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EAA 225 Meeting *Tuesday, June 12, 2018*

Newsletter for
members and
friends of EAA
Chapter 225.

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Next Gathering:

Tuesday, June 12, 2018

Place:

Skyhaven Pilot's Lounge

Times:

Meet & Greet at 6:00pm with our

Meeting to follow at 7pm

EAA Chapter 225

*Celebrating our 40th year of aviation
community in the seacoast region sharing
aircraft building, restorations, the skies
above us. and fellowship.*

Compass Headings 2018

*6/23 15th Annual Mountain View Airfield
Fly-In or Drive-In, 10am to 4pm, at
NH31, 123 Pen Air Road, Wolfeboro,
NH. Call 603-569-9391 or
(cell) 603-520-5877 for info.*

*7/8 Spurwink Farm International Fly-In.
Join Chapter 141 EAA Members for
a PANCAKE BREAKFAST 0800 to
1100 Spurwink Farm is located at the
mouth of the Spurwink River in Cape
Elizabeth, southeast of PWM Bunk
Chase at 207-229-1077.*





EAA 225's first home-field EAA Young Eagle Rally and first chapter event of 2018 was a huge success.. The "Wings and Wheels" venue provided us with 48 kids, all of whom took to the skies. We were blessed with lots of volunteers, including our pilots: Peter Bruckner, Jeff Everett, John Ricciotti, Jamie Barnhard and Drew Gillett; and our ground & food crew: Ch. Pres. Todd Scruton, VP John's wife Pupae Ricciotti, Stevie Scott, Gerry Hanscom, Steven Richard, Scott Montesano and his daughter, and Ch 1210 Pres. Steve Welch. The warm, windy and quite humid day had a a bit of a rain shower in the middle which brought us bluer skies and less humidity. A really good day for everyone. Thank You "Wings & Wheels 2018" and all of the sponsors!

What Our Members Are Doing:

Check this out: VP John Ricciotti's first interview (copy and paste in your browser) - <http://www.wect.com/clip/14406674/b-17-bomber-turns-heads-on-tarmac-in-oak-island>

News Notes:

FAA Halts Flight Testing Of 100LL Replacements by Kate O'Connor

The FAA has temporarily halted flight testing for its Piston Aviation Fuels Initiative (PAFI) unleaded 100LL replacement fuels program while issues related to the differences between the two PAFI fuels and 100LL are being assessed, according to a progress update issued by the FAA on Monday.

(Courtesy, AvWebFlash)

Oshkosh 2018 Features

- Early jets including T-33 Shooting Stars, F-86 Sabres, and Soviet-era MiG-17
- Current military muscle will feature the E-4, C-17, C-5, F-16, KC-10, KC-135, HC-130 P/N B-1, A-10, and F-18!
- **EXPANDED!** Innovations Day, Tuesday, July 24, with unique programming and enhanced exhibits
- The Yak-110, an innovative, twin-fuselage aerobatic airplane: two Yak-55s joined together (you have to see it to believe it!)
- Year of the Tanker featuring the KC-10, KC-135, and HC-130P/N King
12 vintage Travel Air biplanes from the American Barnstormers Tour
- 1951 Bell 47 helicopter from the TV series *M.A.S.H.*
- Heritage flights including an Air Combat Command F-16 Viper demo team
- Skydiving activities scheduled for Wednesday, July 25th, include the International Skydiving Museum Eagles, Vertical Elite, and more!
- More than 10,000 airplanes and 2,500 showplanes including warbird, homebuilt, aerobatic, vintage, ultralight, and military aircraft
- Royal Air Force 100th anniversary featuring aircraft covering all eras
- World War I centennial featuring a newly restored DH.4 Liberty biplane and a rare 1915 Bleriot replica and aircraft from the Fantasy of Flight collection
- U.S. Air Force Reserve 70th anniversary
- Hatz Biplane 50th anniversary
- Acro Sport 45th anniversary
- Quicksilver 40th anniversary
- World-class air shows presented by Quest Aircraft Company and Pratt & Whitney Canada
Two night air shows with fireworks – Wednesday presented by Covington Aircraft and Saturday presented by Oshkosh Corporation
- 1,000 forums and hands-on workshops
- 900+ industry-leading exhibitors
- Delve into an aircraft's history by attending the daily Warbirds or Vintage in Review
- **EXPANDED!** Twilight Flight Fest at the Fun Fly Zone featuring EAA STOL Invitational Flying, Paradigm Aerobatic Team, 3D RC airplanes and helicopters, Patriot Parachute Team, and Red Bull Air Force skydivers
- B-29 Boeing Superfortress *Doc* returns!
- Diverse evening activities and informative programs including history-making lineups at the Theater in the Woods sponsored by M&M'S
- Blockbuster movies at the outdoor AIRBUS Fly-In Theater
- Skydiving activities scheduled for Wednesday, July 25th, include the International Skydiving Museum Eagles, Vertical Elite, and more!
- KidVenture, celebrating its 20th anniversary, where youths can experience everything from flying radio-controlled airplanes to airplane building projects
- Tour EAA founders Paul and Audrey Poberezny's legendary estate.
- More information and ticket sales coming soon!

