

# **PROPWASH**



EAA Chapter 766

March 2024

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## **Sheboygan County Memorial Airport - KSBM**

Elevation - 755.2 ft. CTAF/UNICOM - 122.7 Pattern Attitude - 1555.2 ft. Wind Indicator - Yes

Runway 4 / 22 (037 / 217 Magnetic)
Dimensions - 6800 x 100 ft.
Surface - Grooved Concrete
Traffic Pattern - Left

Runway 13 / 31 (132 / 312 Magnetic)
Dimensions - 5002 x 75 ft.
Surface - Asphalt
Traffic Pattern - Left



Airplane Maintenance Services at Sheboygan County Memorial Airport Service hours are from 8:15 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Monday through Friday. The shop number is 920-215-0092 with 24/7/365 after-hours available at 920-215-1031 by phone or text.



Please "like" EAA Chapter 766 Sheboygan Falls WI



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# **Interested in Joining EAA Chapter 766?**

If you or someone you know is interested in joining, please contact our Membership Director, Luiz Cordeiro at Icordeiro@att.net or 920-912-4617. Please click <u>HERE</u> for the application form on the membership page of the Chapter 766 website to join EAA Chapter 766.

# **EAA Chapter 766 Officers & Directors**

President – Brian Lerwick

Secretary – Kyle Hokel

Activities – Open Position

Young Eagles – Brian Lerwick

Newsletter/Web - Bruce Becker

Vice-President – Dan Miller

Treasurer – Jim Fintelmann

Membership – Luiz Cordeiro

Programs – Chris Roenitz (Interim)

AHC Representative – Tony Kolar

# **EAA Chapter 766 IMC Club**

The **IMC Club meetings** are held the 1st Monday of each month in the Aviation Heritage Center Library at 6:30 pm. Tony Kolar, CFII and Dave Rudd, IMC Club Coordinator will facilitate the meetings.

#### **EAA Chapter 766**

Meeting Minutes - Membership Meeting Monday 02/19/2024

#### **Opening**

The February membership meeting of EAA Chapter 766 was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

**Present –** 19 members present, no guests

**Approval of Minutes** –December 2023 minutes were approved by the Board. No minutes for January 2023 since no membership meeting due to annual banquet.

#### **Officers Reports**

**President – Brian Lerwick-** Called the meeting to order. Calls for reports from officers and directors in attendance.

**Vice-President – Dan Miller-** Movie night – February movie had 47 in attendance. March 9<sup>th</sup> movie will be *No Highway in the Sky.* 

**Treasurer – James Fintelmann –** Balances of 12-month CD, 6 month CD, Savings and Checking accounts presented.

Secretary - Kyle Hokel - Not present.

**Membership – Luiz Cordeiro –** 41 active members, 37 paid so far. New member, Jack Erdman welcomed back to the chapter.

Activities – Open Position – Currently looking for someone to fill this role.

**Program – Open Position –** Currently looking for someone to fill this role. Chris Roenitz continues to help with this work; however, any member can propose a program idea and coordinate it.

**Newsletter / Web – Bruce Becker -** Not present – No report. Monthly Newsletter was published and distributed.

### Young Eagles – Brian Lerwick –

March 20 - Rally for Boy Scouts 2pm – 4pm, 40 possible kids signed up

May 4 – Rally for Boy Scouts 12pm – 4pm, 40 possible kids

September 28th - Rally for Boy Scouts

SBM Activities - Matt Grenoble - Not present -No report

AHC Liaison / IMC - Tony Kolar -

IMC club meeting March 4th, 6:30pm

FAA Safety Seminar – February 19<sup>th</sup>. Future seminars scheduled for April 16<sup>th</sup>, July 16<sup>th</sup>, and October 15<sup>th</sup>.

Boy Scouts Camporee – May 3-5 100 kids camping out around the Center. Aviation Merit Badges and Young Eagle flights

Youth Aviation Adventure – September 28 – Aviation Merit Badges and Young Eagle flights.

**Member Flights –** Some members did limited flying due to the weather.

**Chapter Videogram –** Presented January and February videos from EAA headquarters.

#### Old Business / Open Issues-

Activities Director – No volunteers yet.

Program Coordinator – Chris will continue to help out

#### New Business -

- Safety Meeting Refreshments: members agreed to the chapter providing refreshments for the February 20<sup>th</sup> presentation. Suggestion made to sponsor food for one of the future safety seminars. Plan will be worked out in coordination with Flying Club, Lake Breeze Aviation and Chapter 766 for future seminars and will be presented at the March meeting.
- Scholarship Committee Looking for someone to volunteer to assist with scholarship processing.
- Wings and Wheels planning committee First planning meeting will be held Monday, February 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm.

#### Agenda for Next Meeting-

Next Meeting will be held Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> at the EAA Aviation Museum int the Batten Boardroom at 9:30 am. The monthly meeting will be followed by a tour of the museum and lunch.

#### Adjournment

Motion to adjourn – Ralph Cowin

Second - Dave Rudd

Meeting concluded at 8:00 p.m.

