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login.microsoftonline.com

Next Meeting

Saturday January 14, about 10:45 AM at Skylark Airport.

We will be planning for 2023 events.

Discuss renting a hangar

In this month's Chapter Video Magazine, Jack Pelton shares his thoughts on what to look forward to in 2023

VMC Club Meeting

Saturday January 14, 10:00 AM

This month's topic is:

What to do if ATC gives you a number to call

Meeting is available in-person or online

Zoom Meeting ID: 884 0719 3933

Passcode: 029736

For FAA WINGS credit, please register in advance at:

http://www.faasafety.gov/SPANS/event_details.aspx?eid=119468

Next Event

We have no events planned yet.

2023 Membership Renewals

Renew your chapter membership by mailing a check payable to EAA Chapter 1310 to 54 Wells Road, Broad Brook CT 06016. We'll get your membership card back to you.

Annual membership is \$25. Renew for three years for \$60. Save \$15.

The online store is temporarily out of service for an upgrade.

Thanks go out to all the members who have renewed.

Chapter Clothing

Chapter logo T-shirts, sweatshirts and hats are available at our next meeting and event. (Ignore the stock images at the top of the page.)

Hats ~~\$15.00~~ SALE \$7.50

T-Shirts ~~\$12.00~~ SALE \$6.00

Sweatshirts ~~\$25.00~~ SALE \$12.50

Our online store is back in business. Clothing items and memberships can be purchased there. Please ignore the stock graphics on the page. They will be replaced soon.

Proposal for the Chapter to Rent an Enclosed Hangar

At the November meeting, a question was presented for the chapter to rent an enclosed hangar for the period of one year, plus make selected improvements.

The question was tabled until the January meeting in order to notify all members so everyone could participate in the decision.

A vote will be taken at the January meeting, so please plan on attending.

Ron Masters Awarded Chapter Aviator of the Year



The 2022 Chapter 1310 Aviator of the Year award was presented to Ron Masters for his consistent support to the chapter and our events.

Thanks go out to Ron for backing of the chapter for many years.

Annual Skylark Potluck Dinner

The annual potluck dinner returned to Skylark on the evening of Saturday December 10th. About 50 members and guests of the airport community attended with plenty of food and drink for everyone.





Homebuilders Week – Online Event Starts January 23

An online opportunity to learn about all aspects of building your own aircraft

By Charlie Becker, EAA Homebuilt Community Manager

EAA will be hosting our third annual Homebuilders Week online learning event for aircraft builders: (www.EAA.org/HomebuildersWeek). It will be five straight days of educational forums covering a broad spectrum of aircraft building topics. It will start on Monday, January 23, 2023, and run until Friday, January 27, 2023. The live online presentations will be open to everyone interested in building their own aircraft. Sessions will start at 11:30 a.m. CST and run until 8:30 p.m. CST daily.

This event is an opportunity for a new person to jump in with both feet and learn a lot about the wonderful world of homebuilding. We will cover areas like getting started successfully and techniques when building with sheet metal, composites, steel, and wood. But it won't be just for the newbie; we are offering in-depth talks on panel planning, engine selection, FAA certification, flight testing, and selling a homebuilt aircraft. There will be something for every builder, whether you are just starting out, knee deep in a project, or just received your airworthiness certificate — it is going to be a great learning opportunity.

EAA is working with industry experts, kit manufacturers, and other subject matter experts to provide top-notch material for builders. The sessions will be live and allow time for attendee questions. Recordings will be archived and available to EAA members for review.

EAA Homebuilders Week coincides with the 70th anniversary of the founding of the Experimental Aircraft Association in 1953. Those founding members of EAA lit the fuse on the

homebuilt movement that provides affordable access to aircraft ownership and today has spread worldwide.

EAA Homebuilders Week is possible through the generous sponsorships of Aircraft Spruce & Specialty Co., Dynon, Scheme Designers, Inc., and Van's Aircraft, Inc.

Visit EAA.org/HomebuildersWeek to review the schedule and sign up for a session.

Homebuilders Week Schedule
 January 23 - 27, 2023
 All Time Central
www.EAA.org/HomebuildersWeek

CST	Monday 1/23/2023	Tuesday 1/24/2023	Wednesday 1/25/2023	Thursday 1/26/2023	Friday 1/27/2023
11:30-12:45	Building an Aircraft: What You Need to Know- Charlie Becker	Composite Construction Basics- Mark Forss	Top Five Project Killers- Lisa Turner	EAA's Homebuilt Movement: Past Accomplishments and Future Opportunities -Jack Pelton & Charlie Becker	Amateur Built Aircraft Certification Process-Joe Norris
1:00-2:15	Wiring Basics - Dick Koehler	Buying a Used Homebuilt- Vic Syracuse	Flight Testing Basics-Gary Baker	Lycoming Engine Installation - Dave Prizio	Working with Wood 101- John Egan
2:30-3:45	TIG Welding-Charlie Becker & Earl Luce	The REAL Culprit in HB Accidents- Ron Wanttaja	Zenith Aircraft Kits & Plans- Sebastien Heintz	Panel Planning-Stein Bruch	Advocacy Update: MOSAIC, Fuels & More - Tom Charpentier & Rob Hackman
4:00-5:15	Sonex Aircraft & AeroConversions Products- Mark Schaible	Fabric Covering Basics - Mark Forss	Advanced Flight Systems- Rob Hickman	Garmin Experimental Avionics Solutions- Brad Brensing	Plans Built Aircraft: The Affordable Option-Tim Hoversten
5:30-6:45	Sheet Metal Basics - Mark Forss	Dynon Avionics-Michael Schofield	Gas Welding -Budd Davisson	Choosing Wheels & Brakes- George Happ	Van's New High-Wing RV-15-Greg Hughes
7:00-8:15	Kit Selection - Paul Dye	Van's RV Aircraft Kits-Greg Hughes	Finding an Engine for Your Homebuilt-Mike Busch	Painting Your Plane: DIY or Use an Expert?-Craig Barnett & Ken Reese	Maintenance Horror Stories - Vic Syracuse

Young Eagles and Chapter Risk Management Training

The Young Eagles Risk Management training is officially live on the EAA webpage. This training is mandatory for Young Eagles coordinators. Other Young Eagles and chapter volunteers are encouraged, but not required, to take the course.

