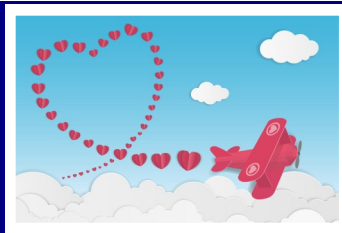


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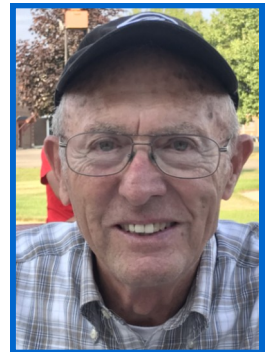
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the president's message



The club is doing well! All bills are paid and the new secretary is doing a fantastic job.— He's keeping me in line.



A **spring fly out** can happen if we start now.

Old **members** are being contacted to come home.

Speakers are being lined up now.

The **front flower bead** is ready for

someone to takeover.

Have about ten more items to talk about but want to keep this one short .

Charlie



Useful Website Links

EAA National Site <http://www.eaa.org/eea>
 Jackson County Airport <http://www.co.jackson.mi.us/232/airport>
 Solo Aviation <http://www.soloaviation.aero/>
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EAA Chapter 304 MEETINGS

February 5th

6:30 p.m. Chapter House—Town Hall Meeting by Board

March 4th

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Check out the EAA Chapter 304 Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/EAA-Chapter-304-624715834287473/>

Check out the new Website

<https://eaa304.org>



Charles Jack Boley 1937-2019

Boley, Charles Jack 1/16/1937 - 11/19/2019 Brooklyn His Legacy Charles Jack Boley, Age 82, passed away November 19, 2019. He was born on January 16, 1937, in Quincy, Michigan to Charles and Ellenor (Stafford) Boley. Jack married the love of his life, Marjory Rufner, on October 31, 1970 in Brooklyn, Michigan. Jack served honorably in the U.S. Navy for four years. He was founder of Boley Well Drilling, was a partner of Fox & Boley Well Drilling and president of the Michigan Well Driller Association. Jack also was a mechanic at Boley Brothers John Deere Tractor and Implement Store. He loved all things John Deere collecting John Deere model airplanes as well as flying his own airplane. Jack enjoyed mornings at the Napoleon Cafe drinking coffee with the other pilots and friends. He was a Michigan State Spartan fan, an avid hunter with both bow and gun, and an avid fisherman during the summer and winter. Jack loved to golf where he sponsored the Fox & Boley league for 31 years. He also once drove school buses to Alaska to deliver to a school district. He and his wife have been long time residents of Norvell where they raised their family of 8 plus. He appreciated the small things of life like sitting in his chair watching the humming birds at the feeders outside his window, watching westerns on TV, putting on an annual pig roast for family and friends and was most comfortable dressed in his wooden spoon shirt and a pair of blue jeans. Jack loved spending time with his family above all and even found room in his heart to take in children who were having trouble at home. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather and friend who will be missed by all who knew and loved him. Jack will be missed by his wife Marjory; his children, Debra (Bruce) Boley-Foley, Charles (Susan) Boley, Donna (Don McLean) Burkholder, Kimberly (Greg) Culver, Tracy (Charity) Burkholder, Steven (Kim) Boley, Nancy (Jay Bertke) Harris, Karen (Tim) Farr, 21 grandchildren, 24 great grandchildren, sister Marjorie Phillips and brother Fred (Paula) Boley and many nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his parents, granddaughter Leeah Boley and brother Donald Boley. His Farewell Jack's family and friends will gather Monday, November 25, 2019 from 10:00 am until time of service at 11:00 am at Borek Jennings Funeral Home, Braun Chapel. Pastor Stephen Samonek will officiate. Memorial contributions are suggested to the [Wounded Warrior Project](#) or Disabled Veterans of America. Please leave a message of comfort for Jack's family at 1-877-231-7900, or sign his guestbook at www.borekjennings.com.



Message from the Secretary

Greetings members!

Its been a busy first month in my new role and I wanted to share some things that the board and I have been working on. In reviewing some of the requests for meeting topics, the ones we received the most are:

How do I deal with all the legal issues of building and licensing my Homebuilt aircraft?

Is there someone who can provide some technical expertise for building our own aircraft?

Can we see more discussions on fun places to fly?

The board has listened to your requests and I will be working with them to line up some interesting speakers for the next several months. **We will be publishing this list of speakers each month in the newsletter so you can plan your attendance and perhaps bring a friend or three.** Here are the next few meetings and speakers we have so far:



February – Open meeting town hall style Greg Mears and the rest of the board will be presenting

March – Don Sekelsky from the NOAA office in Grand Rapids will be discussing how NOAA supports pilots and groups like us.

April – Don Frank from the Meridian Law center will be addressing the following topics: Aviation Insurance and Liability, Aero medical legal Issues, FAA Enforcement, Aircraft Sales and Purchases, Michigan and Federal Aviation laws. If time permits, he will also discuss his upcoming trip to Tanzania.

May – **Our original speaker needed to be moved to July so I figured we can use this meeting for Pancake breakfast planning.**

June – Chris Tieman from Mustang Aeronautics (Weather permitting) will be flying in one of his custom builds for us to look over. You can see his builds at [www. http://www.mustangaero.com/](http://www.mustangaero.com/)

July - Ron Walters from Royal Oak MI is a former aviation mechanic in the military and will speak on the topic of homebuilding. Ron has successfully built two Glasair II aircraft, and can also speak on the ins and outs of working with fiberglass

I have about 15 other requests pending and hoping we can line up some interesting speakers for you to make our meetings more enjoyable.

At our last board meeting we decided that our membership records really need updating. Please be on the lookout for an email or phone call from me. The email address I will be sending from will be secretary@eaa304.org In reviewing the email list we found several errors in emails and phone numbers, so we need to correct that. See you at our next meeting!

Greg Mears

Secretary EAA 304

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FEBRUARY 2020

2nd Ground Hog Day



5th EAA Chapter 304 Town Hall Meeting

8th Boy Scout Day; Frostbite Chili Fly In, ID2 Plymouth



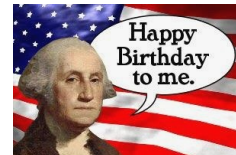
12th Abraham Lincoln's Birthday



14th Valentine's Day



18th President's Day



19th Airport Board Meeting 9 a.m. EAA304 Hanger

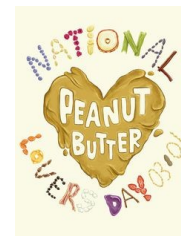
22nd George Washington's Birthday; Michigan Aviation Safety Form, EMU Student Center, Ypsilanti

29th Leap Day



2020 MARCH

1st National Peanut butter Lovers Day



4th EAA Chapter 304 Speaker Don Sekelsky from the NOAA office

17th St Patrick's Day



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20th Spring Begins



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