EAA Webinars Schedule

We've announced our (October-November) that you can enjoy from the comfort of your home. EAA Webinars are free to all aviation enthusiasts, but pre-registration is recommended since space is limited to the first 1,000 registrants.

Upcoming webinars include the following topics and presenters:

Developing a Pilot's Operating Handbook for E-AB Aircraft

Wednesday, June 13 – 7 p.m. CDT

Presenter: Dick Socash | *Qualifies for FAA Wings credit.*

[Register Now >>](#)

Tips for Flying into EAA AirVenture Oshkosh 2018

Wednesday, June 20 – 7 p.m. CDT

Presenter: Fred Stadler | *Qualifies for FAA Wings credit.*

[Register Now >>](#)

Don't Shoot Yourself in the Foot

Tuesday, July 10 - 8 p.m. CDT

Presenter - Mike Busch | *Qualifies for FAA Wings and AMT credit.*

[Register Now >>](#)

Flying Club Scheduling: Challenge or Strategic Advantage?

Wednesday, July 11 - 7 p.m. CDT

Presenter - Josh Bowser

[Register Now >>](#)

Get Out Of Dodge! Preparing for Cross-Country Flight

Tuesday, July 17 - 7 p.m. CDT

Presenter - [Prof. H. Paul Shuch](#) | *Qualifies for FAA Wings credit.*

[Register Now >>](#)

What's Changed, What Hasn't

Wednesday, August 8 - 8 p.m. CDT

Presenter - Mike Busch | *Qualifies for FAA Wings and AMT credit.*

[Register Now >>](#)

164 Years of Glider Homebuilding and Future Glider Amateur-Building

Wednesday, August 15 - 7 p.m. CDT

Presenter - Murry Rozansky

[Register Now >>](#)

Plan, Fly and Log With iFlightPlanner

Wednesday, 8/22/18, 7 p.m. CDT

Presenter - Andy Matthews | *Qualifies for FAA Wings credit.*

[Register Now >>](#)

[Register today](#) for these upcoming free webinars!

Audio speakers and a broadband Internet connection are required to participate in the webinars. Visit the [webinars page](#) for more information about EAA's Webinars.

EAA gratefully acknowledges the support of [Aircraft Spruce and Specialty Co.](#) for their generous sponsorship of our webinar programs.

News Notes (continued):

The FAA is continuing to develop and expand its Offshore Precipitation Capability (OPC) system, which uses machine learning and image processing to estimate precipitation intensity and echo top heights in areas where Next Generation Radar (NEXRAD) is not available. (Courtesy AvWebFlash)

"Finding (Near Miss) Thermals"

Topic: How to Find Thermals for the Sailplane Pilot.

On Tuesday, June 19, 2018 at 20:00 Eastern Daylight Time

Select Number:EA6183500

Click on (FAASafety.gov) and look for the selection number.

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