



# SEPTEMBER 2018

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*Next Chapter Meeting*  
**SEPT 29<sup>th</sup>, 2018**  
**Airport admin building, 9AM**

## Notes from our new Newsletter Editor

Hi All,



*My name is Marty Harris I am a recent member to this great Chapter and really impressed with the dedication, positive attitude and multiple activities taken on by a relatively small group. I am happy to attempt to take over the newsletter from Laura Vaughn, who has done an awesome and very professional job. I must say I really enjoy the young Eagles program and the youth group helping to rebuild the donated planes. I have been flying since 1961 NHANG Air Evac, then in the '70's RC planes, then 1978 private pilot with 1200 hrs. tailwheel time. Founding member of Vermont EAA Chapter 613 (designed the patch '78) I am the newsletter editor for EAA 1236 in Weirsdale and President of Woods and Lakes Airpark POA, as well. (My wife wonders when I'm going to finish painting the living room!) I wanted to get this out before Saturday to encourage members to come help with the Young Eagles this Saturday 9/22. Forgive me for any omissions and errors. Many of you know I am a fanatic about safety, so usually include reminders for our pilots, etc.*



*Ted does such a great job with distributing his articles and he is so prolific, not sure if I need to put them in this newsletter let me know your thoughts. Especially if they go to the website (work in progress)*

*Fly Safe!*

*Marty*

- 09/22/18 - Young Eagles (8:30 pilot's briefing), lunch possible*
- 09/29/18 - General membership meeting (Steve Wolf-Samson project presentation)  
Youth group following*
- 10/06-10/13-10/20-10/27/18 - Youth program 10:30-2:00 w/lunch*
- 10/27/18 - Chapter 534 Fly-in breakfast 9AM*
- 11/03/18 - Bowden Landing Splash-in. Chapter providing lunch*
- 12/01/18 - Chapter Holiday Party (Hosted by Barbara & Paul Adrien)*
- 12/29/18 - No meeting*
- 01/12/19 - Hosting Mooney lunch at Hangar*
- 01/26/19 - Membership meeting (ideas wanted fro speaker)*



## FLYING QUOTES

*"More than anything else the sensation is one of perfect peace mingled with an excitement that strains every nerve to the utmost, if you can conceive of such a combination."*

Wilbur Wright

## EAA Chapter 534 Meeting Minutes 8/25/18



Meeting called to order by the President at 9:10 a.m.

Previous minutes were approved as submitted via MM&S and voice vote.

### **Treasurer Report:** Jodie Soule

Shares \$262.10, Project \$296.32, Money Market \$6250.35 & Checking \$636.39.

Report accepted after MM&S and voice vote.

### **Activities Report:** Paul Adrien

#### Upcoming dates

- Today – Steve Tilford presentation on his RV-7A build.
- 09/01 – Fly-out to Williston.
- 09/22 – 1st Young Eagle flight day of fall.
- 09/29 – Steve Wolf and Kathy Hirtz presentation.
- 10/27 – Chapter Fly-in breakfast.
- 11/11 – Bowden Splash-in Lunch, Bowden's Landing.
- 11/17 – John Minatelli's CH750 build presentation.
- 12/01 – Christmas party – details TBD.
- 1/12/19 – Mooney lunch – details TBD.
- 1/29/19 – Meeting program open. Contact Paul Adrien

### **Young Eagles:** Joel Hargis –

As noted 1st YE flights for fall on 9/22. October, November and December YE flight dates TBD.

**Youth Program:** John Weber - John says he's looking for ideas to fund lunches for the Youth Program. It's attracting more people. He wants to keep lunch for the younger members free and is seeking ideas to make it self-funding. Please let him know if you have an idea that might help. There is a Youth Program fly-out planned for this coming Saturday, 9/1 to Williston Airport. John will be in touch with pilots and participants by email this week. Marc Morel advises that the flight sim computer is getting good use by our YP participants. They are getting directed to more organized lessons providing more detailed info about learning about flight and flying in general. It's very popular. The Youth Program will meet in the EAA hanger right after this meeting.

**New Business:** John Weber is looking for a future airplane donation or project that can be put into a flying club organized by Chapter Members. This would allow both Young Eagle flights to be done as well as (If a LSA) flight instruction to be offered to our YP participants both young and old. He's keeping his ear to the ground for ways to accomplish this goal and will listen to any ideas or leads you may wish to pass along. He is also reviewing the EAA's guide to setting up a flying club.

Laura Vaughn needs someone to take over keeping our membership roster and newsletter up to date. Please contact Jodie or other officer if you would like to do this. It can be a more than one person job also.

Steve Tilford reports the Chapter is now listed with the State of Florida Dept. of Revenue as a 501(c) (3) tax exempt organization. We were listed with the IRS but the State got missed. We're now have our Florida "Consumers Certificate of Exemption" and are up to date with everyone.

Future Mooney Club fly-outs are 9/8 to Winter Haven, 10/13 to Flagler and 11/18 to Vero Beach. Anyone is welcome to join them. Please contact Joel Hargis with questions.

A motion was made, seconded and passed at the meeting to set up a nominating committee to replace Jodie Soule as President before the next year starts. The committee is comprised of Ted Luebbers, Rick Jaworski and Marc Banus. Please let any officer know if you have interest in becoming the President of the Chapter.

