



**Heart of Ohio**  
*EAA Chapter 402*  
*Newark-Heath, OH*



April 2014

Photo of N1538C by Greg Hitchens

**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.

- April 15, 2014:  
EAA Chapter 402 Clubhouse, 520 Heath Road, Heath
- May 20, 2014:  
EAA Chapter 402 Clubhouse, 520 Heath Road, Heath
- June 17, 2014:  
EAA Chapter 402 Clubhouse, 520 Heath Road, Heath

**April 17, 2014 Mock Re-enactment**

April 17th at 9:36 pm (the time that Jerrie returned 50 years ago) we have arranged for a female pilot to fly a Cessna 180 in to Port Columbus Airport. (And it's not just any female pilot ... Martha Lunken has been a pilot for 52 years, holds multiple ratings, is an FAA Examiner, and contributor to *Flying* magazine!) The Spirit of Columbus Chapter of Women in Aviation and Landmark Aviation will host a reception to welcome Martha and toast Jerrie.

PLEASE join us ...

Date: April 17, 2014

Time: 8:30 – 10:00 pm

Location: Landmark Aviation, 4130 East 5th Ave, Columbus OH 43219

RSVP Required: [wendy@phoenixgraphix.us](mailto:wendy@phoenixgraphix.us) or by phone at 740-587-3659

**BREAKING NEWS!**

If you can't attend, you can listen to the tower speak with Martha as she honors Jerrie Mock and her Cessna N1538C. You'll be able to listen, live!

Visit [www.liveatc.net](http://www.liveatc.net) and search for "kcmh"

**Susan Reid at Newark Library**

Susan Reid will present on Jerrie at the Newark Library on Monday, April 14th at 6:00 pm.

**Wendy at OH Aviation Association**

Wendy Hollinger will speak at the Ohio Aviation Association Conference on Tuesday, April 22nd.

*Ohio State FLIGHT TRAINING CLINIC presents...*

**FLIGHT REVIEW WEEKEND**

On **April 25-26, 2014**, the Ohio State Flight Training Clinic will be conducting flight reviews. Classroom study will be on the 25th at 6p and then various flight slots will be available for the 26th. Flight reviews are required by the FAA every 24 months. Please sign up for the class and flight slot. Cost of the weekend will be \$50 for the class and minimum of 1 hour in aircraft at \$160/hr in a Cessna 172.\* You must have the classroom work done before the flight. If you have your own plane, the cost of the instructor only will be charged for the flight. Rain day will be May 3rd.

**ADVANCED REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED!**

Please contact Ann Dee Hamilton, Flight Training Clinic Manager, to register!!

[ahamilton@osuairport.org](mailto:ahamilton@osuairport.org) or 614.292.5473.

**Project Aware class.** If you have a non-pilot spouse or friend who often flies with you, the Scioto Valley 99s will be conducting a 2 hour aircraft, instrument, navigation familiarization class on the 26th at 1p. The class is free!

**Ohio State Flight Training Clinic**

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**Scioto Valley 99s**

Paula Rumbaugh, President  
 614.261.7519  
[paulapilotosu@gmail.com](mailto:paulapilotosu@gmail.com)

\*if another plane is desired, advise upon registering.

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*From the President*

Hello members! Just a reminder of what can be donated to the club for fund raising: old aluminum of any kind, flag poles, garden poles, beer and pop cans, and even lead car/tractor batteries (but you must leave the liquid inside.) So far member response has been rewarding, but we can do much better!

If you have items to donate and cannot make it in to the T-hanger, give me a call and I will pick up the items.

Thanks so much.

*Charlie*



## 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).

- April 19 (3rd Saturday) depart (VTA) 8:00 a.m. for breakfast @ Salem OH (38D).
- May 4 (1st Sunday) details to come.
- May 17 (3rd Saturday) details to come.

Notice: Fly-outs from December to April will be short due to the possibility of inclement weather.

