

March 2024
EAA CHAPTER 377



fly paper

EAA—Our mission: To grow participation in aviation by sharing the spirit of aviation.

LAST MONTH

FROM BILL COTTER

Saturday, February 10 our group gathered at Lyddon's at Liberal Airport. Most of the enthusiastic attendees were local or from close by.



BILL ANTON'S BEARHAWK



THIS MONTH

Saturday, March 9
PROVECHO MEXKAN BBQ
Garden City Regional
Airport Restaurant KGCK

- CTAF: 118.15
- UNICOM: 122.95
- WX ASOS: 121.325 (620-275-0803)
- GARDEN CITY GROUND: 119.0
- GARDEN CITY TOWER: 118.15
- Runway 17/35, 7299 x 100 ft.
- Runway 12/30, 5700 x 100 ft.
- Questions? Call Crosley Aviation 620-275-5055
- Or Garden City Tower 620-276-8994

Please be aware that the Restaurant does NOT have ramp access. Please park at FBO Crosby Flying Service and use their exit gate to walk to the restaurant street side. You will NOT have to go thru security to access the restaurant. There is a photo/map with details on page 4.

Mike Scheiman and the controllers will be available on Saturday for tours and to answer any questions you have. Please take advantage of this opportunity to gather and "airplane talk". See the new facility, and support the new restaurant! (Dutch treat) You are welcome to bring any family and friends that are interested. (Restaurant is opening with a limited menu temporarily. Thank you for understanding)

Mel Crist is our member seeing to the details of this gathering. If you have questions you can call Mel at 620-272-4634

F.Y.I.

Chapter 377 normally meets on the second Saturday of each month. "Meetings" are normally fly-ins to different member airports, with a potluck at noon and short meeting following. December is the Club Christmas Party. Contact any of the officers listed to confirm meeting date and place. Anyone interested in recreational flying or building is encouraged to attend.

FLY PAPER is published monthly (except November/December), normally e-mailed a week before each meeting/fly-in.

Annual membership in Chapter 377 includes one year subscription to FLY PAPER. Send \$20 to Randal Loder, Treasurer,

Readers are encouraged to contribute articles, photos, etc. by submitting them to the Editor/Publisher.

Deadline for the April 2024 issue is Friday, April 3, 2024

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COMING UP in 2024...

9 March—EAA 377 Monthly Fly-In. Our group will gather at the brand new restaurant in the new Garden City Terminal KGCK. More details soon.

Monday, April 8, 2024—Solar Eclipse activities at various airports along the Eclipse path.

13 April—EAA 377 Monthly Fly-In Noon Potluck with Pot roast BBQ. Hosted by Bill Cotter and Dennis Tevebaugh.

?? April—2nd Annual Alan Ochs Memorial Fly-in at Crotts Aircraft, Dodge City, KS

11 May—EAA 377 Monthly Fly-In Noon Potluck hosted by Centerline Aviation/Greg Downing. Guymon, OK.

8 June—EAA 377 8:30am Breakfast Fly-In, Logan Aviation, Lakin, KS.

13 July—EAA 377 Monthly Fly-In Noon Potluck hosted by Marshall Watson Family, Sublette, KS.

20 July—Nebraska State Fly-In at O'Neill Airport KONL

10 August—EAA 377 Monthly Fly-In **BREAKFAST** hosted by City of Hooker and friends, Hooker, OK..

14 September—EAA 377 Monthly Fly-In Potluck hosted by Mid America Air Museum/Bob Immel. Liberal, KS.

5 October—EAA 377 gathering at the Classic Fly-In at Syracuse, KS. **PLEASE NOTE FIRST SATURDAY!**

9 November—EAA 377 Monthly Fly-In Noon Potluck. **No host**

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yet.

14 December—EAA 377 Monthly Fly-In Potluck hosted by Randal Loder and Susan Turpin at Spencer Flight and Education Center, Scott City, KS Airport.

ANOTHER ISSUE

THANKS TO: Bill Cotter, Bob Immel/MAAM, Elizabeth Vulgamore, Mel Crist, Mark Davis, Mike Scheiman, Pat Whitham, Rachelle Powell, Randal Loder, Tom Auerbach.
THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Ponca City Aviation Booster Club
FaceBook Group

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1125751554951764>

Photos from previous Breakfasts are posted under "Media / Albums". Also: Effective April 1, 2023 hours extended 7:00AM to 10:30AM and requested donation \$10 adults / \$5 kids under 12. Flyer page 16

You don't have to be an instrument pilot to benefit from the IMC Club meetings at SFEC. Meeting is 7-8pm CT, with dinner offered at 6:45. Come join in on the discussion on the second Monday of each month (not meeting in June). For More Information you can contact

Elizabeth Vulgamore,
Volunteer administrator
620-874-8325

Spencer Flight & Education Center (Located on the Scott City, KS Airport)
300 S. Mesquite Rd
Scott City, KS 67871
Phone: 620-872-3000

Email:
info@spencerflightcenter.com

BILL LONG

December 14, 1955 — February 3, 2024



William “Bill” Ray Long, 68, of Satanta, KS, formerly of Liberal, passed away on Saturday February 3, 2024, in Liberal, KS.

