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President's Corner



Bruce Mundie

Thanks to Ed Kirker and Kevin Faris for hosting the annual Chapter picnic! One of many very cool events in the last month that included: Hague Howie transporting our RV-12 build and making an appearance at Burke High School's

Aviation Academy Event; teaming with Lincoln's EAA Chapter 569 for the Guardians of Freedom Airshow; Scott Pridie's excellent Young Eagle Events; Aviation STEMaha's spectacular event at the Millard Airport, chapter weekend flyouts, and the ongoing Zenith 750 STOL build continuing at Council Bluffs Airport.

These activities are only possible by excellent vision, leadership, and volunteers! That's where you might fit in! If one of these activities interests you; or if you would like to start a new activity in the chapter, we are here to support you. That being said, please consider volunteering for an EAA 80 position this Fall! President, Vice President, and mail facility manager positions are going to be open. New people, new ideas, and new leaders will help keep our chapter running smooth and healthy.

We are still looking for a project lead for the Glstar build. Let me know if you are interested.

Fall is here and Halloween is just around the corner; and so is Central Standard Time. Get out and enjoy all your chapter has to offer before it gets dark and cold!

Thanks, and fly safe!
Bruce

Miscellaneous Notes

Vice President

Bob Dyer

October 9 Major General Scott Vander Hamm will talk about his experience as an Air Force bomber pilot.

If you have any future presenter ideas, drop Bob Dyer a note.

Membership

Rich Kolkman

We had four members join the Chapter last month:

- Jeff Reynolds, Papillion
- Kyle Wilcox, Council Bluffs
- Jake Roll, Omaha
- Afshin Salemi, Omaha

Calendar of Events

Oct 9, Chapter meeting, ABLE ACE
Oct 14, Young Eagles
Nov 13, Chapter meeting
Nov 18, Young Eagles
Dec 11, Christmas Party

Young Eagles

Scott Pridie

October 14 will be our last event of the year. Three of our regular pilots are out so if anyone can help fly let me know.

Social Coordinator

Ed Kirker

Despite threats of rain that never materialized until after 5pm, approximately 40 members feasted on Brisket and Brats, home style beans, salads, veggies, and desserts. Two entries of Banana/Vanilla Wafer pudding vied for top dessert with many other excellent choices making a play for everyone's palate. Deviled eggs were a hit, disappearing rapidly. There were many other favorites to take their place leaving all with a good taste in their mouth and a full stomach! Good conversation prevailed and a total of 5 aircraft were seen on the ramp. If you missed out this year, plan on coming next year! Many thanks to those that helped set up and tear down, it is a big job and the extra help is much appreciated! Please thank Kevin Faris when you see him, he arranged our use of the equipment hangar and annually puts in some serious effort for the picnic! Thank you! Thank you! Thank you to all!

I have a serving platter, white with green trim, and a green serving spoon that are looking for their home. If these are yours, let me know at kirkers5@gmail.com

The Annual Christmas Party is coming up December 11. RSVP's will go out to members via email towards the end of the month. Hope to see you there!!

EAA Chapter 80 is classified as a Non-Profit Charitable Organization per section 501(c)3 of the Internal Revenue Code. As a result, we are eligible to receive tax-deductible contributions in accordance with Code section 170.

Your contributions will go towards such things as:

- ✓ Aviation scholarships
- ✓ Scholarships to send kids to EAA's Air Academy in Oshkosh, Wisconsin
- ✓ Helping promote Young Eagles events and rallies for the community
- ✓ Many other events that promote aviation in the Eastern Nebraska and Western Iowa region.

EAA 80 is a 100% volunteer organization, there are no paid members to the staff. Our only funding comes from chapter dues and occasional fund raising. Please visit our website eaa80.org or contact an officer to inquire about making a tax free donation.

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RV-12 Flying Club

Al Nelson and Hague Howey are interested in creating a flying club around the RV-12 project currently being built at ABLE ACE. They will be meeting at ABLE ACE at 10 am on Saturday, October 21. Stop by if you are interested. You can also contact Al at al.nelson40@yahoo.com or 402.305.3941.

EAA Chapter 80 Meeting Minutes

The Chapter picnic took the place of the monthly meeting. There are no minutes this month.

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EAA 80 MONTHLY TREASURER REPORT		
Sep-23		
EXPENSES & DEPOSITS	No Deposits in September	
	Oak View Rent	\$150.00
	Tri Motor Port o John Rental	\$256.80
ASSETS	Zenith (Book Value of Kit)	\$5,000.00
	RV 12 Project	\$13,000.00
	Glastar Project	\$25,000.00
	Shirt Inventory (est)	\$500.00
	Checking Account Balance	\$6,539.92
	Venmo Balance	\$1,575.39
	TOTAL Assets	\$51,615.31

Photos!

Miscellaneous



Above: A photo from the Lincoln Airshow

Below: Mike Stahl's progress continues. The cowl is attached and nearing completion and the canopy and structure are almost complete



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Summer Picnic!



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Young Eagles



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[The Curtiss A-1 Sweetheart](#)

Museum Webinars Series
10/10/23, 7 p.m. CDT
Chris Henry

[Leaving a Lasting Aviation Legacy](#)

10/17/23, 7 p.m. CDT
Bill Grennell and Alan Spiegel

[Weather Flying with ForeFlight: Preflight and ADS-B Weather Tips](#)

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10/18/23, 7 p.m. CDT
Bret Koebbe

[Balancing Act: Managing Energy in Flight](#)

Qualifies for FAA WINGS and AMT credit.
10/25/23, 7 p.m. CDT
Catherine Cavagnaro

[Miracle in Sioux Falls](#)

Qualifies for FAA WINGS and AMT credit.
11/1/23, 7 p.m. CST
Mike Busch

[EAA Ray Aviation Scholarship – 2024 Update](#)

11/2/23, 7 p.m. CST
Christopher Gauger

[Cloudy With A Chance of PIREPs](#)

Qualifies for FAA WINGS credit
11/08/23, 7 p.m. CST
Prof. H. Paul Shuch

[The DC-3](#)

Museum Webinars Series
11/14/23, 7 p.m. CST
Chris Henry

[Solid Edge Modeling 101](#)

11/15/23, 7 p.m. CST
Muhammad Sajjad

[Hosting a Young Eagles Rally – Advanced Best Practices](#)

11/16/23, 7 p.m. CST
David Leiting

[Three Strikes and You're Out: A Practical Strategy for Stopping the Accident Chain](#)

Qualifies for FAA WINGS credit.
11/29/23, 7 p.m. CST
Kenneth Solosky

[Deadly Switches](#)

Qualifies for FAA WINGS and AMT credit.
12/6/23, 7 p.m. CST
Mike Busch

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EAA CHAPTER 80

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