



EAA Ultralight Chapter 75

North Central Wisconsin Lite Flyers

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I did not know that Candy Kuhn could move so fast. This blistering display of speed was witnessed at our season's first Tuesday night fly-in. After a location swap, thirty plus pilots and guest converged at KRRL.

What turned Candy into a blur? While dining on delicious steak sandwiches prepared by chef Gary Schulz, two aircraft decided that it was mating season! A Challenger was flirting with an Aeronca and could not contain its "urges" and went into a full blown courting dance. Brett Wilke's Challenger was none-too gentle and that was all it took for Candy to spring into action. There would be none of this conjugal behavior evolving her L-16! In a split second she darted across the tarmac and separated these two mischievous airplanes. At least that's the way I saw it – sort of.

Ok, this is what really happened. A "Dust Devil" came to visit our get together. As we sat eating/ socializing in the Krueger

hanger, we noticed some debris swirling around at about two to three hundred feet. Seconds later this cyclonic rascal jumped over the T-hangars and gave us approximately five seconds of havoc, a regular fire drill.

The Wilke Challenger was getting blown around, tail first, up against the door of Joe Malsak's hangar with the Kuhn Aeronca skidding sideways. This writer was hanging onto the strut of a Rans when Candy Kuhn (and others) pulled the Aeronca out of harm's way. She is very fast for a small woman!

Damage report: We got lucky. Brett's flying machine had a few scuffs on the tail fabric and a repairable ding on a flaperon. His flight back to Wild Rose was uneventful (except for landing in the dark).

Think about this Jack LaSee (powered parachute pilot). What if you had bumped into that swirling dervish. You could have had a role in the movie, Wizard of OZ.

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meeting at JAKS Field: The experimental starting time at 10:30 was not a deterrent with 30+/- members in attendance and five aircraft on the field.

President Steve gave us a quick and interesting summary of the Kitty Hawk trip and "darn it's over" pretty much says it all. With a couple of hiccups and a round trip tailwind, twelve people in nine airplanes completed this adventure as planned.

At this time many of us know of Frank" Woof" Beagle's passing. Frank's booming voice and colorful presentations will be missed. Bill Markstrum shared some of his memories about Frank and also had a very good memorial suggestion to honor his legacy. Details are forthcoming.

You may be a Redneck pilot if.... Some of your airplane parts have John Deere reference numbers. Wisdom from Dave Meyer, "If my wings fall off, I just call it a day." Ok Dave, keep your needle in the green.

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NCWLF Treasurer Report May 2013

<i>Checking</i>		<i>Savings</i>	
<i>Balance fwd</i>	<u>\$ 2420.79</u>	<i>Balance fwd</i>	<u>\$ 66065.13</u>
<i>Checking Deposits</i>		<i>Transfer to Checking</i>	
<i>Deposits</i>	218.00	<i>Interest</i>	2.81
<i>Checking Payments</i>		<i>Savings Balance</i>	<u>\$ 66,067.94</u>
<i>Checks</i>	27.94	<i>Total Cash:</i>	<u>\$ 68,678.79</u>
<i>Checking Balance</i>	<u>\$ 2,610.85</u>		

EAA ULTRALIGHT CHAPTER 75
North Central Wisconsin Lite Flyers
Application Form for Membership and Subscription

Mail Check Payable To:
NCWLF
P.O. Box 12
Schofield, WI 54476

May we Send you an Electronic Version of the Newsletter? Yes No

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Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

EAA # _____

Type of plane you fly _____

Membership Dues Schedule

- \$ 12 May • \$ 9 August • \$ 6 November • \$ 3 February
- \$ 11 June • \$ 8 September • \$ 5 December • \$ 2 March
- \$ 10 July • \$ 7 October • \$ 4 January • \$ 1 April

Payment of dues affords me voting privileges, and a subscription to news updates.

This newsletter is a monthly publication of the North Central Wisconsin Lite Flyers and is free to all club members. Send items you would like included in the newsletter to:

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May 2013 NCWLF Meeting Minutes

The May meeting of the NCWLF was held at JAKS Field in Mosinee. The meeting time was 10:30 as an earlier meeting time was being tried. President Steve Krueger called the meeting to order with the ringing of the Bob Payzer bell. Steve shared the sad news that Frank Beagle passed away the previous week. Bill Markstrum read his obituary for the group. Frank was the announcer at the EAA ultralight flight line for 25 years. Blue skies Frank! Introductions followed. 32 people were present with 6 airplanes flying in. The treasure and secretary reports were read and accepted as read.