The information presented is valuable for all chapter officers and volunteers since it explains how to minimize risk exposure to the chapter, and the consequences of not following the required EAA insurance procedures.

The Young Eagles Risk Management training consists of a 33-minute pre-recorded webinar and a 15-question quiz. Similar to youth protection training, this course will need to be completed every three years for renewal.

Young Eagles coordinators will be required to complete this training before a chapter's first rally of 2023, or by April 30, 2023, whichever occurs first.

In order to access the Young Eagles Risk Management Training, you will need to sign in to your account at EAA.org. If you do not have an online account, simply go to the sign-in area at the top of page and create a username and password.

Once you are logged in at EAA.org, go to your Account Profile page by clicking "My Account" at the top of the page.

At the bottom of your Account Profile, click "Go to Training" then select "Training Information" and "Go to Course" for the course you're looking to take. This course is titled "Young Eagles Risk Management Training".

You can learn more on the Young Eagles Risk Management Training info page.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Young Eagles office at yeagles@eaa.org.

Watch Out for Aviation Email Scam

The chapter email address occasionally receives messages asking to post items to sell. A couple weeks ago, I got a letter to sell an RV-9A quick build kit with many other items related to the plane, such as avionics. I was going to post it in the newsletter. Last week I received another letter from a different email address to sell a lot of tools that would be useful for building an aircraft. That message included several photos of the items.

There were a few suspicious items in these messages. The only contact information was the return email addresses, which were both to gmail. No location was provided, and the only place the sender's names appeared was in their email addresses.

I searched the email addresses, and found that other people had been scammed by them. Another site that helps prevent scammers had both those email addresses listed. Any guesses on where they originated from? You're right. Nigeria!

So even though the letters used many terms that would be used to sell an airplane or tools just like a real ad would, they were clearly crooks. If you would like to be send a copy of the messages to see what they looked like, send a request to info@eaa1310.org

New Simsbury VMC Club

EAA Chapter 324 in Simsbury invites you to join us for our EAA VMC Club, one of the best ways to improve your safety and proficiency in VFR flight! Perfect for student pilots, aviation enthusiasts, and licensed pilots of all kinds.

Our group will meet every 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7:00PM at the Simsbury Airport clubhouse. ALL are welcome to attend!

****Join our mailing list using the following link**** (copy and paste into your browser): <https://form.jotform.com/223635860797166>

**January 2023 EAA 324 VMC Club
Wednesday, January 18th @7:00PM
Simsbury Airport Clubhouse
94 Wolcott Road, Simsbury, CT
Topic: WakeTurbulence**

This upcoming meeting will include a presentation by a general aviation pilot about an actual wake turbulence encounter with an airliner overhead Simsbury Airport. This encounter resulted in the upset of the GA aircraft, and could easily have been fatal. You'll learn how the encounter occurred, how the pilot was able to recover, the results of a review of radar tapes, and lessons learned. A discussion and sharing of experiences will follow the presentation.

See flier attached for more information about our VMC Club. Please feel free to contact us with any questions or comments.

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Local Aviation Event Schedule

Visit the eaa1310.org Calendar page for updated listings and more information about these events.

Reoccurring Events

Chapter 1310 Meetings – 2nd Wednesday of April – October at 7:45 PM
2nd Saturday of November – March at 10:00 AM

Chapter 166 Meetings – Last Saturday of month 10:00 AM (Except July, Nov & Dec) at
Hartford Jet Center, 20 Lindberg Drive, Hartford. <http://www.eaa166.org>

Chapter 324 Meetings 1st Wednesday of month, 7:00 PM Simsbury Airport
<https://www.facebook.com/ea324/> <https://chapters.eaa.org/EAA324>

Chapter 27 Meetings – 3rd Sunday of month, 10:00 AM at Meriden Airport
<http://eaa27.org/>

Chapter 1620 Meetings 2nd Tuesday of the month, 6:00 PM, Barnes Airport Hangar 3,
111 Airport Rd. Westfield, MA. 01085 <https://chapters.eaa.org/ea1620>

2023 Aviation Events

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March 28 - April 2 Sun 'n Fun Aerospace Expo, Lakeland, FL
US Navy Blue Angels

May 13 – 14 Westfield International Air Show
Barnes Air National Guard Base
<https://www.westfieldairshow.org/>
USAF F-35 II Demo Team, T-33 Ace Maker

June 10 – 11 National Warplane Museum Airshow: The Greatest Show on Turf
Geneseo, NY
<https://www.nationalwarplanemuseum.com/>

~~**June 24 – 25 Rhode Island National Guard Open House Airshow**~~
US Navy Blue Angels **CANCELLED**

July 24 – 30 EAA Airventure, Oshkosh, WI
<https://www.airventure.org> USAF F-22 Raptor Demo

September 9 – 10 Thunder Over New Hampshire Air Show
Pease ANGB, Portsmouth, NH
<https://thunderovernewhampshire.com/>
Rob Holland Ultimate Airshows <https://www.ultimateairshows.com/>

If you have a topic you would like to see covered in our monthly newsletter or photos that may be of interest to our members, please send a note to Paul at info@eaa1310.org