

Heart of Ohio Fly-Outs

Fly-outs are the 1st Sunday and 3rd Saturday of each month, and usually depart from Newark/Heath Airport (VTA) at 8:00 am unless otherwise indicated below. Contact Rollie Bailey, Fly-Out coordinator, for more information. (740-366-3404)

- March 4 (1st Sunday)
- March 17 (3rd Saturday)
- April 1 (1st Sunday)
- April 21 (3rd Saturday)
- May 6 (1st Sunday)
- May 19 (3rd Saturday)



Come Fly With Chapter 402!



Photos by Tom and Malcom MdFadden

Dates of Note

June 9, 2018 ... Young Eagles, VTA

August 18, 2018 ... EAA 402 Fly-in

Sept 15, 2018.. Young Eagles, VTA

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This Month Dinner is on Rollie and Larry

The February EAA 402 meeting is this Tuesday, February 20. And this month ... dinner is on Rollie Bailey and Larry Arnold! That's right, they're bringing dinner and dessert, so you just need to bring your appetite!

December Meeting Another Grand Success

Your Newsletter Editor was AWOL last month, and neglected to share the highlights of our December Christmas Dinner Meeting. Our guest speaker was Daniel Wolfe, Associate VP and General Manager of Aviation for Nationwide Insurance and their chief pilot. Dan is also an inductee of the Living Legends of Aviation, which includes many notable names such as Kermit Weeks, Dick Rutan and Buzz Aldren. His presentation was informative and inspiring, particularly for the many CAP Cadets that were in attendance as our guests. Larry Arnold served as Master of Ceremony, Charlie Rhoads led our caroling, and new officers were inducted, including President Barney Kemter. EAA presented CAP with a special plaque orchestrated by Sec. Tom McFadden, shown at left. The dinner was well attended, the food was great, and a very nice time was had by all!



Minutes of Jan 2018 EAA402 Meeting

The meeting, held at the chapter clubhouse, was called to order at 1900 hours by new President Barney Kemter. Barney welcomed all, thanked them for coming and then opened the meeting, as is customary, with the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. There were thirteen members present. Barney also thanked Rollie Bailey for making the arrangements for food this evening.

Secretary Report: The president asked for additions or corrections to the minutes of the December meeting as distributed by email by the newsletter editor. A motion to approve the minutes was made by Larry Arnold, and seconded by Carl Braddock. The motion carried.

Treasurers Report: Treasurer Ken Hughes presented the report dated January 16, 2018. The starting balance was \$4059.92. Dues payments of \$12.00 were received. Donations of \$8.00 to the Utility Fund were

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received. Payments for Christmas Dinners received were \$25.00. Expense for utilities was \$47.54. Other costs were \$1710.63 to Buckeye Lake Yacht Club and \$530.00 to EAA for chapter renewal. Ending balance was \$1816.75 including \$978.08 in reserve funds. There was discussion about the cost of the dinner being higher than anticipated. Seems BLYC charged for the venue which wasn't made clear to Larry when he made the arrangements. After adjustments were completed the dinner cost the chapter \$60.63 more than anticipated. A motion was made by Rollie Bailey to allow the treasurer to write off the \$60.63. The motion was seconded by Bernie Volpe. The vote was taken which carried. A motion to accept the treasurer's report was made by Dan Glaze and seconded by Larry Arnold. This motion carried.

Newsletter: No Report

The secretary asked for a moment to relay several items of communications to the members:

- Thank you card from the East End Food Pantry in response to the toilet paper that was collected on their behalf at our Christmas party and coordinated by Charlie Rhoads.
- Letter from Jan Wilkin of the Friendship Club of Licking County to let us know of the IMPACT Award that was bestowed on the WWII Traveling Memorial Wall in August. The award was bestowed by Explore Licking County (former Licking Co. Convention and Visitors Bureau) for the Honor the Service event.
- The secretary showed the framed certificate the chapter received from the CAP at the CAP banquet in December and passed along appreciation and accolades heard from Chief Cox at the 402 Christmas dinner.

Fly-Out Report: Rollie Bailey reported that we had had to wave the white flag again on the first Sunday fly-out because of weather. The 3rd Saturday fly-out will be to Sporty's at Clermont County Airport (I69). Depart Newark-Heath at 10:30 am.

Airport Board Report: Rollie Bailey made the report for the Airport Board.

- Board is still working on getting some new hangars.
- New rental contracts are coming for the present hangars and price will be raised slightly.
- Taxiway realignment engineering has been completed. Work will be done in 2018.
- Rollie mentioned that the farm land on the airport property has been farmed for years without the port authority having been paid any rental fee and the board is looking into this.

Old Business: None

New Business:

- The president appointed a board of directors consisting of the present officers and the immediate past president, Bernie Volpe. Barney

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announced a quick meeting of the board of directors following this meeting.

- President Kemter threw out several ideas for consideration:
 - Airplane owners might benefit from making AC engine oil purchases as a group to benefit from bulk pricing. There was some interest in this and it will be discussed later.
 - Barney asked CPA Michael Harris if money donated to the utility fund, etc., could be deducted from members' taxable income now that we are a 501C-3 organization. Michael said yes but it would only be beneficial if the taxpayer itemizes deductions.
 - Airplane builders and owners may benefit if the chapter maintained a list of shareable tools. Continuing discussion.
 - Shall we invite all AC owners on the field to come and join us? Continuing discuss.
 - Shall we host a flight safety – wings meeting? Consensus – Yes.
- Set our calendar for the year: Dates for two Young Eagles events, June 9th and September 15th were proposed with rain dates of the following Saturdays, and the date of August 18th was proposed for the Fly-In. Larry Arnold made a motion to accept these dates. The motion was seconded by Carl Braddock and the motion carried.

