



# CANNON CREEK FLYERS

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NEWSLETTER

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August 4, 2021  
Chapter 977 meeting minutes  
Called to order: 7:18pm

President **Don Downs** called the meeting to order and led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance. There were **28** members and guests present for the meeting.

**Mel Towner, Membership - Sid Medina** is our newest member! She joined after the Young Eagles Rally and is starting flight training with Dave Holmes. Welcome to 977 Sid, and happy training!

**Ben Jones is our guest tonight. He's an ultralight enthusiast. Hope to see you again, Ben!**

**Treasurer: Mark Sires** \$19,819.58, up from last year.

There are no fly-out reports at the moment.

**Young Eagles: Becky Zoeller**  
Our last rally was a great event!  
*We had 37 flights with 47 kids*

Thank you to all of our pilots and volunteers that made it such a success!  
Our next rally is October 16. The volunteer sheet is out and ready for sign-ups. Be sure to secure your favorite volunteer spot. The weather will start to cool down (a little), and we are hoping for a better event than the last.

Thank you to **Mary Beth and Shirley** for the refreshments tonight! Sign up if you'd like to bring your favorite goodie or treat to share at the next meeting.

We are approaching the Chapter 977 election cycle and two (2) Board positions are available: President and a Director seat  
A Nominating Committee is needed! Contact Don to help us with the elections.

Our next "*Dinner and A Movie*" will be held in September, so watch for the email announcement.

**Movie Night is August 18 (3rd Wednesday). Mark your calendars!**

**Our program is a photo recap of last week's *Airventure 2021 at Oshkosh!***  
608,000 people attended during the week  
10,000+ aircraft flew in  
5,000 volunteers  
1,055 workshops  
12,000 campsites!

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Thank you to **Mark Sires, Chris Sedlak and Eric Sedlak** for all the great photos and highlights.

We didn't have our famous **50/50** drawing tonight, so bring extra \$\$ for next meeting! The drawing helps to support our chapter every month and gives the winner fuel money for your next flight! Maybe that's just this girl's hope... ;-)

Thanks for attending tonight. See you next month!  
Meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm

*Submitted by April Sedlak, Secretary*



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#### ***MONTHLY MEETING***

EAA Chapter 977 holds a monthly meeting in which all aviation enthusiasts are welcome. The meeting is held on the first Wednesday of every month. Doors open at 7PM, meeting starts promptly at 7:15PM.

Meeting location is at the permanent home of EAA Chapter 977 which is located on Cannon Creek Airpark (15FL). Our street address is 288 SW Challenger Lane, Lake City, FL, 32025



## SHORT FINAL...

**Some News** Although never a EAA 977 member, some of you may have known Bobby and Kim Capozzi. They lived at Melrose, and have hosted some good fly ins under FSACCA. Kim was perhaps one of the best breakfast cooks I have ever met. Well, Bobby sent me a flyer for some Fly In's that will be held at Marianna, FL. A bit far for us at 134nm, but I asked Bobby if what I had heard was true, that they moved from Melrose. Here is what Bobbie said: "Hi Mark. Very true, always wanted to live in an airpark and planned to do it for 5 years then find me a 100 acre hay field. Well, 20 years later we figured if that was going to happen we better get in gear. We found an airstrip for sale (only 85ac) 5FL8 and are giving this a try, we are approx 3 miles north of the Marianna airport where the flyer is for, Kim volunteered to help. They plan to do a monthly feed but not disclose the fare, last month was pancakes and this month is biscuit and gravy...but you did not hear that from me! Both Kim and I are still busy with FSAACA and RAF but really just starting to come out after the covid issue Hope all is well, Bobby" *Mark*

**OSH Follow Up** Sue and attend Airventure this year. Alas, we drove up as we had plans to do some 'road tripping' and visiting family. As for the show itself, it was very good. Attendance was, from my viewpoint, at or near records numbers. But vendor participation was off. This was evident by the rows of empty spaces in the Fly Market and Building D being repurposed for various Federal displays. But.. It still was a fantastic show. Take a close look at the attached photo of Airventure from 10,000' A bit hard to see, but it is packed with campers and aircraft! Make plans for next year! *Mark*





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Nice shot of Cameron motoring home from Williston