*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!**

### Dates of Note

Jerrie Mock Statue Unveiling &  
50th Anniversary, CMH.... April 17  
EAA 402 Young Eagles..... June 14  
Lunch & Show, Celina..... June 27  
EAA Airventure,  
Oshkosh WI ..... July 28–August 3  
SAA Fly-in..... August 15–17

## Fly-Out Report

### Third Sat. Fly-out: March 15

Although not as windy as the day before, we changed the fly-out from ZZV to I74 Grimes due to lack of ground transportation to Denny's. Three aircraft and 5 pilots departed VTA at 8:45 and headed into a westerly headwind. Dick Purdue in his Cessna 150, Larry Arnold and Arnie Hartman in their Archer, and Jesse Ours and Charlie in his Skylane 182, enjoyed an uneventful round trip and a good breakfast at Urbana served by Sandy, our favorite waitress. Our favorite fly-out coordinator just happened to be in Florida, unable to be here, but sent his condolences to all. While enjoying breakfast, we had a couple of serious discussions, one on flight 370's disappearance, and the other on the effects that dementia/alzheimers has had on each of our lives. We all have had family members experience this terrible problem that tests family relationships. Our prayers go out to all who have experienced this in their lives. And now we look forward to the weather improving day by day and that means more flights. EAA chapter 402 encourages more pilots to come together, especially on fly-out days (1st Sunday and 3rd Saturday of each month) and make Rollie's job more satisfying.

*Charlie Rhoads*

### Wanted to buy:

I am looking for any kind of airplane pieces or parts that I can get my hands on. Mainly looking for a tail wheel assembly, instruments or anything that I can save a buck on for my project. Items need not be certified because they will be used in an Experimental.

Bob Boyd: (740) 504-8116

### First Sunday Fly-out: April 6

Departed VTA at 10:30am for Parkersburg WV for brunch with 4 aircraft. For a change the weather was great! Restaurant has been spruced up a little with the window view still great. We all had a great visit and had a chance for some pilots to fly who haven't for a long while.

Attendees:

Centurion 210: Ryan Kissell and son, also Karla Orr, daughters Taylor and Trina.

Cessna 152: Dick and Gay Purdue

Cessna 172: Tom McFadden, Roger D-Barrett, and Carl Oblinger

235 Cherokee: Rollie, Marie, Lacey Bailey, and Wess McKown

### Saturday, April 12 Impromptu

KZZV-Zanesville Airport had a Planes, Cars, and Coffee fly-in last Saturday. It was not our fly-out day, but the weather was great so 4 aircraft from Newark flew over to take in the festivities. It was a great flight for the taildraggers.

Pilots and their guests were:

Cessna 152: Dick Purdue

Areoncia: Fred & Jack Maki

Funk: Roy Hurt & Bob Hansberger

235 Cherokee: Rollie, Bob Bennett, and Carl Oblinger

Carl has pics your way!

Fly-out coordinator 402

Rollie Bailey

Blue Skies Always

Your fly-out Coordinator

*Rollie Bailey*

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## Minutes of March EAA 402 Meeting

### June 27: Buffet and show!

Put June 27 on your calendar for a fly-out to Celina by the Lake, where we all had a great Italian meal on our last trip there. Bearcreek Memories Dinner Theater will be taking over the shows that were shown at Bearcreek Farms until last year. On June 27th, the Van-Dells (a 50's group) will perform. Doors open at 11:30, buffet begins at 12:30 and the show is at 2 pm. This venue is only 6 miles North of the Celina airport, so we can fly up there and enjoy the festivities and fly back in daylight. For the Van-Dells (buffet and show with priority gold seat) tickets are \$39. Celina is a good flight for tail-draggers, and if you don't want to fly but would like to join us, it's only a 2 hour drive from Newark.

I hope you'll put this event on your calendar and plan to join me. For more information give me a call at (740) 641-6361.

*Charlie Rhoads*

The meeting was called to order by President Charlie Rhoads at 7:00 PM. There were 20 members and 1 visitor, Bob Dingus, present. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. President Rhoads welcomed the members and visitor.