Bill was born on December 14, 1955, in Beaver, OK to Kenneth and Marilyn (Stam) Long.

He attended schools in Liberal and graduated from Liberal High School in 1974. He was awarded basketball scholarships at Amarillo, TX Jr. College and Seward County Community College in Liberal, KS. He graduated from Seward County Community College with an Associate of Arts degree. Bill continued his education at Brigham Young University, graduating in 1984 with a Master’s in Mechanical Engineering. He served a two-year mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter - day Saints. Bill worked for Beech Aircraft, he then studied and received his pilot’s license. He was the owner and operator of Heart Roofing. He was a member of the Kansas Fargo Masonic Lodge #300 in Liberal. Bill loved flying,

playing basketball, was an avid runner, bicyclist, swimmer, and participated in Triathlon’s.

Bill is survived by his sisters, Kathaleen (Stu) Wedel, Susan (Rick) Ottaway, and Stephanie (Humberto) Long de Cruz, four nephews, Mike Ottaway, Phillip Wedel, Humberto Cruz Long, and Stephan Cruz Long; one niece, Marilyn Cruz Long.

Mark Davis reports that the local Masons had a memorial service for Bill February 17 at Restlawn cemetery north of Liberal. It was a cold, snowy day, and the wind was blowing but everyone endured for the twenty minute service. Two dozen people attended, then gathered at the Masons Lodge and pizza, coffee, beer, and snacks were served. (a perfect combo!) Harry and his wife, Bill’s mechanic, made it from Wichita. Harry was the mechanic that got the plane airworthy to fly out of it’s Satanta hangar after Lawrence Magri’s passing. It was nice that Bill’s three sisters were able to attend. Everything went well; It was nice of the Mason’s to do that.



HEARD IN THE HANGAR



I speak for all the controllers here and the airport, when I say that we are very excited to have the EAA once again visit GCK. From what Mary has told me there might be a few of you that are flying in. If you're flying in, the ATC Tower is open from 7am to 9pm every day. The tower can be reached on 118.15. Our airspace extends to 5 miles around GCK up to 5400' MSL, so please give us a call at 10 miles or more. If for any reason you have radio difficulties, please remain outside of the airspace, and call the tower at 620-276-8994 and we can work with you that way. I told Mary that we would be more than happy to provide tours of the tower. Your family and friends are all welcome as well. The airport manager and I will be available to escort groups through the secure area of the airport. All we ask is that you try and keep the groups to around 5 people. Unfortunately, we do not have an elevator, and there will be 5 flights of stairs to the top, so keep that in mind. Again, we look forward to visiting with you all on the 9th. If there is anything at all that we can do for you at any time, you can use the phone number provided above.

*Mike, Zach, Rhys and Brittany
Garden City Tower*



Hours.

Monday-Tuesday Closed
 Wednesday-Sunday 11AM-8PM

MexKan.

Asada Fries 11.99

fresh cut fries topped with carne asada, queso fresco, sour cream, pico de gallo and avocado & salsa

Chicken Tacos 10.99

3 Chicken Tacos served on flour tortilla topped with pico de gallo, cole slaw & poblano ranch

Drinks.

Coffee	1.50
Iced Tea	2.00
Fountain Drink	2.50
Kids Cup	2.00

Burgers.

Honey Burger & Fries 11.99

1/2LB Beef patty with signature honey glaze, topped with cheese on a toasted bun, with lettuce tomato, onion & pickles and a side of fresh cut fries

Spicy Cheddar Bob Burger 15.99

1/2Lb Beef burger with our signature honey glaze, topped with cheese, chipotle mayo, chorizo, bacon, and mac n cheese bites on a toasted bun, with lettuce tomato, onion & pickles and a side of fresh cut fries

Kids.

Chicken Tenders 7.99

2 chicken tenders with a side of fresh cut fries

Burger Slider 7.49

a burger slider perfect for a kiddo with a side of fresh cut fries

Cheese Quesadilla 6.99

6 inch cheese quesadilla with a side of fresh cut fries

Mac 12 6.99

Mac n Cheese topped with pulled pork

Alcoholic Drinks.

Bottled & Canned

Cayman Jack	\$4.00
Domestic Bottle	\$4.00
Import Bottle	\$4.50
Rotating Bottle	\$4.50
Draft Beer	
Domestic Pint	\$5.00
Import Pint	\$5.00
Rotating Pint	\$5.50
Michelada-Best in Town!	\$8.50

Desserts.

Tiramisu	5.99
A slice of classic tiramasu made with real italian lady fingers with mascarpone cheese and espresso	
Tres Leches Cheesecake	5.99
A slice of vanilla sponge cake infused with three condensed milks, topped with white cholcate and chocolate shavings drizzled with caramel	

Barbeque.