Steve Krueger gave a brief description of the hassle Dick Neitzel went through with the purchase of a Sky Raider kit that went bad. He then presented Jim Shnowske with a Chapter Service Award for his efforts as club Secretary. Bill Markstrum presented an idea to honor Frank Beagle at the EAA ultralight field. Steve

suggested Bill contact Tim Bogenhagen at EAA about the idea. Bill will bring an update to the next meeting. A motion to contribute up to \$100 for this was made and approved. Steve Krueger then gave a short (30 minute) report on the club Adventure trip to Kitty Hawk.

Landings for lunches is taking place this month at the Wausau Downtown Airport 10:30 – 11:30 daily. Wednesday night burger fly-outs will be to different FBOs in the area starting with the 29th of May at AUW. See the list online at the AUW website or our UL 75 website.

Tuesday night chapter fly outs are in progress. The first and third Tuesdays of the month. The schedule is on our chapter website. Some dates are open so if you want to host a Tuesday evening contact Larry Wenning.

Election of officers- Officers will maintain their positions. Chapter dues come due this month. They expired April 30th.

Project reports; Jim Kleman reports he and Larry Sperberg are really knocking out the hours on his RV-12. Ron Detert is fabric covering his Mini-Max. Tail feathers are covered. He has discovered “Invisible Gloves” to protect his hands while covering and says it works so much better than wearing the rubber or latex gloves. He is trying to work on the project every day.

\$100 dollar door prize names drawn in order were - Sarah Ford, Norb Brost, Mike Ford, Corey Grape, Richard VonLoh, and the winner in attendance was PAUL BUSS!

The next chapter meeting will be at Russ Post, Dan Marlenga and Mark Blumes “Little O’Hare” airport near Marathon city. Lunch will be at 12:30, meeting time is 1:30, Proficiency event at 3:30, chicken dinner at 6:00, bonfire and music at night. Meeting adjourned.

Next NCWLF Meeting

Our next Chapter 75 meeting is Saturday, June 15th **1:30 pm** at the Little O'Hare Summer Fly In. See flyer for addition details. Hope to see you there!

NCWLF 2013 Calendar of Events

- June 12** Flying Hamburger Social - KMFI
- June 15** Chapter Meeting, Overnight Fly-In, Little Chicago, Russ / Julie Post
- June 18** Tuesday Night Fly-In Eagle River Airport
- June 19** Flying Hamburger Social - KSTE
- June 26** Flying Hamburger Social - KISW
- July 3** Flying Hamburger Social - KMDZ
- July 9** Tuesday Night Fly-In
- July 10** Flying Hamburger Social - KA UW
- July 17** Flying Hamburger Social - KSTE
- July 20** Chapter Meeting Abbotsford
- July 23** Tuesday Night Fly-In
- July 24** Flying Hamburger Social - KAIG
- July 29** Aug 4 EAA AirVenture
- Aug 6** Tuesday Night Fly-In Harold Schauer Field of Dreams Airstrip Mosinee, Wi
- Aug 7** Flying Hamburger Social - KRRL

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Tuesday Night Fly-In Forum

Hello again to the UL75 Chapter family. We are looking forward to summer and with summer comes our Tuesday Night Fly-Ins.

Sign up quickly to host a Tuesday as they will soon fill up. The same rules as last year, if weather does not cooperate we will try again the following Tuesday.

We ask, please do not go to catering extremes, we are happy with Kool-Aid and Cookies...

Contact me to schedule your Tuesday.

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July 9 location tbd
July 23 location tbd
August 6 Harold Schauer Field of Dreams Airstrip Mosinee, Wi
August 20 location tbd
September 3 location tbd

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- Aug 20** Tuesday Night Fly-In
- Aug 11** Musky Day Bob
Payzer Memorial Fly-
In Boulder Jct Airport
- Aug 17** Chapter Meeting Wild
Rose
- Aug 14** Flying Hamburger
Social - 3WI4 Flying O
- Aug 21** Flying Hamburger
Social - KMFI
- Aug 28** Flying Hamburger
Social - KAUW
- Sept 3** Tuesday Night Fly-In
- Sept 21** Chapter meeting
Location TBD
- Oct 19** Chapter meeting
Location TBD
- Nov 16** Chapter meeting
Abbotsford
- Dec 12** Chapter meeting
Merrill Airport