**Secretary's Report:** A motion to accept the minutes of the February 18th meeting was made by Rollie Bailey and seconded by Ken Rauch. The minutes were approved by the members.

**Treasurer's Report:** Treasurer Ken Hughes gave the financial report. The starting balance was \$1066. Income from dues paid: \$36.00. Income from donations: \$123.00. Income from 50/50 drawing was \$23.00. Expenses paid: were \$216.69. Ending balance: \$1,031.31. Utility reserves: \$17.95. Young Eagles Reserves: \$64.93. Ending balance less reserves was \$948.43. Motion was made by Roger Digel-Barrett, seconded by Bob Marriott and passed by the members present.

**Fly-Out Report:** Rollie Bailey reported that he was in Florida for Bike Week and did not make the last fly-out. Charlie Rhoads took charge and two planes went out to Zanesville (ZZV) and breakfast at Denny's. Larry Arnold and Arnie Hartmen flew together, and Charlie Rhoads and Jesse Ours flew together. The 1st Sunday Fly-Out, April 6th, will be to Parkersburg (PKB). As a member of the Newark-Heath Airport Board, Rollie recently flew to PKB to check out the overhead door on their big hangar and learned that the restaurant has reopened.

**Membership:** Dale says he keeps talking to people and promoting GA every chance he gets. Dale gave us more information on the events surrounding the Jerrie Mock statue dedication at Port Columbus on April 17th at 8:30AM. Wendy has arranged for Martha Lunken to fly-in to CMH at the exact time that Jerrie returned 50 years ago; 9:35PM. Martha will fly from Lunken Field in Cincinnati and will park at Landmark Aviation on the SE corner of Port Columbus. All members of EAA 402 are invited and encouraged to attend the event and help build the crowd. Dale will have parking info for us before April 17th. Dale also briefed the members about the Facebook (Fly38Charlie) and Twitter pages that will follow Jerrie's flight for the dates of March 19th through April 17th.

**Airport Board:** Bill Corban reported that there was not a quorum therefore there was no meeting. Old Business: Fund raisers were mentioned. We have collected quite a bit of metal in the T-Hangar.

### New Business:

Bernie Volpe, Young Eagles coordinator, reminded that our first event will be June 14th.

**Announcements:** Rollie reported that the SAA fly-in at Wynkoop will be on the same weekend as our Fly-In breakfast. Dale returned Three-Eight Charlie books that he and Wendy had taken to Florida get Jerrie Mock to sign.

**Member Projects:** Our visitor, Bob Dingus, asked if there was any one in the chapter doing scratch building and said he is looking for a chapter to join that has active scratch builders.

**[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)

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50/50 Drawing was won by Roger Digel-Barrett and Roger returned his winnings to the chapter. \$28 total went into the utility fund.

Meeting was adjourned at 1935.

*Minutes Submitted by Secretary Tom McFadden*

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## Biggest losers!

At our January 21st meeting members signed up for the EAA402 weight loss challenge. A scale (inaccurate) was provided by Larry Arnold and twelve brave members had their weights recorded and set their individual weight loss goal. The follow-up weigh-in was scheduled for February 18th, but was postponed, as your's truly was in Florida on vacation. At the March 18th meeting those members present who previously signed up were weighed on the same scale and their results are in.

Our biggest loser is Tom McFadden, who not only met but exceeded his goal. Second and third place went to Bob Marriott and Jesse Ours respectively. Congratulations to Tom, Bob and Jesse and to all those who accepted the weight loss challenge.

The scale will be at our next meeting for those who missed the weigh-in and for those who just want to loose weight. Join us! What have you got to lose?

*Larry Arnold*

### **Builders: We Want YOU!**

Share your knowledge and progress, or frustrations and questions. Send articles and photos to the newsletter editor at [wendy@phoenixgraphix.us](mailto:wendy@phoenixgraphix.us) or the web master at [info@e-Kurtz.com](mailto:info@e-Kurtz.com)

### **Dues are Due**

Annual chapter membership dues are \$12 per person or \$18 per family. If you haven't paid, mail to: Kenneth E. Hughes  
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