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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.

- October 15, 2013:
EAA Chapter 402 Clubhouse, 520 Heath Road, Heath
- November 19, 2013:
EAA Chapter 402 Clubhouse, 520 Heath Road, Heath
- December 17, 2013:
Holiday Meeting: Details to be determined; check the website at www.EAA402.org

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Visit the EAA 402 website for more fly-out photos and dates of note. Post a comment, or send information to Gary Kurtz, our chapter webmaster, at info@e-kurtz.com



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Members

Wing

Charlie Rhoads



Charlie Rhoads has been nominated for the position of EAA 402 President for the coming year, so it's the perfect time to share his story with Chapter 402.

Charlie graduated from Newark High School in 1953 and joined the US Navy. In boot camp he was selected to attend Submarine School in New London, Ct. He was a member of the Navy band, and the touring men's choral group. After graduating he was assigned to the USS Sea Robin (SS407), a WWII type submarine, where he served four years. He was then assigned communications duties at the Naval Air Station, Brunswick, Me., Navcommsta Wash DC (The Pentagon), staff of Comsubflot two, New London. In between shore duties, he was assigned sea duties on USS Diablo (SS479) and USS Sarda (SS488). He completed tours of duty on ballistic missile submarines Ethan Allen, Sam Houston, and Will Rogers, and completed six deterrent patrols, eventually retiring from the military in 1973. During his career Mr. Rhoads completed numerous electronic and cryptographic courses that enabled him to maintain his 24/7 communications while on patrol. He was also a teletype operator,

qualified in Morse code (send/receive) and was a code speed key operator.

After retiring from the submarine service, Charlie was employed at General Dynamics, Electric Boat, Division in Groton, Ct., first as an electronic planner of submarine overhauls. He then transferred to the Data Systems Division, where he installed and maintained computer equipment, including IBM and Univac. In 1982, Charlie transferred to the Lima Tank Plant as a Data Systems Engineer, where he retired in 1990.

Charlie is a 50+ year member of Newark Masonic Lodge #97, and served as organist for 15 years. He is a 32nd degree Scottish Rite Mason (Valley of Columbus) and Aladdin Shrine, Columbus, member. He is a lifetime member of American Legion #85 and Newark Elks #391.

Charlie always loved airplanes and began taking flying lessons when he was 67, and solo'd on his 68th birthday! He enjoys flying his Cessna Skylane with his wife, Catherine. Charlie has served as Treasurer of EAA Chapter 402 in the past, and belongs to AOPA.

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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).

- October 19th (3rd Saturday) we will depart VTA @ 8:00 a.m. for brunch at Canaan Valley WV (WV62). There will be an option to stay over. If you are interested call 1-888-359-4667 Windwood Fly-in Resort. Prices are reasonable.
- November 3rd (1st Sunday) we will depart VTA @ 10:30 am for 38D Salem OH for lunch.
- November 16th (3rd Saturday) we will depart VTA @ 8:00 am for PMH Portsmouth OH for breakfast.

Come Fly With Chapter 402!



Dates of Note

EAA 402 YEOctober 26

Fly-Out Report

New Philly Fly-out October 5th

The fly-out date was actually Sunday, October 6th. But anticipating that weather wasn't going to cooperate that day, it was suggested pilots consider Saturday instead. Two aircraft flew to the Ohio Bush Pilots fly-in. Ken took photos. The aircraft's departing (VTA) were 235 Cherokee with Ken Hughes and Rollie, and Bill Jarrell who signed out the 172 Cessna Sierra Pop. Many planes



and good food were there, and we had a smooth flight. See you all on the 19th for the beautiful flight to the Windwood fly-in Resort West Virginia.

Your Fly-out Coordinator
Chapter 402

Rollie Bailey

Photos by Ken Hughes

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Charlie is an avid automobile enthusiast, especially for cars of the 50's. His favorite auto was the 1957 Oldsmobile, like the one he owned while in the Navy. In 1987 he spotted a 1957 Olds 88 in a yard in Lima, and his spark was reignited. He purchased the 88 and restored it, along with three other '57 models. One of his restored Olds, a white convertible, carried

Wayne Newton in Newark's bicentennial parade in 1996 and is now in the Auto Museum in Norwich, NY. He still owns

the car he purchased in Lima in 1987. Over the years he has won numerous car show awards, including the Oldsmobile Club of America, where he is the current 1957 advisor and has served as Chapter President and Vice-President in the past.

Charlie maintains his Navy connection as a Plank Owner in the Fleet Reserve Association, and has served as Vice Commander and Chaplain of the USS Robin Association. He was instrumental in the planning and staging of the USS Sea Robin 2009 Reunion in Charleston, SC.

From 1985 on, Charlie traveled home to Newark on weekends to attend Central Christian Church, where he has been a member since 1945. Charlie sang in the choir and played handbells in church, and played piano and guitar for Sunday School services. He has served as Deacon and Elder at Central Christian Church.

The organizations Charlie has been involved with have been blessed by his contributions, and EAA 402 is grateful we're on the list!

