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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.

- January 19, 2016:  
EAA Chapter 402 Clubhouse,  
520 Heath Road, Heath
- February 16, 2016:  
EAA Chapter 402 Clubhouse,  
520 Heath Road, Heath
- March 15, 2015:  
EAA Chapter 402 Clubhouse,  
520 Heath Road, Heath

**December Dinner Meeting a Great Success!**



Chapter President Berne Volpe greeted members and guests, Guest Speaker J-Me Braig spoke about Buckeye Lake history and progress on the dam, Barney Kemter received his Master Pilot Award from Mark Harden, the FAASTeam Program Manager from the Columbus FSDO.

**Membership Renewal Time**

All chapter members should make sure their annual membership dues to the national EAA have been paid and their national membership is current. Go online to: [eaa.org/eaa/renew-eaa/membership-renewal](http://eaa.org/eaa/renew-eaa/membership-renewal) to renew.

Thanks.  
*Tom McFadden, Secretary.*

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## 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)

- January 3 (1st Sunday) is a holiday weekend so no fly-out has been scheduled.
- January 16 (3rd Saturday) depart (VTA) @ 10:00 am for brunch at Portsmouth (PMH)
- February 7 (1st Sunday): info to come via email. Contact Rollie for more information.
- February 20 (3rd Saturday) info to come via email. Contact Rollie for more information.

*Come Fly With Chapter 402!*



**Tell us about YOUR fly-out!**  
**Whether a special trip or**  
**just a great day of flying,**  
**share your story with others!**

**[www.EAA402.org](http://www.EAA402.org)**

Visit the EAA 402 website for more fly-out photos and dates of note. Post a comment, or send information to: Gary Kurtz at [info@e-Kurtz.com](mailto:info@e-Kurtz.com)

## Fly-Out Report

### December 6 Fly-out

On a brisk morning we had 7 aircraft depart (VTA) Newark for breakfast at Denny's (awesome breakfast menu) ZZV. The flight was smooth and clear. We have some great pics on the web site.

Attendees were:

Funk - Roy Hurt

Aeronca 7GC - Sam Huff

Cessna 172- Jim&Linda Carter

Cessna 150 - Barney Kempter

Cessna 152 - Dick Purdue

Aeronca 7AC - Mark Giles

Cherokee 235 - R Bailey

I would like this kind of turn-out every time!

Several of our other scheduled fly-outs have been weathered out.

Blue Skies Always

Your fly-out Coordinator,

*Rollie Bailey*



My new to me 1965 Cessna 150E, IFR trainer. Doing some minor work on it before taking it to my son in Texas. Long range tanks. pilot has short range bladder. Brought back from Rochester NY last Tuesday. by *Barney Kemter*

### Wanted to Buy

Old prop to use as an office decoration.

Joey Kostenbader  
(614) 302-2784

### Wanted to Buy

Battery pack for Garmin 195 GPS.

Bernie Volpe  
(614) 260-0509

### For Sale

Beautiful Hammond Organ, with built-in Leslie, drawbars, bells & whistles. Only \$1800.

Charlie Rhoads  
(740) 504-1222



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## Area Pilots Honored

Our own Barney Kemter received the prestigious Wright Brothers Master Pilot Award at our December dinner. The award recognizes pilots who have been flying for 50 years with a clean safety record.

Five other area pilots received the award at the Historical Aircraft Squadron located at the Fairfield County Airport on October 10, 2015. Mark Harden from the FAA presented the awards to Jerry Baldwin, Jerry Benson, Jack Ference, Tom Palmer, and Sanford "Sandy" Vaughn. Their history and records were highlighted in the Fairflied Towne Crier.

I will share more of that information in a coming newsletter. — *Editor*

## Minutes of December 2016 EAA 402 Meeting

The meeting, held in conjunction with the annual Christmas dinner, was called to order at 1900 by President Berne Volpe at the Harbor Hills Country Club. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. There were sixty three members and guests present including sixteen Civil Air Patrol cadets and adults.

Bernie welcomed all to the dinner and recognized a number of individuals: Civil Air Patrol Composite Squadron members, Mark Harden from the FAA, Susan Reid, Jerry Nolton, new chapter member Tom Kashner, speaker J-Me Braig and her husband Emil Bogden.

**Secretary's Report:** The secretary asked for approval of the November meeting minutes as printed in the December newsletter. A motion to accept the minutes was made by Bill Corban, seconded by Larry Arnold and passed by the members present.

**Treasurer's Report:** Treasurer Ken Hughes gave the report. The ending balance as of December 15, 2015 was \$3,732.15. Contributions to the utility fund were \$202.00. Income from dues was \$66.00. Income from scrap metal sales was \$14.00. Other Income was \$1,536.27 including Christmas dinner reservations. Utilities paid: \$72.00. Other expenses: \$500.00 for down payment on dinner at Harbor Hills. Reserves, included in the balance, were \$514.61 in the Utility Fund and \$308.88 in the Young Eagles Fund.

A motion to accept was made by Rollie and seconded by Barney, and approved by all members present. The remainder of the normal business meeting was suspended in favor of the special events.

### Awards:

- President Volpe awarded the EAA certificates and lapel pins to the chapter officers.
- Secretary McFadden presented, en-mass, sixty certificates and pins to all those members, friends and CAP that assisted in the chapter's Young Eagles and other events during 2015.
- Larry Arnold, acting as master of ceremonies, introduced FAA representative Mark Harden, the FAASTeam Program Manager from the Columbus FSDO. Mr. Harden was with us to present The Wright Brothers "Master Pilot" Award to one of our chapter members, Mr. Barney Kemter. Mr. Harden introduced and explained the history and meaning of the award and read the citations from the FAA regarding Mr. Kemter's qualifications for the award which were significant including 50 years as a licensed pilot without an accident. Mr. Harden then presented Barney with a beautiful plaque and a certificate along with a "true copy" of the FAA's file on Barney.

### Guest Speaker:

- Larry introduced our guest speaker J-Me Braig, manager of the Buckeye Lake Museum. J-Me made a well received presentation about the history of the lake itself and the development, growth and changes to the Buckeye Lake community.

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**The Works  
Permanent Exhibit**

Funds are being raised for a permanent exhibit at The Works, to tell the story of Jerrie Mock’s around the world flight, while teaching visitors about aviation, weather and flight.

Please consider making a donation to this fund, and encouraging others to do so.

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**Announcements:**

- Larry announced that on Thursday, December 18th, Jerrie Mock will be inducted into the Paul E. Garber First Flight Shrine in Kill Devil Hill, N.C.

The meeting was adjourned at 2100.

*Minutes respectfully submitted by Secretary Tom McFadden*

This is a fun place to fly, and not too long a drive if weather’s not cooperating. Let Charlie know if you’re interested in any shows. Some of the 2016 shows are:

- Mar 4: Branson on the Road
- April 30: Crystal Gayle
- May 16: Penny Gilley
- Sep 16: Dailey & Vincent
- Nov 16: Mandy Barnett

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