



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.

- July 20, 2017
- August 15, 2017
- September 19, 2017
- October 17, 2017

WACO Fly-Out June 22, 2017

Marie and I are members of the National WACO Club, and this year we decided to join them as they held a fly-out to the WACO Museum (Troy, Ohio), then a short jaunt for lunch at New Carlisle, Ohio. This gathering took place at the Barnhart Memorial Airport (3OH0), home of EAA Chapter 610, and residence for several, very interesting and unusual

airplanes. We took time to talk with Mr. Eddie Ridenour, an 83 year-old pilot's pilot, who has owned some 26 airplanes during his lifetime – now flies a J-3 just for fun.

That evening, we attended the “corn boil” at Wynkoop Airport, where we found Chuck and Katie Snook!

Ken Hughes

RIGHT: Unique street signs at Barnhart Memorial.



In the barn, in Troy, OH.



LEFT: Ted Teach's 1936 Ryan ST, 2016 Antique Grand Champion, at Barnhart Airport. (Featured in EAA Sport Aviation May 2017)



ABOVE: Eddie Ridenour in his mancave, at Barnhart Airport.



ABOVE: WACO Lineup, at Barnhart.



LEFT: Corn at Wynkoop.



Photos by Ken Hughes

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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)

- August 19 (3rd Saturday), is to Delaware's EAA (DLZ) pancake breakfast. Depart VTA at 8:30 am.

- Sept 3 (1st Sunday) will be to Mt Victory (O74), departure 8:30 am for the Buffet Breakfast
- Sept 16 (3rd Saturday) is Young Eagles, so there will be no fly-out. (Setup will be the evening before.)



Come Fly With Chapter 402!

Dates of Note

August 26 Honor the Service Event, VTA

August 26-27 The Great State of Maine Airshow, featuring the Blue Angels, Brunswick Maine.

For information visit

<http://greatstateofmainearshow.us/>

Sept 16 Young Eagles at VTA

Fly-Out Report

July 15 3rd Sat Fly-out

Three aircraft departed Newark and one from Wynkoop for the pancake breakfast at Wooster.



The weather really cooperated and all pilots and passengers had a great time. Participants were:

Cessna 152 Dick and Gaye Purdue
Cessna 170 Ralph Brandon
Cessna 182 Charlie Rhoads
Cessna 172 Michael and Cheryl Harris

Blue Skies Always
Your fly-out Coordinator,
Rollie Bailey

April 15 Charlie Rhoads and Bob McGaughey (who gave the presentation of the Doolittle Raiders at our EAA dinner at Cedar Run Lodge) flew in Barbie III while Bob Marriott took videos. In the photo on the left, Bob is spinning the prop to assist the crew.

Urbana Restoration Update

August 5th I flew to Urbana to check in on the restoration underway there. Volunteers restoring the Champaign Lady B-17 in Urbana have the original pilot seat from the Memphis Belle to use as a template to make a new one. Volunteers there shared that the complete restoration of the original Memphis Belle, that completed 25 missions in Europe during WWII and was the subject of the popular movie Memphis Belle, will be in Urbana on display next year, May 18th, 2018. Tom Henry, a fellow Newark High School graduate Class of 1953, flew with me to Urbana and is in the photo below.

Charlie Rhoads



Photos by
Charlie Rhoads



Honor the Service: August 26 at VTA

The big event is almost here! Saturday, August 26, 2017 Honor the Service will be held at the Newark-Heath Airport. This event involves local and national organizations and guests.

The World War II Traveling Memorial will be on hand for this event. Motorcycles are to meet at 11:30 on Friday, August 25 at the Speedway Gas Station Rt 79 across the RXR tracks by the industrial park, to escort the wall to VTA.

EAA 402 will be playing an important part in this event, so please put it on your calendar and be prepared to volunteer or attend. More information will be discussed again at Tuesday's meeting.

Minutes of July 2017 EAA 402 Meeting

The meeting, held at the chapter clubhouse, was called to order at 1900 hours by President Berne Volpe, and was opened with the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. There were twenty members and two visitors, 9-yr old Billy Ramias and his mother, present.

