

Chapter 77 Flypaper



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NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Hello. Don't forget about the Hangar Dance, although it may be too late by the time you receive this. The Hangar Dance needs attendees and helpers Saturday Sept. 8th

Now that fall is closing in it is time to get our building addition moving. I need volunteers to come forward for this project. You know the old adage, many hands make short work.

Another task we have each fall is a building maintenance list which needs to be completed. I will be asking for volunteer(s) for this at this month's meeting. So long for now, see you at the meeting. Safe Flying. Jim

WORK ROOM BUILDING ADDITION



Bill Campeau and Tim Ranville are heading the committee to provide us with two possible designs for the addition to our existing work room. They will gather information and costs so that we have a plan for adding to our building that will be cost effective and relatively easy to build. Work will start this fall, and we would appreciate the help of our members. If you have an interest in "pounding nails" we need your help.

Chapter 77 meets the second Thursday of each month, except January, at 7:30 P.M. in the hangar at Dalton Airport. Board meetings are 8 days prior to

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Classifieds:

Wanted –Anything to do with World War II aviation: parts, supplies, manuals, relics, etc. For usage or display with World War II airplane. Please call Paul and Bob Epke at 989-725-4771.

Wanted - An interested party who wishes to finish building a **Fly Baby**. A donation of plans and some parts is available from the daughter of L.D. Aurand (70's Chapter member). Contact Jim Plourde for further information.

Murphy Rebel Empennage (tail). Complete kit expertly assembled. Good head start for your project. Kit retails for \$3,800, make offer. Call Jim Plourde 233-7505.

Engine For Sale. 0200-A continental. 2,200 total time. 0 since M.O.H. by Bud Drum. \$8,500 or best offer. (313) 598-2615 leave message for Ralph Drum.

Dalton (3DA) Airport Residential lot plus adjoining hangar lot fronting on Ann Drive, (810) 820-0407 Doug Isham

1948 Cessna 140 Newly rebuilt engine, 4 hours since MO. Current annual. Interior good shape, needs headliner and TLC. \$22,000 OBO. Call Gayle (810) 733-6213.

If your classified item has been sold, please notify the editor —

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Help!

Bob Cristie has loaned his **paint breather** to someone. We need it *immediately* for a paint job in our project room. Would they please let Bob know who has it or call Jerry Zerbe at 720-6042.

Young Eagles -

Tim Harwood reports: Saturday, August 18th we flew about 30 kids. It was good weather, the kids enjoyed themselves and were very enthused as were the pilots who flew them. Thanks to the pilots and ground crew for your support.

Contributions to the "Flypaper" are welcome and can be made by contacting Jack Irwin at 659-6672. Deadline: 25th of each month

Dates to Remember . . .

Next Meeting

Thursday, September 13, 2007

Refreshments served !

Hangar Dance

Saturday, September 8th

Dance to 1940-50 tunes of Dave Bennett

Get your tickets from Shelly Carlson

810-631-9625

Dawn Patrol at Maplegrove (65G)

September 9th, 7:00—11:00 a.m.

Camping available Friday and Saturday night

Tuesdays' Ice Cream Flight

Every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.

Weather Permitting

Fly to CHESANING for ice cream

Annual EAA Banquet

Saturday, January 19, 2008

Frankenmuth Bavarian Inn

Rod Curtis, Chairman

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Kiddy Train Workshop



The "Kiddy Train"

Committee (Gary Hopcraft and Paul Phillips) is working on the design and gathering materials. The work will begin this fall. Join them on this fun project that will benefit our Dawn Patrol next June.