Wings-Sauced	10.99
7 wings with your choice of sauce -Provecho's BBQ -White BBQ Sauce -Mango Habanero -Spicy BBQ Sauce	
Wings-Dry Rub	10.99
7 wings with your choice of dry rub seasoning -Honey BBQ -Nashville Hot -Kickin' Cajun -Garlic Parmesan	
BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich	10.99
Pulled pork smothered in Provecho's BBQ sauce served on a toasted bun with fresh cut fries	
Pulled Pork Nachos	10.99
Nacho chips topped with nacho cheese, pulled pork, pico de Gallo, sour cream & jalapenos	
Smoked Brisket	13.99
Slow smoked beef brisket -1/2LB of sliced brisket served with a bun and one side of your choice *Mac Bites not included in side choice	
Smoked BBQ Pork Ribs	16.99
Slow smoked pork ribs smothered in BBQ sauce -Half rack (6 ribs) with one side of your choice *Mac Bites not included in side choice	

Sides.

Fresh Cut Fries	3.99	Mac N Cheese	5.99
Cold Cream Corn	4.99	Fried Okra	5.99
Cole Slaw	4.99	*Macaroni Bites	6.99
Pasta Salad	5.99		

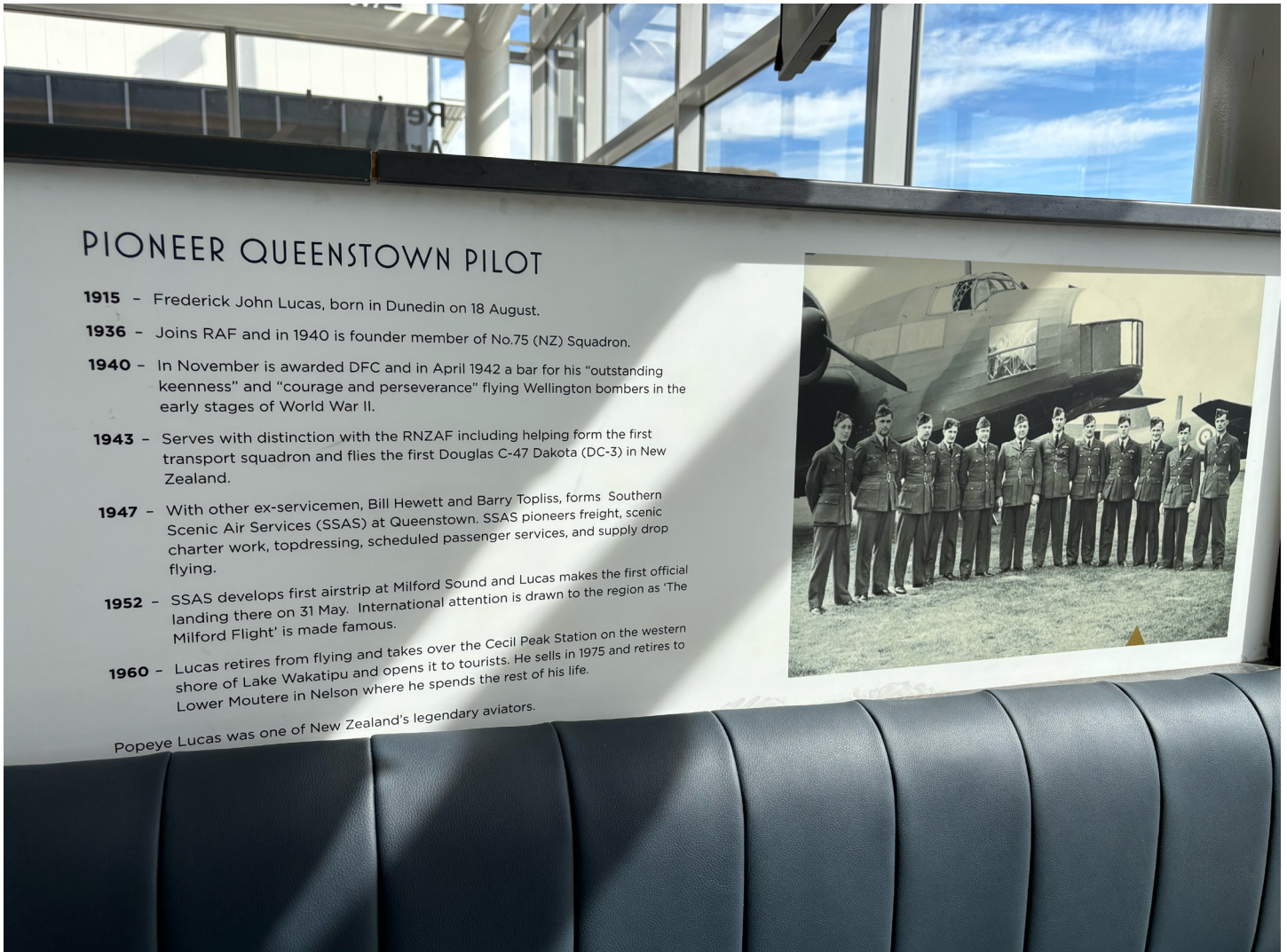
A BIG THANK YOU to **MEL CRIST** (and his wife Jane) for seeing to the details of our gathering on March 9 at the Garden City Regional Airport's new Restaurant. KGCK.