Minutes submitted by: Dan Miller



# Wings & Wheels 2024 Planning Begins

The EAA Chapter 766 Wings & Wheels committee began planning the Father's Day 2024 event on February 23, 2024. Chapter members and volunteers help make the event special for all attendees. A signup sheet for volunteering will be passed around at the upcoming meetings and will also be included in the newsletter. If you know of someone interested in volunteering for Wings & Wheels 2024, please have them contact Brian Lerwick for additional information.

# **Returning Member**

Jack Erdmann has returned to EAA Chapter 766 after spending time in Idaho. Some members may recall Jack was the newsletter editor for the chapter. He moved to Idaho because he is a Ministry Advocate for Mission Aviation Fellowship (MAF). Their headquarters is in Nampa, ID.

Jack has a Private Pilot license but the FAA pulled the needed Medical Certificate due to sleep apnea. He has 144 hours of flying time in several different aircraft including (mostly) Cessna 172's and was most impressed with the Cirrus SR22. He has a tailwheel endorsement and was nearing a complex endorsement. It was when he had almost completed the complex training that the FAA pulled his Medical Certificate.

Jack moved back to Wisconsin in July 2023 and still has an interest in Aviation. He is looking forward to meeting both old and new friends in the Chapter!



# **Aviation History Through Film at the AHC**

An Educational and Enlightening Journey led by instructor, Dan Miller Doors open at 6:30pm Classes begin at 7pm Cost: \$2 per night or \$20/annually, payable at first session

Screening Friday, **March 8**, 7pm, at the Aviation Heritage Center, Sheboygan County Airport, is the film **"Sink the Bismark"**. It's a Story of the monumental effort by the British Navy to track down and destroy the German battleship Bismarck in 1941. AHC Website

# Saturday Morning Hanger Talk with Coffee at the AHC

EAA Chapter 766 has "Hanger Talk" with coffee and sweets every Saturday morning from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Aviation Heritage Center. Whether you fly-in or drive, everyone is welcome.

### **Redbird FMX**

Full motion flight simulator three-axis yaw, pitch, and roll.

Contact Aviation Heritage Center of Wisconsin Simulator Manager Jay Hoogstra, CFII at 920.698.0850 or <a href="mailto:igh@excel.net">igh@excel.net</a> to discuss your simulator needs. Contact Tony Kolar, CFII at 920.698.6142 or tonyjkolar@gmail.com for additional information.

# **Aviation Heritage Center Hours**

Sunday - 11 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. / Monday - Closed / Tuesday - Closed Wednesday - 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. / Thursday - 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Friday - 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. / Saturday - 9 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.



#### **EAA AirVenture 2024**

Plans for AirVenture 2024 (July 22-28, 2024) began the day after AirVenture 2023. Free Youth Admission for ages 18 and under is supported in part by Boeing. Early Bird Discounts are available until June 15, 2024.

# Videos, Webinars and Speaker Series

Click <u>HERE</u> to view EAA **Videos**. The EAA **Speaker Series** Information can be viewed <u>HERE</u> The EAA **Webinars** can be viewed <u>HERE</u>

# **SportAviation**

Click <u>HERE</u> for EAA SportAviation - the digital monthly magazine (username and EAA number is required)

### **Become a Member of EAA**

No matter what aviation means to you, this is your year-round home for aviation! Please click <u>Here</u> to sign up.

#### **EAA Museum Hours**

Monday through Sunday: 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Closed New Year's Day, Easter Sunday, Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day. Extended opening hours are in effect during AirVenture and at other times by special arrangement. Please call the EAA Aviation Museum at 920-426-4818 with any questions.





# **Protecting Your Pilot Certificate**

The FAA and Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association (AOPA) discuss protecting your pilot certificate in the new **WINGS**-credit course ALC-1093, Cost Sharing, Time Building, and Posting on Social Media.

The first chapter of the course covers important information that pilots and aircraft owners need to know and understand regarding flying passengers and property safely and legally.

The second chapter is about time building, which is not as intuitive as cost sharing and pertains to flying to build time and experience. It explores topics like whether you can fly your airplane and be reimbursed by your company.

The third chapter covers important information that pilots and aircraft owners need to know and understand when it comes to posting on social media, holding out for compensation or hire, and what may be used as evidence should safety regulations be compromised.

Take the course at <u>bit.ly/alc-1093</u> and get **WINGS** pilot proficiency credit! *Make sure to leave us feedback after taking the exam.* 

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#### **Newsletter Submissions**

This is YOUR newsletter. Let us hear from you!

We need **YOUR** input. Send your news or original articles to the newsletter editor. Use the subject: "EAA 766 Newsletter Input". Acceptable format for photos is JPEG, TIF, GIF and PNG. Acceptable text is WORD, EXCEL and Pages. Don't waste time formatting for nice layout. Editor reserves the right to adjust photo resolution, edit text or adjust layout to meet newsletter format requirements.

Deadline for submission is the 25<sup>th</sup> of month prior to publish month. Please note: Hard copy/printed pages cannot be used.

# **Future Membership Meetings**

April 15, 2024 "Hanger Talk" with food at 6 PM and meeting at 7 PM Many 20, 2024 "Hanger Talk" with food at 6 PM and meeting at 7 PM An interesting program will follow the meetings

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