*Events are preliminary and are
subject to Change*

*Updated monthly
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Frank Beagle

Frank "Woof" Beagle, 69, of Kankakee, passed away peacefully Sunday (May 12, 2013) at his home. Frank was born Nov. 27, 1943, in Portland, Ore. He served in the U.S. Navy from 1962 through 1966 and married Nancy Kaitschuk (she survives) on July 9, 1977. He was a technician at Copier Dynamics for 25 years, retiring in 2011. Frank was a proud and active sport flying enthusiast. He led ultralight aircraft safety seminars throughout the Mid-



west and served as chairman of, and announcer for the ultralight field at "AirVenture," the Oshkosh air show for 25 years. His announcing was peppered with commentary from his

vast knowledge of all aircraft and related technologies and his writing could be found in several sport aircraft publications. Frank was known for his resonant, booming voice and robust laugh. He was a member of Local EAA Chapter 990.

We will all miss you Frank. You will never be forgotten.

Frank's life story can be viewed at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FqTXdP5Q6fE>

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- ✈ 1990 Kolb Firestar 503 Rotax \$4,500 David Breger 920-410-4671
- ✈ 1947 Luscombe 8A Half interest Qualifies Light Sport S/N 5689, N2962K Continental 65 hp (A-65-8) Aluminum/blue, Cleveland brakes, New tail wheel, Skis, Sporty's A300 Transceiver, external antenna, push-to-talk, intercom. Airframe Total Time: 3164 hours. Engine: 787 SMOH. STC autogas (SA730GK, SE634GL) Current annual 6/2010 Hangered Stevens Point, WI \$8,000 Charley White 715 344-5646
- ✈ Aero Vee VW engine that appears to be 1700 CC. Needs some TLC to make it airworthy. Spring landing gear with wheels, tires and cable brakes. Tinted canopy 6' x 2' approx 18" high. Ron Lorch 715-891-7234.
- ✈ Type 8, B gear box, 2.58:1 ratio with 16.2 hours of run time. Bret Taplin 715-341-4093 btaplin@msworldnet.com
- ✈ Rotax 582 "bluehead" Ebox, Radiator, Oil Inj, Throttle & Choke Cables, Engine Mount Plate, Assembled, New, 0 hours. Michael Cole 715-423-0348 or 715-423-1128



“Landings for Lunches”

1st Annual Spot Landing Contest

All donations contributed to The Neighbor's Place



June 14, 15, 16, 2013
 15505 Short Lane Drive
 Marathon, WI 54448

Russ & Julie Post 715-443-3938
 Dan & Patty Marlenga 715-432-5990

2 grass strips
 (N 45° 01.383) (W 89° 50.101)
 Power Lines on east end
 Radio Freq 122.9
**** keep an eye out ****
 for non-radio equipped planes

Friday June 14

- Fly-in/Drive-In - Bring Your Campers and Tents

Saturday June 15

- 7:30-Fly-Out or Drive-Out For 8:00-AM BREAKFAST AT RIC COE'S HANGER WAUSAU Downtown Airport
- 1:30-EAA U1 trail light Chapter 75 Meeting/PII ot Safety Meeting
- 3:00-Proficiency Events
- 4:30-Airplane rides and balloon Launch
- 6:00-Chicken Dinner - Bring A Dish to Share
- 7:30-Campfire and Singing After Dark

Sunday June 16

- Depart anytime for home

Bring a lawn chair, a blanket, and your favorite beverage

By Car: From Wausau
 Hwy 29 West 10 miles to Marathon City.
 North on Hwy 107 6 miles to Short Lane Dr
 East on Short Lane Drive 1/4 mile

Who: Aviators of all Ages & Experience Levels
Where: Wausau Downtown Airport KAUW
When: “Daily” For The Entire Month of May
Time: between 1030-1130 daily - VFR only!
 Contact WFS for rules 715 845-3400
 taildraggerflyer@yahoo.com

www.flywausau.com

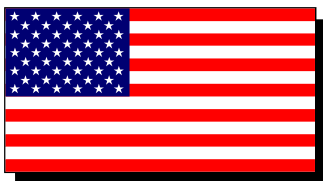
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