HEARD IN THE HANGAR

Fun aviation related photos from
PAT WHITHAM's recent travels.



PIONEER QUEENSTOWN PILOT

- 1915** - Frederick John Lucas, born in Dunedin on 18 August.
- 1936** - Joins RAF and in 1940 is founder member of No.75 (NZ) Squadron.
- 1940** - In November is awarded DFC and in April 1942 a bar for his "outstanding keenness" and "courage and perseverance" flying Wellington bombers in the early stages of World War II.
- 1943** - Serves with distinction with the RNZAF including helping form the first transport squadron and flies the first Douglas C-47 Dakota (DC-3) in New Zealand.
- 1947** - With other ex-servicemen, Bill Hewett and Barry Topliss, forms Southern Scenic Air Services (SSAS) at Queenstown. SSAS pioneers freight, scenic charter work, topdressing, scheduled passenger services, and supply drop flying.
- 1952** - SSAS develops first airstrip at Milford Sound and Lucas makes the first official landing there on 31 May. International attention is drawn to the region as 'The Milford Flight' is made famous.
- 1960** - Lucas retires from flying and takes over the Cecil Peak Station on the western shore of Lake Wakatipu and opens it to tourists. He sells in 1975 and retires to Lower Moutere in Nelson where he spends the rest of his life.

Popeye Lucas was one of New Zealand's legendary aviators.

Mid-America Air Museum

By Bob Immell, Director

BEECHCRAFT C-45 EXPEDITER

This month's featured airplane is the Beechcraft C-45 Expediter, otherwise known as the Beech Model 18 or as is sometimes referred to as the Twin Beech. This airplane was originally designed in the 1930's with its first flight on January 15, 1937. I haven't been able to find the exact number produced perhaps because of the numerous variants of the plane but it is somewhere between 8,000 and 9,000. Various models were being produced from 1937 throughout the 1960s. It was extensively used by the United States Army Airforce in WWII in various roles such as a troop transport, cargo plane, VIP transport, navigator & bombardier training, gunnery training, and for flight training. After WWII many were sold as Army Surplus and became corporate aircraft or used for small airliners. When I was a small boy Panhandle Eastern Pipeline was a large and important company in Liberal and you guessed it, their corporate airplane stationed here was an old C-45 Expediter, and the exterior was still painted olive drab. A C-45 is also used by renowned airshow performer Matt Younkin in both his day and nighttime shows, including two performances in Liberal over the years that I can remember. They are awesome performances by the way especially if the Twin Beech is one of your favorite airplanes like it is mine. According to Matt his plane has not been modified for airshows other than the lighting and pyrotechnics. One was also featured in the 1963 comedy movie "It's a Mad, Mad, Mad, Mad World" flying through a billboard in one scene. That movie starred Spencer Tracy, Milton Berle, Sid Caesar, Buddy Hackett, Ethel Merman, Mickey Rooney, Phil Silvers, Jonathon Winters, Jim Backus, Peter Falk,



Norman Fell, Buster Keaton, Don Knotts, Carl Reiner, the Three Stooges, Jimmy Durante, Jack Benny, and many others.

Most people probably associate the plane's military use with the United States Army Air Force, but it was also used by the United States Navy, and many other countries' militaries at various times including: Canada, Great Britain, Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Columbia, Costa Rica, Cuba, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, France, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Indonesia, Iran, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Netherlands, Nicaragua, and 21 other countries as per Wikipedia.

Various models had different engines and modifications which makes it a little difficult to accurately list the normal specifications that I would list, but according to our files at the Museum here are some of its specifications & information about our plane:

Serial # 7061

Height 9' 4"

Length 34' 2 ³/₄"

Wingspan 47' 7 ³/₄"

Empty Weight 6,053 ¹/₂ pounds

Engines: Two Pratt & Whitney R-985 An-1-B radial engines

Ownership: Starting in 1946 the plane was owned by Reg Robbins, then owned by Southland Paper Mill. In 1951 owned by Associated Transport, Inc. until 1954 when it was owned by Specialties Inc. In 1957 it was acquired by Flyer's Inc. sold in 1960 to Odessa Aero Service who owned it until 1968 when Percy Lee Curtis took ownership of the plane. In 1975 it belonged to Flying Bamboo Twin, Inc. who owned the plane until 1985 when it was acquired by Mid America Air Group. Col Thomas loaned the plane to the Museum here in December 1988 then donated it in 1997.

Log Book Info: It would be impossible here to list all of the various major and minor repairs and parts that have been replaced but suffice it to say pretty much every major part of the plane has been replaced at least once. Even the couch inside the plane has been replaced at least twice. The various logs books also show that the plane made appearances at numerous airshows and spent a lot of time in the Western part of the United States in its later years before coming to Liberal. We even have x-rays that were taken for some of the various air directives that have been issued over the years.

