

# EAA 908 HYLITES

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER FOR EAA CHAPTER 908  
SAINT LUCIE COUNTY, FLORIDA

## President's Corner



**Membership:** As of October 18, 2023 we have 86 members paid. 2022 we ended the year with 94 members. We will have a new program in place for yearly membership dues, payments & amounts will be announced.

If you have a friend or know of anyone interested in EAA or flying in general, invite them out to see our facility.

Mark Your calendar;

**Nov 18,2023 Safety seminar 9:30**

**Nov 18, 2023 General membership meeting 10:00**

**November 18,2023 Elections 2024**

**December 16,2023 908 Christmas party**

**Guest Speaker**



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**KFPR, east end use Taxiway**  
**Alpha or Echo to taxi lane**  
**Hotel, or progressive to "EAA**

**President's Corner** - (continued)

Notes;

★ APP self serve fuel out of service during construction in that area. This may take several months. APP is giving us discounts with the fuel service truck. They will service fuel at EAA ramp. **Check your fuel receipts to make sure your getting the proper fuel price.**

★ Nominations for next years offices of Secretary, Vice Pres, & director are;

David Johnston– Secretary.

Jack Hartery-Vice Pres.

Jerry Groendyke-Director.

Charles Gall is our nomination chairman.

Nominations were made at October's meeting.

**President's Corner** - (continued)

**Dues for 2024.** The membership dues for 2024 will be due Jan 1, 2024, \$40.00. After that due date the dues will be \$55.00. I'll keep giving reminders as the end of this year nears.



The Treasure Coast 99's has a similar program called "Lets Fly Now" for young ladies that we hosted in November 12. See page 4.



Our 908 Christmas party will be December 16th, 2023. We will supply the main dish and beverages. Bring a dessert or your best appetizers. We will have the silent auction and door prizes.

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Many thanks to those that contributed. Anyone with stories, news, trips, aircraft projects, bios of members, etc. can share it with the world through *HYLITES*, as we archive the recent issues on the web. We have not copyrighted anything in the past, but may work up something in the future. Generally,

We hosted the 99's "Lets Fly Now!" event Sunday November 12, 2023. We had 4 planes & ground volunteers from 908 and the 99's that made the event a success. We flew 33 participants.



**KFPR LET'S FLY NOW!  
EVENT**

**Discover the Joy of Flight!**  
Sun. Nov. 12th, 2023 @ 9 AM - 12 PM  
EAA 908 Clubhouse Ft. Pierce (KFPR)  
**Pilots + Volunteers needed!!!**



A cool airplane ride for the Young Eagles rally we had in October. Mike White & Matt Rolfes showing kids a good time.





A very Young Eagle having fun and those 908ers-responsible.



### Around the Patch (Mike Ketchpaw)

**Board of Directors Meetings:** The Chapter's BOD meets have been changed to the 3rd Saturday @8:00am at the clubhouse, unless otherwise noted. **Next BOD meeting Nov 18. 8:00**

**The use of the Chapter Hangar:** The procedure for scheduling use of the Chapter's hangar will be to call Mike Ketchpaw at (772) 770-9928 or 772-766-6957 in order to maintain coordinated use of the hangar. No other method is authorized.

## EAA 908 Christmas Party

Dec 16, 2023. 6:00—???

Chapter will provide the main meal and beverages.

Please bring your best appetizer or dessert.

We will have our silent auction of donated items to our Young Eagles fund.

We will also have door prizes drawings.