Minutes of September 17 EAA 402 Meeting

The meeting, held in the chapter clubhouse at 520 Heath Road, Heath, Ohio, was called to order by President Bob Boyd at 7:00PM. There were twenty-six members present and two guests. Bob welcomed all, including new members Jim Wright and Ashley Baker, and visitors Chris Green and Emily Journey. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

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Secretary's Report: On motion by Barney Kemter and seconded by Rollie Bailey, the minutes of the August 20th meeting were approved by the members.

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer Larry Arnold gave the financial report. Starting balance was \$2,533.05. Income: \$42.00. Expenses paid: \$148.22. Ending balance: \$2,426.83. Utility reserves: \$175.42. Young Eagles Reserves: \$145.37. A motion to accept the treasurer's report was made by Bernie Volpe, seconded by Charlie Rhoads and passed by the members present.

Fly-Out Report: Rollie Bailey reported that the fly-out to Put-n-Bay did not occur because of weather. The October 6th, 1st Sunday Fly-Out, will be to New Philadelphia (PHD). Depart VTA at 10:30 AM for lunch. It will take the place of the Graham Field fly-in which has gotten too big for the grass strip and has been moved to PHD and is sponsored by the local EAA chapter.

The 3rd Saturday Fly-out, October 19th, will be to Canaan Valley, WV (WV62). Depart VTA at 8:00 AM for brunch at Amelia's Restaurant. There will be an option to stay over at the lodge. See page 2, "Heart of Ohio Fly-Outs," for details.

Charlie mentioned that the Bear Creek Farms restaurant near Portland, IN is hosting Jimmy Fortune, formerly of the Statler Brothers, on October 5th. (Ed note: We went there on a fly-out in April 2012).

Newsletter Editor: Wendy Hollinger reported that the Jerrie Mock statue dedication went very well and thanked the chapter members who showed up to transport airport arrivals to the Works and those who manned the chapter table at the Works.

Airport Board: Bill Corban took to the board our offer to repaint the lines on the airport. The board suggested we wait until after the asphalt is sealed. The board may have the sealing contractor also do the restriping.

Bill reported another item of significance. He brought an expert roofing contractor out to look at our building to get an opinion on why the roof is leaking. After looking at the roof the expert said the roof was built with very good materials but it is leaking because it was improperly installed. Bill had the contractor go ahead and make the necessary corrections to stop the leaks. The roof has now been sealed down and is good. Bill paid the \$685 for the repairs out of his pocket and explained that he felt responsible because he had the original roof put on and didn't see that it was a bad job. He said we could do as we wished about reimbursement. The members were very quick to respond noting that the chapter should pay for the repairs and that Bill should be reimbursed in full. Michael Harris made a motion that Mr. Corban be fully reimbursed. The motion was seconded by Wendy Hollinger. There was no further discussion and the members voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

The question arose about paint peeling on the soffits and Bill said we should investigate and repair the wood before any repainting is done.

Old Business:

- Awning installation: Dan Glaze has dropped the awning off behind the clubhouse and is waiting on word from the chapter before going ahead

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For Sale

Aviationics

Charlie Rhoads has a digital gyro and CDI for sale.

Call Charlie at 740 504 1222.

Pietenpol

Beautiful Pietenpol built in 1998, 485 TT, A65 485SMOH, Oct 2012 Annual, cockpit release towhook for hand prop, 16 gal fuel, cockpit covers, motorcycle battery ground charge, wired for handheld radio/GPS. Flew to Brodhead and Oshkosh 2009.

Located at Hale's Landing in WV. (Dale and Wendy are familiar with this plane and can tell you how great it is!)

Call Skip Gadd at 304-483-8342

Post Flier Please

Young Eagles was cancelled due to weather, and has been rescheduled for October 26th. Please post the flier on page 6 or share with someone who might be interested.

Builders' News

Builders: We want to hear from you. Share your knowledge and progress, or frustrations and questions, with fellow members. Send articles and photos to the newsletter editor at wendy@phoenixgraphix.us or the web master at info@e-Kurtz.com

with the installation. He would like to know if the members are okay with the used roll-up awning. It was suggested by several members that we take care of the wood repair and painting before installing the awning.

- Young Eagles Rally: Bernie and Tom reviewed the planning for the September 21st Young Eagles event. (Ed note: Rescheduled for Oct 26.)

New Business:

- Nominations for officers: At the request of the president the secretary summed up the nominations so far. By default the officers have become the nominating committee and has one nomination for president, Charlie Rhoads, and one nomination for treasurer, Ken Hughes. The vice president and the secretary said they would accept the nomination to retain their office if the members so desire. The nominating committee will accept nominations prior to, and at, the next meeting. Members may contact any of the officers to make a nomination.
- Bill Corban suggested that we replace the old folding tables that we always use for the fly-ins and Young Eagles Rallies. The members all agreed. A price of \$20-\$25 per table was assumed. Bill offered a \$100 donation and, very quickly, others made donations: Bernie \$50, Rollie \$50, Charlie \$50, Dick \$50. Ken offered \$50 also but was turned down because it was thought that \$300 was enough. Charlie volunteered to purchase and bring the tables to the T-Hangar. Rollie volunteered to take the old tables to Crispin's junk yard and sell them for scrap.