Secretary Report: Secretary Tom McFadden asked for additions or corrections to the minutes of the June meeting as published in the July newsletter. A motion to approve the minutes was made by Barney Kemter, and seconded by Bob Marriott. A vote was taken and the motion carried.

Treasurers Report: Treasurer Ken Hughes presented the report dated July 18, 2017. The starting balance was \$3,154.12. Dues payments of \$12.00 were received. Donations of \$49.00 were received. Expense for utilities was \$83.78. Other costs were \$188.90. Ending balance was \$2,921.44 including \$1,174.28 in reserve funds. Ken reported that the cost for the YE event increased substantially to \$434.92. Motion to accept the report was made by Rollie Bailey and seconded by Jim Wright. The motion carried.

Fly-Out Report: Dick Perdue gave a report of the fly-out of July 15th to Wayne County Airport (BJJ) and then on to Put-n-Bay (3W2). Rollie said the August 1st, Sunday fly-out, will be to Port Clinton. George Schweighofer asked how one goes about getting a seat on a fly-out and Rollie said just come out on the morning of the fly-out and see what is available or call him in advance.

Ken Hughes reported on a fun trip he and Marie took recently. On the 22nd of June, they flew to a private field called Barnhart Memorial (3OH0) just inside the Dayton airspace. There they saw several interesting planes and talked with some old pilots. They then flew to Wynkoop (6G4) for a corn-boil. Ken said he and Marie had a great time. Look for a story in the newsletter soon.

Airport Report: Bill Corban reported that the taxiway relocation project will not need an archeological investigation. The relocation has been approved and should take place in 2018. Bill also reported that some additional grants are available and VTA may get one of them. On the on-going discussion about new hangars Bill reported that notices were sent out to the construction industry that an information packet was available. There were four requests for packets. One interested party has responded.

Old Business:

Weinermeister Award Presentation – Weinermeister Brigadier Arnold assisted by Weinermeister Colonel Braddock presented Weinermeister Private Wright with a commendation and award for his efforts and success in cooking 240 hotdogs at the June 10th Young Eagles Rally. Weinermeister Wright was also presented with the Weinermeister shoulder-cord-with-brass-dangly-thing and was encouraged to wear it with pride. Note: The Brigadier and the Colonel then, out of jealousy, presented each other with the Weinermeister shoulder-cord-with-dangly-thing. Everyone had a good laugh.

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Young Eagles – Next event is September 16th. Tom said we should be prepared for a crowd like June 10th and suggested that we don't over advertise. Based on what was learned, we should be prepared to take names of all that come but don't get to fly. It was suggested that we plan the following Saturday as a rain date and make-up date for the overflow. We should also make sure that the kids pick up their certificates after flight as they must be shown to the Weinermeisters before they can get a hot dog. This will help prevent air sickness and soiling of airplanes.

Honor the Service Event - Tom made a plea for volunteers to help with set-up, tear-down and security at the event and offered volunteer forms. There was little response. Tom also mentioned that our chapter tables have been committed and we will need a volunteer or two with trucks on Friday evening and Sunday afternoon to move them. EAA402 will have a booth at the event. Chuck and Katie have volunteered to help man the booth. Others are needed.

New Business:

President Volpe, in accordance with the bylaws, appointed a committee for nomination of officers for 2018. The committee consists of Rollie Bailey, Barney Kemter and Carl Braddock.

Projects:

- Robert Marriott said he flew his Ercoup today!
- David Minnich continues to make progress on his CH570, is waiting for some parts and hopes to be putting the wings on soon.
- Tom Thompson now has his project at VTA, in one of Sam Huff's hangars, for installation of the wings.
- Barney Kemter said that he stopped at Dan Glaze's place and saw his CH 750 project. Barney said the panel and the wiring is a "work of art."

Announcements: Larry Arnold thanked Bill and Earlene Corban for cleaning the fence by the clubhouse of all the accumulated leaves and detritus.

A motion to adjourn was made by Carl Braddock, seconded by Michael Harris and passed by the members. The meeting was adjourned at approximately 7:50PM.

Submitted by Secretary Tom McFadden

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