The airplane in the Museum's collection is a part of the Col. Tom Thomas Collection. As per our records the plane was manufactured in 1944. It is one of the favorite airplanes that we show school kids when they tour the Museum. I have included several pictures of the plane including a picture of the luggage compartment door, and the occupant of the luggage compartment that I put there after I noticed many school kids complained about the smell of the old plane, and curiosity about what is behind the door was too much to resist. As always please feel free to stop by anytime and check out the Museum in person.



Iron Butterfly

ARMY	C45F
SERIAL	7061
GROSS WEIGHT	8750
CREW	2
PASSENGERS	5





Soaring News by Paul Remde of Cumulus Soaring, Inc.

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Help Save the Boulder, Colorado Airport

The City of Boulder is actively considering closing the Boulder airport. This would be the end of the 160-member Soaring Society of Boulder as well as the local commercial glider operation Mile High Gliding. It would be a huge blow to soaring in the Mountain West and nationwide.

I hope I can count on your support to add your name to our petition to keep the Boulder airport open. It takes less than a minute! Please also send it to your local clubs.

<https://saveboulderairport.com/>

Many thanks for your kind support!

**Clemens Ceipek
President, Soaring Society of Boulder**



Adventure awaits!

Flight Training Scholarships



 **PRIVATE PILOT** Open to aspiring pilots ages 16-24; winners receive up to \$2,000 in matching funds toward private pilot flight training expense.

 **INSTRUMENT RATING** Open to current pilots of any age who are SFEC members seeking instrument rating; winners receive 20 Redbird FMX Simulator hours (\$800 value)

APPLICATIONS DUE MAY 1

For more information and to apply, visit
spencerflightcenter.com/scholarships



UPCOMING EVENTS

TOM AUERBACH of Ponca City, OK does a GREAT job of keeping a list compiled of upcoming aviation events. Looking for an excuse to fly? Here you go! Remember to verify as part of your preflight! Covid issues as well as weather issues can cause last minute changes. If you know an event has been cancelled, please contact Tom Auerbach @m20c78956@sbcglobal.net

LONG RANGE PLANNING:

Note: If you know that any of these events has been cancelled, please send me an email, Tom Auerbach. Warning: As always check with the contact information before flying.

The wait is over. The Fly-Ins are back! Woodring's March Fly-In Breakfast will be Saturday, March 16th. As always Barnstormers will be serving their breakfast buffet from 7:30am to 10:00am, \$9.99 a plate per adult, and \$5.99 per kid 12 and under.

The following is the 2024 KWDG Fly-In Schedule:

Date	Time
16 March First Fly-In Of 2024	7:30-10:00am
20 April	7:30-10:00am
18 May	7:30-10:00am
15 June 24	7:30-10:00am
20 July STOL/Spot Landing	7:30-10:00am
17 August	7:30-10:00am
21 September Poker Run	7:30-10:00am

All dates and times are subjected to change depending on weather so keep checking your email for updates.

I hope to see you all there!

Very Respectfully,

Mason Brinley,

Airport Operations Manager

Enid Woodring Regional Airport

Saturday, March 2, 2024

Ponca City Aviation Booster Club Fly-In/Drive-In Breakfast – 7:00-10:30AM

Ponca City OK Regional Airport (KPNC)

Sponsored by the Ponca City Aviation Foundation on the first Saturday of every month rain or shine.

Contact Bruce Eberle 580-761-5884 email: ou444@yahoo.com Breakfast is served from 7:00 to 10:30 a.m. The requested donation is \$10 adults, \$5 children under 12. The menu includes pancakes, scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, potatoes, biscuits & gravy, orange juice, coffee, and fruit. Cold soda pop and bottled water are available at \$1.00 each. See also FaceBook Group – Ponca City Aviation Booster Club - <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1125751554951764> See Attached Flyer.

Saturday, March 2, 2024

Haskell OK: Coffee & Donuts

Haskell Airport (2K9) AirNav.com CTAF: 122.9

EVERY SATURDAY - 8:00 am - 10:00 am - Rain or shine, fly or drive, aviation enthusiasts will be there no matter what the weather is doing.

See flyer.

Saturday, March 2, 2024

Pauls Valley Hamburger Lunch Fly-In

Pauls Valley Municipal Airport (KPVJ)

AirNav.com CTAF: 122.8

Oklahoma Antique Airplane Association

LETS KEEP EM FLYING!! - Johnene Smith

The Oklahoma Antique Airplane Association has a monthly meeting/Fly-In at or club house on the north-west corner of the PVJ field, once a month on the first Saturday. Come join in on the fun! You don't have to fly an antique in, we have cars, motorcycles, and every kind of airplane old and new. We eat about 11:30 to 12:00 and have burgers hot dogs and in the winter chili and Cajun food. Kids are welcome and rides are available for anyone that shows up. Questions? Call Shannon Sharp: 405-238-4035 or email: casandjohn-smith@gmail.com

Sunday, March 3, 2024

ALVA, OKLAHOMA - DONUTS AND COFFEE - Every Sunday 8am – 10am

Alva Regional Airport (AVK) CTAF: 122.8

No Cost. Donations appreciated.