There being no more business at hand, the meeting was adjourned at 10:15 a.m.

**A presentation** after the regular meeting was done by Steve Tilford about his second career as an airplane builder of his RV-7A, otherwise titled: "how to turn a 'quick build' kit into a slow build one". Graciously, there was no snoring in the audience and he thanks you.

Please contact me with any requested changes/error corrections needed.

Sincerely,  
Steve Tilford  
Secretary

## First flight after annual ends in crash

FEBRUARY 10, 2016 BY GENERAL AVIATION NEWS STAFF

Maintenance gurus and NTSB reports note that incident and accident frequency increases shortly after annual inspections or maintenance! Be involved with your mechanic, help disassemble and reassemble the plane. Organize the parts.

Below is only a few items people have found after an annual:

- Throttle body pushes into instrument panel inflight (me)
- Inspection ports missing screws bend in flight (me)
- Fuel selector off
- Tools left in belly
- Missing cotter pins
- Missing safety wire
- Oil leak or no oil
- Loose plug

*I'm sure most of you have a few good examples, as well!*

## FLY-OUT ACTIVITIES & places to eat

*(Always call to be sure of event or to make reservations)*

### Reoccurring Events:

**1<sup>st</sup> Sat** – Albert Whitted Airport (SPG), St Petersburg. Airport Preservation Society fly-in pancake breakfast. 727-822-1532 or [awaps.org](http://awaps.org).

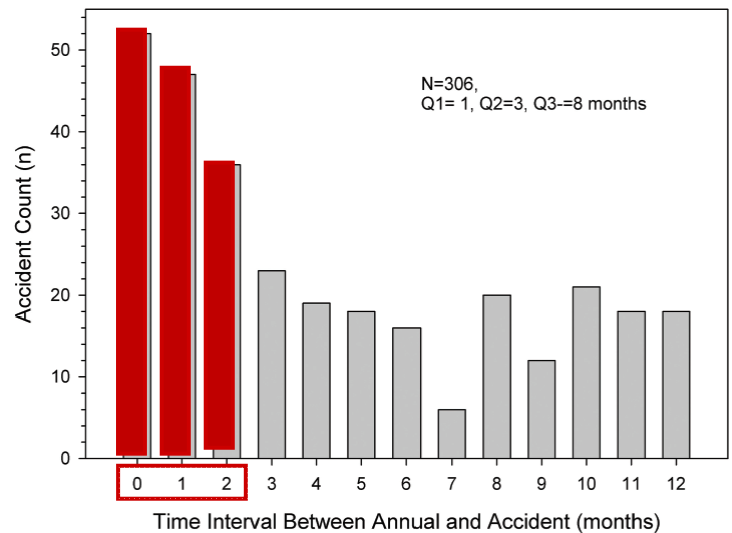
**2<sup>nd</sup> Sat** – Space Coast Regional Airport (TIX), Titusville. Valiant Air Command Warbird Museum ramp. Pancake breakfast with omelet station, 8-11 a.m. RSVP at least 2 days prior with number in party. \$8 free museum admission for fly-in pilots and passengers. 321-268-1941 or [vacwarbirds@bellsouth.net](mailto:vacwarbirds@bellsouth.net).

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sat** - Sebring, FL – EAA 1240 Pancake breakfast (863) 273-0522 or [jhr@strato.net](mailto:jhr@strato.net)

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sat** - Valkaria Airport (X59). EAA and airport association-sponsored breakfast. 8-11 a.m. \$5. Steve Borowski: 321-952-4590 or [steve.borowski@brevardcounty.us](mailto:steve.borowski@brevardcounty.us).

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sat** – Flying W Air Ranch (9FL1), Bushnell. 8-11 a.m. EAA Chapter 1489 pancake breakfast. Steve Bensinger: 352-235-9598 or [foolzinfo@flyingfoolz.org](mailto:foolzinfo@flyingfoolz.org).

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sat** – Live Oak Airport (24J). Regular 2nd Saturday fly-in breakfast. 8:30 a.m.



### Fly-out Restaurants:

Ocala **OCF** – Tail Winds Café (352) 873-3211

Bartow **BOW** – Closed

Cedar Key **CDK** – call cab on 122.9 (Judy) many choices for dining

Crystal River **CGC** – Olive Tree Restaurant (352) 563-0075

Everglades **X01** – Triad Seafood, great stone crabs (239) 695-0722

Deland **DED** – Airport Restaurant and Gin Mill (386) 734-0722

Flagler **XFL** – Highjackers (386) 586-6078 (lunch and dinner)

Lakeland **LAL** – Hallback's Grill (863) 937-8900

New Smyrna Beach **EVB** – Airgate Café (386) 478-0601

Ormond Beach **OMN** – River Bend Golf Club (386) 675-0893

St. Augustine **SGJ** – Call FBO (800) 840-1995 -buy gas get courtesy car

Williston **X60** – Pyper Cub Restaurant (352) 528-0376

Winter Haven **GIF** – *NEW "opening soon"*

Tampa North **X39** – Happy Hangar Café (813) 973-3703

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