Announcements:

- Larry Arnold mentioned that we should send cards to Forrest Garey to let him know we are thinking about him during his cancer treatment.
- Tom mentioned that Charlie Rhoads had just had shoulder replacement and was unable to make this meeting.
- Dave Minnick mentioned that Tom Thompson's wife is pretty ill and has bone cancer.
- Bob Marriott mentioned that there would soon be a light-sport plane, a Cessna 162 Skycatcher, on the field for leaseback.

Projects:

- Dave Minnich has been insulating his hangar and has been able to hold 46 degrees even on vey cold days recently. Dave is presently putting the spinner on his Zenith CH-750. He is thankful for the help Tom Thompson has given him and is looking for more help with wiring the plane.

Motion to adjourn was made by Larry Arnold and seconded by Carl Braddock. The meeting was adjourned at approximately 2030.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Secretary Tom McFadden

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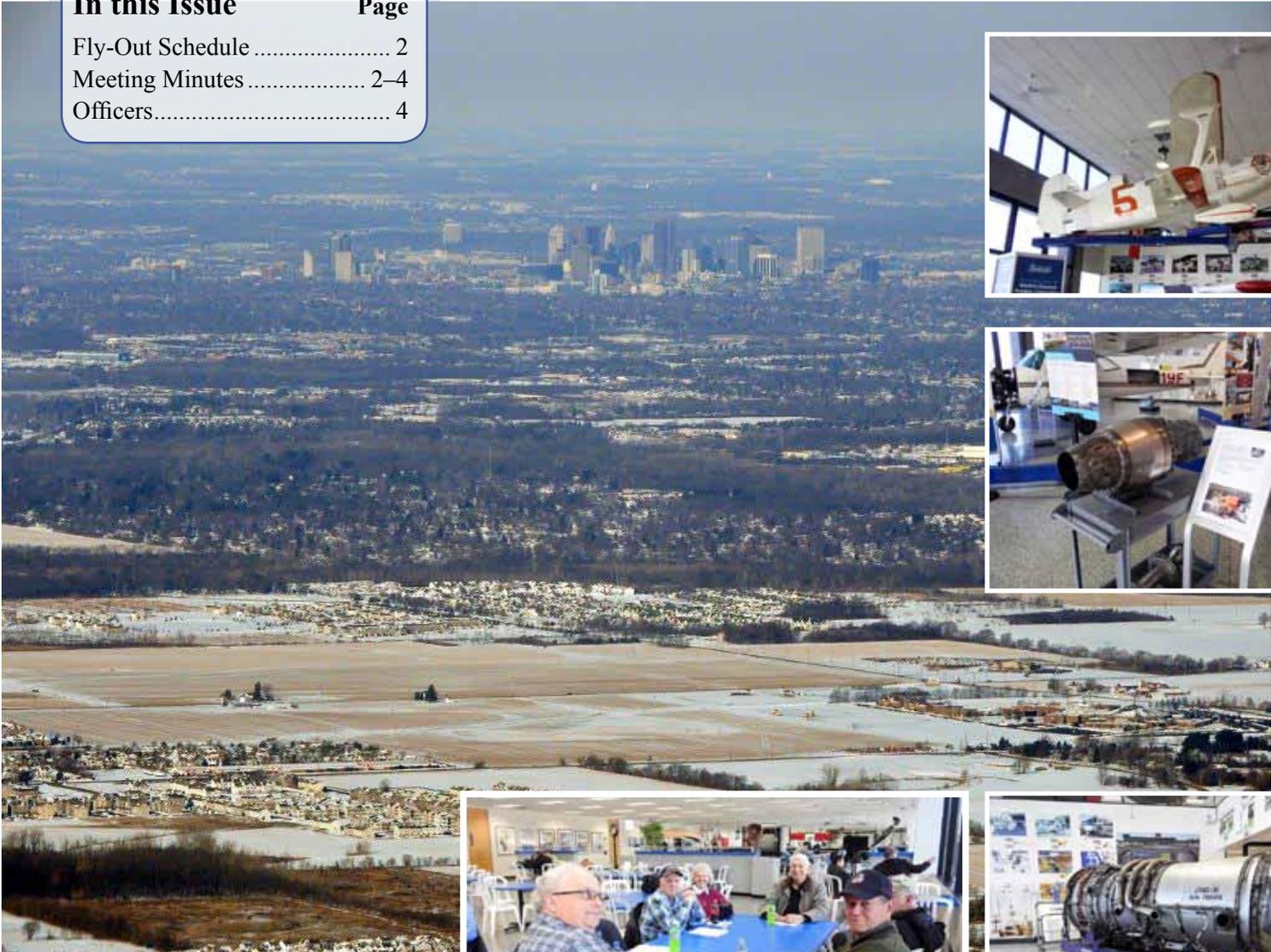
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Chapter 402 Meeting Dates and Locations

Chapter 402 meets on the 3rd Tuesday evening of each month at 7:00 pm at the Clubhouse, unless otherwise indicated below.

- February 20, 2018
- March 20, 2018
- April 17, 2018



These photos are from the January 20th fly-out to Sporty's, and were taken by Carl Oblinger. Recent fly-outs have been cancelled due to uncooperative weather, but when we do get a chance to get out, it's always a great time. Fly-out dates are listed on page 2. Check with Rollie to confirm or to make your "seat reservation."