Derrick Courson -Manager

(580) 327-2898 – Airport

(580) 748-2709 – Cell

2875 College Blvd.

Alva, OK. 73717

Website <http://alvaok.org/ara.htm>

<https://www.facebook.com/alvaregionalairport>

Sunday, March 10, 2024

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Saturday, March 9, 2024

Wichita EAA Chapter 88 - 2nd Saturday Breakfast
Monthly Breakfast 8 - 10 AM. Eggs, Pancakes, grilled
Sausage, Coffee and Juice!!

Age 11+ \$7 - 4-10 \$5 - 3 under Free

Fly in to Colonel James Jabara Airport in Wichita
KAAO

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Saturday, March 16, 2024

ROUTE 66 RUNWAY RUN – Route66RunwayRun.
com

TASM / Tulsa International Airport (KTUL)

Saturday, March 16, 2024

Berryville, AR - Carroll County Airport (4M1) 3rd
Saturday BREAKFAST EVENT!! 8:00 - 10:00 AM.
Farm fresh scrambled eggs, sausage patties & links,
flapjacks, sweet tea and always a bunch-o-sweet
treats made by the airport wives...\$10.00 suggested
donation. Contact: 870-423-8393.

Saturday, March 16, 2024

Pine Bluff, AR - Grider Field Airport (KPBF) fly-in
breakfast 3rd Saturday of every month. Our specialty
is eggs anyway you want them, from fried to eggs
Benedict. You should try our omelets. Come enjoy
your breakfast in our WWII style Officers Club. A
\$8.00 donation gets you all you can eat. Contact:
Sara Works (870-543-9933) email: works_sara@
yahoo.com

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Sunday, March 17, 2024

Ponca City Regional Airport (KPNC)

EAA Chapter 1046 – FAA WINGS Program 2:00PM –
“Preflight After Maintenance”

FAA Safety Team | Safer Skies Through Education
The supervisor James Lamb (j.lamb314@gmail.com)
has approved the scheduling of the following semi-
nar:

“Ponca City WINGS Meeting”

Topic: Preflight After Maintenance

On Sunday March 17, 2024 at 14:00 Central Daylight
Time

Select Number: SW15127122

Description: The General Aviation Joint Safety Com-
mittee (GAJSC) and the National Transportation
Safety Board (NTSB) have determined that a sig-
nificant number of general aviation fatalities could
be avoided if pilots were to conduct more thorough
preflight inspections of aircraft that have just been
returned to service.

This seminar has been scheduled and airmen have
been notified.

Earn your WINGS to get a chance to win a prize. Go
to <https://www.wingsindustry.com/WINGS-Sweepstakes>
for more info. Join us on Facebook: [https://
www.facebook.com/groups/GASafety/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/GASafety/)

Sunday, March 17, 2024

Fayetteville, AR - Drake Field (KFYV) EAA Chap-
ter 732 St. Patrick's Day Chili Lunch 11 AM - 3 PM
\$10.00 Donation to support Chapter activities. Con-
tact: Elizabeth Resh Email: fly4girl@gmail.com

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North Little Rock, AR - North Little Rock Muni-
cipal Airport (KORK) EAA Chapter 165 4th Saturday
Breakfast. We start serving at 8:00 and go until
10:00. A \$10. donation is requested, kids half price.
If it is cold or hot, the hangar is well heated and air

conditioned.

DIRECTIONS : The main entrance to NLR Airport is on Remount Road. We have OUR OWN ENTRANCE, Gate #20, which is located about a city block south of the main airport entrance still on Remount Road. Planes park in front of the hangar and cars in the parking lot behind the hangar. We are located right at the beginning of runway 5. Please come on out Arrive hungry, leave stuffed. Any questions - 419 360-7414

Sunday, March 24, 2024

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Saturday, March 30, 2024

Parsons KS Tri-City Airport (KPPF) – End-of-the-Month Fly-In Lunch

The Parsons Tri-City Airport (KPPF; CTAF 123.0) will have its end-of-month fly-in lunch this coming Saturday, March 30, from 11:30 until 1:00. Always a good time, weather or not. Hope you can join us! Contact: Marlene Carson champ46echo@outlook.com

Saturday, April 6, 2024

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See flyer.

Saturday, April 6, 2024

Haskell, OK - Haskell Airport (2K9) EAA Chapter 671 is hosting a Young Eagles Rally. Free airplane rides for kids ages 8-17. For more information, contact Matt Steward (918) 857-8428. To register, visit <https://young eaglesday.org/?yedetial&event=8CE0up3fq>.

