

### EAA CHAPTER-690 **NAV-COM**

MEETINGS 2ND FRIDAY EACH MONTH AT STONE MOUNTAIN AIRPORT—8:00 P.M.

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#### CHAPTER TOOLS AND SUPPLIES

by: Frank Wilcox

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#### EAA CHAPTER 690 TOOLS

- (1) Nicopress/cable cutter
- (2) Tensiometer 1/8 & 3/32" cable
- (3) Magneto timing light
- (4) Cylinder base wrenches
- (5) Tubing flaring tool
- (6) Tubing bending tool

#### AIRCRAFT WIRE AND CABLE:

- (1) RG 58 A/U (MIL-C-17) coax
- (2) RG 223/U (MIL-C-17) coax
- (3) 22 GA (MIL-W-5086/1-22-9 hookup wire
- (4) 18 GA (MIL-W-5086/1-18-9) hookup wire
- (5) Prestolite 119708 Ignition Cable (unshielded)

To use the tools or purchase the wire or cable, contact FRANK WILCOX, 2996 Nappa Trail, Stone Mountain, Georgia. Telephone Frank at 469-9323. Frank is just 4 miles from the airport of Annistown Road.

TOOL/PARTS CONTRIBUTIONS: See Frank Wilcox about any tools or materials that you might wish to donate to the Chapter 690 shed. 

#### HAPPENING! A MINI FLY-IN Saturday Nov. 16th

11AM until at MOORE AERIAL FBO at Winder Airport -- behind the big hangar. Bring picnic lunch, mom, the kids, your plane, lawn chairs and VISIT! Meet George Moore, see fellow EAA members, and enjoy. WE'LL SEE YOU THERE! 

#### EAA CHAPTER 690 ANNUAL

#### HOLIDAY BANQUET

Saturday, November 30th, Radisson Inn/Dunwoody. Cocktails at 6-7PM, dinner follows at 7PM. \$17.00 per person for the evening.

DINNER BUFFET includes: tenderloin tips, seafood newburg, vegetables, salads, slaw, rolls and butter, plus DESSERT table.

FEATURED GUEST SPEAKER: Ben Epps who will be bringing slides, photos, and interesting stories about his family and his own flying experiences, dating back to the "barnstorming" days of flying. DON'T MISS A MINUTE OF THIS! Make your reservations NOW with the enclosed printed coupon! 

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BANQUET

#### MINUTES 10/11/85

FROM: Henry Warner

THE MEETING was opened by Tom Ferraro at Stone Mountain Airport at 8PM. Tom asked everyone to introduce himself and tell about projects or interest in aviation. Treasurer Dick Strand reported a balance of \$1346.51 in the chapter's account. The minutes from the September meeting were read and were approved.

OLD BUSINESS -- Harold Stalcup, chairman of the 1985 nominating committee for the club officers for the next two years, reported the following nominations:

John Popps--President
John Henderson--Vice-President
Frank Wilcox-Treasurer
Ray Stoutenburg-Secretary

The nominating committee is made up of: Harold Stalcup, Charles Sego, and Earl Evans.

Nominations for outstanding chapter members to be considered for the 1985 award were Harold "Hotdog" Stalcup and John Owens.

Members were again urged to write their views on the proposed Recreational Pilots certificate with an October 24th deadline. Changes involve private pilot requirements amendments to remain current.

NEW BUSINESS: Motion was made and passed to recognize the Stone Mountain Airport Management for improvements to the airport administration and property.

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#### MINUTES 10/11/85 CONTINUED

EAA certificates awards are to be presented to: Gerald Collins and to Tom Ferraro.

Gerald Collins was appointed chairman of an aircraft project committee. Committee members are: John Popps, Frank Johnson, Tom Ferraro, and Henry Warner. the committee will make proposals for a chapter aircraft project.

TOOLS/SUPPLIES: We discussed the purchase of tools and video tapes. The membership voted to buy the following tools: (1) compression tester (2) ring compressor and (3) a high tension lead tester. John Henderson will purchase these items.

Harold Stalcup requested club support for the cost of renovating the hot dog stand. Membership voted to appropriate \$150.00.

PROGRAM: Frank Wilcox made a presentation on composite construction, use of composite materials, and cautions in the use of epoxy and fiberglass materials.

PROGRAM NOVEMBER: George Scott SUBJECT: SURVIVAL TECHNIQUES

REMINDER: Chapter 690 Annual Holiday Banquet Radisson Inn/Dunwoody, November 30th. \$17 per person. Send in registration NOW!

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## President's Message

NOVEMBER 8, 1985 ISSUE

Again, we had an outstanding meeting for October. Thanks to Frank Wilcox for the excellent presentation on working with composites. We are all very anxious to see Frank's completed Q-2 project - I'm sure it will be beautiful. With the amount of talent in our chapter, I'm sure that we can find an "expert" on most technical areas of aircraft construction and maintenance.

We are mailing our newsletter to many prospects who have visited our meetings or who have attended past events. I would like to ENCOURAGE YOU PROSPECTS to join the chapter and become a real part of the activities. EAA is a great way to enjoy many different aspects of aviation as well as make new friends.

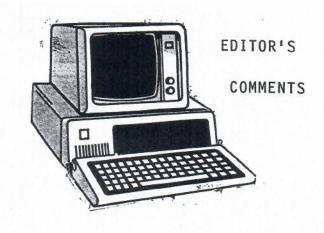
Don't forget about our Chapter 690 Annual Holiday Banquet. Send your reservations to Dick Strand by November 15th, so we can finalize the plans. Additional information as well as the reservation form is located in the newsletter. The banquet is Saturday, November 30th. Make your plans and reservations NOW!

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Our next meeting is scheduled for Friday November 8th at 8PM at Stone Mountain/Britt Memorial Airport. This month's meeting will feature election of officers and selection of Chapter 690's Achievement award recipient. George Scott will present the evening's program --guaranteed to challenge all of us on our survival skills! See you there!

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Tom



I have experienced something that I feel is super, and I want to say so NOW! The new Stone Mountain Airport management has helped create a warm and genuine neighborhood atmosphere—I went by today (Wed. Oct 30th) amid the horrible foggy, gloomy weather to check on my favorite toy plane. There was a fire in the fireplace, there was coffee on, there were friendly faces at the FBO. You've made it a really fun place for us "air heads"—WE SINCERELY THANK YOU FOLKS.

I have keenly taken in every word of our World War I ace of aces, Eddie Rickenbacker over the past week, while reading Ricken-backer's autobiography. There are many lessons to be learned, many principles to be remembered — I heartily recommend the book. It was published in 1933, but is still good reading.

I think the KC Royals have proven beyond a doubt that "winners never quit and quitters never win." As we anticipate an interesting program on SURVIVAL METHODS this month, it would be a good idea to file that thought away with the rest of the tools that we get from the program. A strong will to live has been the key to survival in many flying related SURVIVAL stories.

I am using the word processor on this newsletter -- hopefully, it will be even easier to peruse now.

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