save the Date - October 9th

(from Tim Leinbach)

All fellow members, pilots, family and friends. I will be having the next big aviation seminar at the John Deere aviation hanger at the Quad City International Airport in Moline, Illinois on Tuesday, October 9th, 2012 beginning at 7 pm. Everyone is invited. Please bring anyone you know that is interested in aviation. This will be a great event. So, save the date. When I have further information I will be passing it along.

Tim Leinbach CFII/FAA Safety Team Representative

Chapter 75 2012 Program Schedule

Remember to put the dates on your calendar!!

September 8th - Tim Busch - Iowa Flight Training **October 13th** - EAA Scholarship Recipients **November 10th** - Jeff Skiles - EAA Oshkosh **December 8th** - Christmas Party Pot Luck

LOOKING for YOUR ideas for the programs in 2013. A thought would be fine, then, I'll try to find a presenter or location. Send me a note, marty.santic@gmail.com

Classified Ads

DAR Services: Amateur Built/Light Sport Airworthiness Certification Inspections, Ferry Permits (Certified and Experimental), Replace lost/damaged Airworthiness Certificates (Certified and Experimental). Call Ross Carbiener (A&P) at 309-738-9391.

For Sale: Share for sale in the Cessna 152 based at DVN. \$1000.00 Contact Terry Crouch at 563-370-6126.

For Sale: 1966 PA-28-140 (150hp) 2793 TT, 646 SMOH, King 170B Nav/Com with VOR/LOC Indicator, Narco AT 150 Transponder with encoder, new battery at 8/16/2011 annual, all AD's complied with, recent vac pump replaced, complete logs, hangared at EZI since 1991. Contact Jim Love (309)368-3339.

For Sale: Battery pack and connector cable for a Bose Series II headset for sale. \$30. Bob Kuhns, Geneseo IL (309) 945-5746

For Sale: Jepp Shades, flip up IFR training "glasses", with protective carrying bag, works well with headsets, \$30 value, \$5; also one Flightcom headset with cloth covers over liquid/jell ear pads, \$40. Ray Holland <u>563-359-0450</u>.

Partners WANTED: Looking for other pilots to buy an LSA to be located at Geneseo, IL. Bob Nash. 309 -944-2212.

For Sale: KING COMMERCIAL COURSE DVD's, Compete DVD set with study guide and a DVD of the Oral Test questions also. \$100 obo. and Garmin 90 GPS w/ Americas database. Complete with yoke mount, remote antenna and power cables, etc. \$50 obo. Also have an O2 tank w/ canula's ... like new. Call me. Frank Sundrum 850-819-1666

For Sale: One share in the Four Seven Jays Flying Club. The club plane is an extremely well maintained 180HP 1973 Cessna 172M hangared at MLI. The following avionics were installed in 2010: Garmin GMA-340 Audio Panel/ICS/Marker Garmin GNS-430W WAAS GPS Garmin GI-106A CDI #1 Garmin 496 Handheld GPS. Qualified candidates must have a minimum of 100 hours as PIC. Moving - Must sell - Price Drastically Reduced to \$1,490 OBO! Was \$2900 2 months ago, \$1995 1 month ago! . For more info contact Chris Dufour (309) 236-9286

IFR SAFETY Pilot WANTED: I'm brand new to the Quad Cities area (and EAA 75) and am looking for an IFR practice partner. Looking for a safety pilot for currency flights, lunch, or whatever, can fly almost any time as I'm retired, happy to reciprocate, I fly a "V" tail bonanza. Rich Qualmann. Call 309-795-1274.

HANGARS AVAILABLE: At the Davenport Airport!! Call Tom Veselga at **563-326-7783**.

To place an ad: Submit requests for aviation related For Sale or Want ads to the newsletter editor. Ads are free to Chapter 75 members. Ads from nonmembers will be run on a space available basis. Ads will be run / re-run at the newsletter Editor discretion. If we run out of room, will make some more!!

National Stearman Fly-In - Galesburg Starting Labor Day Weekend "Stearmans Over Geneseo" - Sept. 6 "Planes, Trains and Automobiles" in Geneseo - September 8th

(from Kent Johnson)

Reminding everyone of the upcoming National Stearman Fly-in at Galesburg starting Labor Day week end and especially "Stearmans Over Geneseo" lunch at the Geneseo airport (3G8) on Thursday, September 6 from 11am to 1pm.

If area pilots attending the Geneseo event are flying in, please be sure to be in a Stearman!! We have limited aircraft parking available and we need to save it for the Stearman group. If not in a Stearman, please drive to this event.

Also the Geneseo Trains, Planes, and Automobile show is Saturday, September 8th in downtown Geneseo, early morning til around 2pm.

We will have a BD-5 on display and the whole downtown will be full of antique and classic cars.

Internet Links from our Readers

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<u>History of Airplanes blog</u> <u>Nose Art</u> Postwar Jets

World War Two

WW2 Facts and Firsts

WW2 Medals

WW2 Museums

WW2 Pictures

WW2 Ships

WW2 Weapons

Dennis English - <u>A Mini Working Airport</u> - This is neat!! AMAZING!!!

Cy Galley - Landing a Champ at OSHKOSH.

From the author: I flew out to Kansas commercially, and my brother and I herded the family's 1946
Champ up to Wisconsin. It was a blast, but as you can hear in the video, things got a little bit hectic once we hit the pattern at Oshkosh.

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New Member □	Name:
Renewal	Copilot (spouse, friend, other):
Info Change	Address:
Membership dues for EAA Quad Cities Chapter 75 are \$10/year.	City: State: Zip: Phone (Home): (Work):
Make checks payable to EAA Chapter 75	(Cell): Email Address:
Mail application/renewal to: Ed Leahy 3211 South 25th Avenue Eldridge, IA 52748	EAA#: Exp Date: Pilot/A&P Ratings:
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