Saturday, April 6, 2024

Pauls Valley Hamburger Lunch Fly-In

Pauls Valley Municipal Airport (KPVJ)

AirNav.com CTAF: 122.8

Oklahoma Antique Airplane Association

LETS KEEP EM FLYING!! - Johnene Smith

The Oklahoma Antique Airplane Association has a monthly meeting/Fly-In at or club house on the north-west corner of the PVJ field, once a month on the first

Saturday. Come join in on the fun! You don't have to fly an antique in, we have cars, motorcycles, and every

kind of airplane old and new. We eat about 11:30 to 12:00 and have burgers hot dogs and in the winter

chili and Cajun food. Kids are welcome and rides are available for anyone that shows up. Questions? Call

Shannon Sharp: 405-238-4035 or email: casandjohnsmith@gmail.com

Sunday, April 7, 2024

ALVA, OKLAHOMA - DONUTS AND COFFEE - Every Sunday 8am – 10am

Alva Regional Airport (AVK) CTAF: 122.8

No Cost. Donations appreciated.

Derrick Courson -Manager

(580) 327-2898 – Airport

(580) 748-2709 – Cell

2875 College Blvd.

Alva, OK. 73717

Website <http://alvaok.org/ara.htm>

<https://www.facebook.com/alvaregionalairport>

Monday, April 8, 2024 - Solar Eclipse activities at various airports along the Eclipse path. Additional information forth coming.

Saturday, April 13, 2024

Wichita EAA Chapter 88 - 2nd Saturday Breakfast

Monthly Breakfast 8 - 10 AM. Eggs, Pancakes, grilled Sausage, Coffee and Juice!!

Age 11+ \$7 - 4-10 \$5 - 3 under Free

Fly in to Colonel James Jabara Airport in Wichita

KAAO

Saturday, April 13, 2024

Stillwater Oklahoma Regional Airport (KSWO) – 8th

Annual Flying Aggies Fly-In - 11:00AM – 3:00PM

Saturday, April 13, 2024

EAA 377 Monthly Fly-In Noon Potluck with Pot roast BBQ. Hosted by Bill Cotter and Dennis Tevebaugh. Elkhart, KS KEHA

Saturday, May 11, 2024

EAA 377 Monthly Fly-In Noon Potluck hosted by Centerline Aviation/Greg Downing. Guymon, OK.

Saturday & Sunday, May 17 & 18, 2024

Derby KS at Cook Airfield (K50) Derby Kansas. The Rod Trowbridge memorial Fly-in. Hotels in Derby and south Wichita. Overnight plane camping but no showers. If we get a large number of people wanting to camp, I will bring in showers. Last year nobody camped. We have port-a-potties. Multiple food trucks. Two live bands Friday night. Four live bands Saturday afternoon, EAA young eagles free kids flights, Airplane poker run, motorcycle poker run, car show, 4x4 Jeep poker run, corn hole tournament, BBQ competition. Free to enter the event. It cost to enter competitions.

www.rthrowbridgeflyin.com Contact: Ryan Trowbridge @ 316-371-8240

Saturday, June 8, 2024

EAA 377 8:30am Breakfast Fly-In, Logan Aviation, Lakin, KS.

Saturday, July 13, 2024

EAA 377 Monthly Fly-In Noon Potluck hosted by Marshall Watson Family, Sublette, KS.

Saturday, August 10, 2024

EAA 377 Monthly Fly-In Breakfast hosted by City of Hooker and friends, Hooker, OK.

Saturday, September 14, 2024

EAA 377 Monthly Fly-In Potluck hosted by Mid America Air Museum/Bob Immel. Liberal, KS.

Saturday, October 5, 2024

EAA 377 gathering at the Classic Fly-In at Syracuse, KS. PLEASE NOTE FIRST SATURDAY!

Saturday-Sunday, October 12-13, 2024

Cushing Fly In Fair - Cushing OK (KCUH)



EAA Chapter 88's **PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

8am-10am/2nd Saturday of each month

3612 N. Webb Rd., Wichita, KS 67226

www.EAA88.org - www.facebook.com/88EAA

Phyllis Blanton (316) 390-3241 / Christine Toevs (316) 435-2091

PRICES

\$7 for adults (13+)

\$5 for children

MENU

Biscuits & Gravy, Scrambled Eggs, Pancakes,
Sausage Patties, Coffee, Fruit Juice

ACTIVITIES

FREE Young Eagles Flights
(9:00am-Noon, Weather Permitting. Ages 8-17.)