Announcements:

President Bob made several announcements:

- an invitation from the Civil Air Patrol commander. We are invited to a change-of-command ceremony Tuesday evening, October 1st, 6:30 PM, at the CAP building in Everett Park in Newark.
- displayed a poster about the Zanesville (ZZV) Fly-In.
- a thank you note from Wild Wally of T-100 thanking us for allowing him to participate in our Fly-In.
- Bob announced that the chapter had sent a card and flowers to Martha Ware, Harold's wife, who has been in the hospital.

Barney made announcements about a 152 club in Michigan and about the beacon tower and concrete arrow at our airport.

Rollie made an announcement about the Fly-In/Air show at Coshocton (I40).

50/50 Drawing: The 50/50 drawing winner was Ken Hughes and he donated the winnings of \$13.50 to the utility fund.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:00 PM on motion of Michael Harris and seconded by Wendy.

Minutes submitted by Secretary Tom McFadden

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Club House Painting Project Completed

Volunteers from EAA Chapter 402 power washed and repainted our clubhouse. The work started on October 1st. We finished on October 9th, 2014. The wood soffit and trim still needs a second coat of white paint, but the project should be totally complete before our next monthly meeting, which is on Tuesday, October 15th.

The project was organized by Bill Corban. Bill and his wife, Earlene, led by example. In addition to the hard work performed by Bill and Earlene, Larry Arnold, Rollie Bailey, Bernie Volpe, Ken Hughes and Jim Wright helped power wash/blast and scrape the old paint off, replace rotted trim boards and moulding, prime and repaint the outside of the building and trim, power wash, paint and stain the picnic table and fill and reseal the space between the base of the building and the patio.

During the project some old block lettering was discovered on the back of the building, just above the rear door. While it was somewhat difficult to read, it appeared to

read "EAA402 - Field Elev. 880". In addition, on the front of the building, just to the left of our current EAA402 sign, there were traces of a large circular logo containing white, blue, and yellow paint. Could it have been an old EAA emblem? Are there any of our old timers who know the answer?

It is our members, such as those who volunteered their time and labor on this project, that make EAA402 such a great club.

Thanks to all.

Respectfully submitted,
Larry Arnold



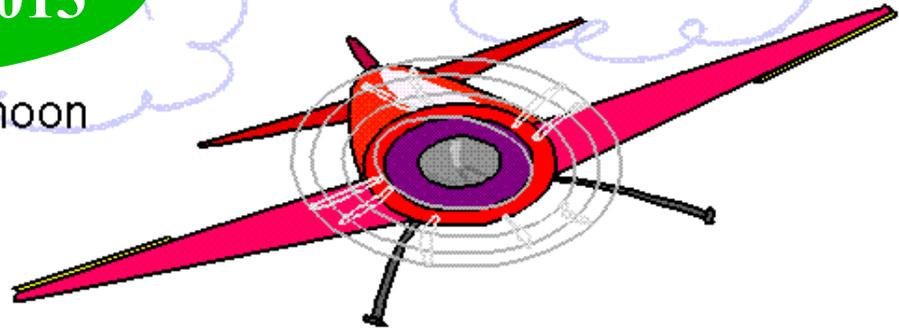
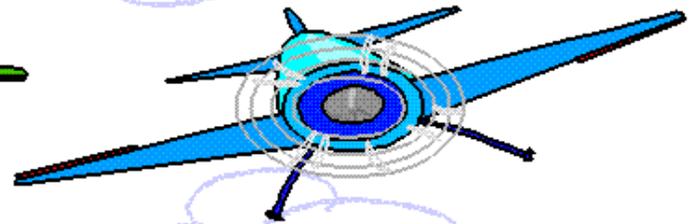
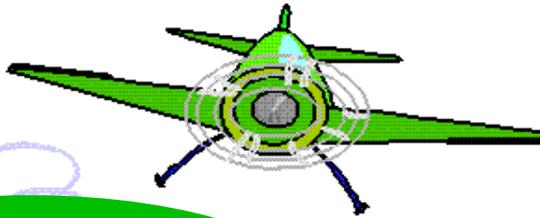
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Free Airplane Ride

YOUNG EAGLES FLIGHTS FOR YOUTH, AGES 8 THROUGH 17

NEWARK-HEATH AIRPORT

530 HEATH ROAD, HEATH, OHIO



Rescheduled:
October 26, 2013

9:00am to 12:00 noon

PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST ACCOMPANY THE CHILD TO THE AIRPORT FOR THIS EVENT AND WILL BE REQUIRED TO SIGN A PERMISSION / RELEASE FORM BEFORE THE FLIGHT.



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Young Eagles is a program of the Experimental Aircraft Association designed to foster interest in aviation in youth. For more information call 740-323-6994

FWW Post 1060 is a sponsor of Young Eagles activities in Newark-Heath.

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