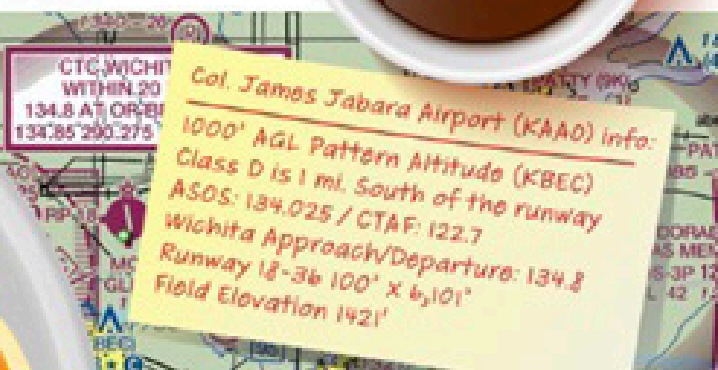
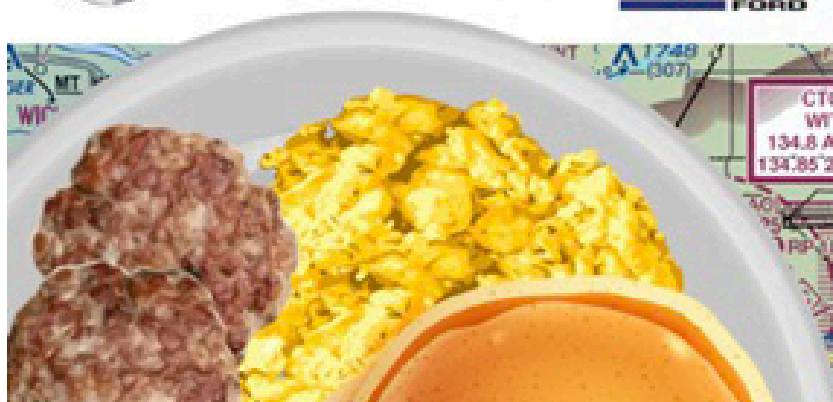
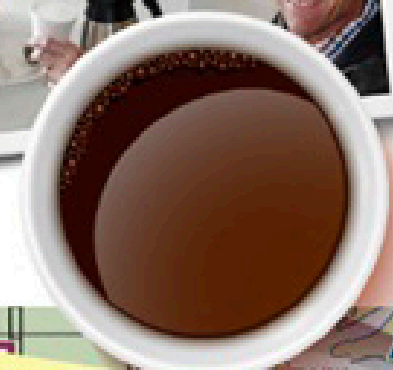
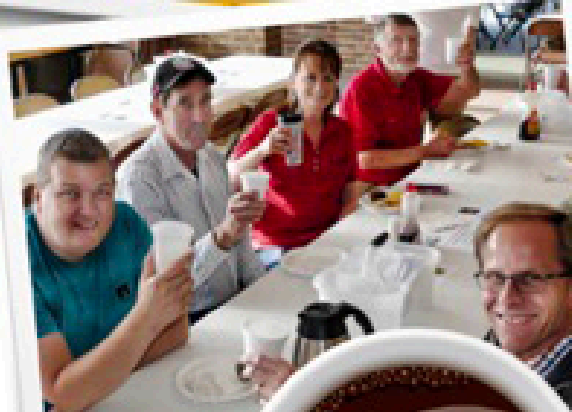
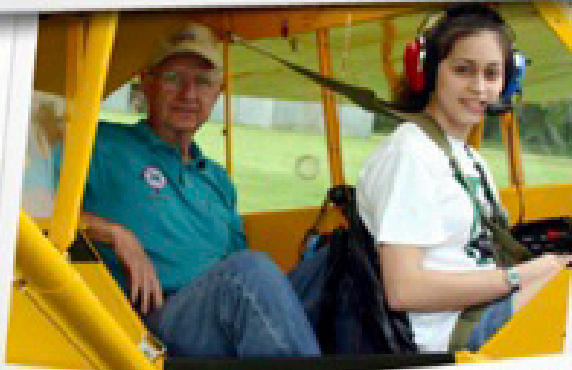


FREE Young Builders Projects
Foam Plate Glider, Paper Helicopter, Coloring

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MIDWEST CORPORATE AVIATION



Ponca City

Fly-In/Drive-In Breakfast



Where: Ponca City Oklahoma Regional Airport (KPNC)

When: 1st Saturday of Month (7 to 10:30 AM) Rain / Shine

Open to the Public: Bring the family; children must be supervised.

Free Wi-Fi: fly-in-2g or fly-in-5g password: poncacity

Sponsored By: Ponca City Aviation Foundation; a 501(c)(3)

Proceeds are used for education and the promotion of aviation to young people of all ages.

Volunteer help provided by: Ponca City Aviation Booster Club, EAA Chapter 1046, Ponca City High School and others.

See us on Facebook: Ponca City, OK Monthly Fly-in/drive-in Breakfast

Suggested Donation: Adults \$10, Children \$5

Menu: Pancakes, Scrambled Eggs, Sausage,
Bacon, Potatoes, Biscuits & Gravy,
Fruit, Orange Juice, and Coffee.
Soda Pop or Bottled Water – \$1.00 extra

Contacts:

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Bert Blanton 580-762-3794 blantonb610@gmail.com

Don Nuzum 580-767-0470 nuzumdl@poncacityok.gov



LUNCH AVAILABLE: Enrique's Mexican Restaurant (Sat 11-9) 580-762-5507 – Located in Airport Terminal

PONCA CITY REGIONAL AIRPORT (KPNC): ELEV 1008, RWY 17-35 7201'x150' – RIGHT TRAFFIC FOR RWY 17

FREQUENCIES: CTAF/UNICOM 123.0 // ASOS 134.075 (580-765-0049) // ILS/DME–RWY17 111.9 // LOM/NDB 515

FUEL: PHILLIPS 100LL 24-HR – Self Service // Truck JET-A & 100LL – CALL CTAF 123.0 or PHONE 580-767-0429

