

# TEXASAAA



TEXAS CHAPTER • ANTIQUE AIRPLANE ASSOCIATION • NEWSLETTER • AUGUST 2013

## PRESIDENT'S CORNER

We had a beautiful day for our last month's luncheon with thirty members and guests going to the Pelican Restaurant. Several members flew in and I was fortunate to get a ride in Gene Morris's Bonanza. There was a great breakfast buffet or we could order from the menu. This is a busy month for many of our members with Joetta in Korea with her new granddaughter and I am in Oshkosh for a week of airplanes. Last night I was in Brodhead WI with the Pietenpol guys and had a great time talking with that group. What a friendly bunch, and a beautiful grass airfield. There was even a 1909 Bleriot and I got to watch it fly. What a great time. Next month's meeting is at Northwest Regional and I hope to see all of you there. Till next time.

Gary





# PICTURES FROM THE FARNBOROUGH AIR SHOW IN THE UK

These pictures were sent to us from Dennis Price our historian. They were taken during the 2012 Farnborough Air Show in the UK. Dennis will return to the US in time for the August meeting and I'm sure he would tell you all about that great air show.



*Martin JRM Mars flying boat, C-FLYL, ex: U S Navy 76823, operated by Coulson Airplane Ltd as a water bomber, cooling off in Lake Amistad on May 17, 2011 at the end of a season fighting fires in Mexico.*



*Vickers Supermarine Spitfire Mk.Vb, AB 910, operated by the Royal Air Force Battle of Britain Memorial Flight at the Farnborough Air Show on July 9, 2012.*

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## STAN PRICE RETIRES FROM SOUTHWEST AIRLINES.

Wednesday July 17th was Stan Price's last flight with Southwest Airlines after 30 years!

His last flight was from New Orleans to Love Field. His wife Glenda and grandsons Jake and Caleb were among the passengers.

Many of Stan's friends were at Love to greet him including chapter members Lynn Hearn, Ed Parrott, Roger Tollefson, Dan Linn and Margaret and Phil Cook. Southwest had a nice reception in the pilot's lounge. The Chief pilot read a letter of commendation to Stan and his co-pilot from Herb Kelleher about how they handled a flight delay with unhappy passengers. Stan took an unusual amount of time answering questions from passengers which made a good impression on all.

We're so glad Stan is our vice president and is so active in the chapter.

Hope to see you around Northwest Regional more Stan!



Vickers Supermarine Spitfire Mk.Vb, AB 910 and Avro Lancaster B.1, PA474, operated by the Royal Air Force Battle of Britain Memorial Flight at the Farnborough Air Show on July 9, 2012.



Avro Lancaster B.1, PA474, operated by the Royal Air Force Battle of Britain Memorial Flight at the Farnborough Air Show on July 9, 2012. The Lancaster has different codes on each side.



The Royal Air Force "Red Arrows" in Hawk trainers lead the privately-owned Avro Vulcan, G-VULCN, ex XH588, opening the Farnborough Air Show on July 9, 2012.



# TEXAS CHAPTER ANTIQUE AIRPLANE ASSOCIATION

## Minutes of the general Meeting held: July 20, 2013

The July general meeting was held at Cedar Mills Lake restaurant.

The meeting was called to order by president Gary Sublette at noon. There were a total of 30 Members and guests in attendance and the list is in the chapter records.

**AGENDA:**  
**Announcements:** The August Meeting will be held at 9 AM Aug 17, 2013 at Northwest Regional airport in Jim Austin's Hangar, a pancake breakfast will be hosted by Terry Wallace

**Treasurer's Report:** The June 2013 Treasurer's report was entered into the minutes by Gary Sublette.

**Meeting Minutes:** Minutes from the June meeting were published in the July 2013 newsletter. They were approved at the meeting by majority vote.

**Old business:** no old business

**New Business:** Vote was approved to donate \$500 to National at the annual meeting in September. Vote was approved to donate \$110 to youngest pilot program at the national meeting.

**Program:** Door prizes were awarded. A motion to adjourn was made and seconded. The meeting ended at 1:35 AM

*Submitted by Terry Wallace  
Texas Chapter AAA*

## IT'S YOUR NEWSLETTER!

This space in the news letter is available for your article. Every issue we strive to bring you the latest news from our members. I know everyone is very busy these days BUT in this electronic age it should be easy for our members to submit interesting facts about their aircraft, project, histories, or antidotes that would be fun for the rest of the members to read. Don't be shy folks, send pictures of your airplanes, airports, children, cats, dogs, mice, whatever. we need input from you, our members so the newsletters are fun to read as well as informative. This space in future issues will be for your input and I hope to fill it with interesting items. Please send your articles to me at

*wallacete@cs.com*

Thanks, Terry

## BRATS AND LONE STAR BEER AT BLAKESBURG

Hope you are planning to attend the National Antique Flyin this year on the labor day weekend, at noon on Saturday before our meeting on the steps of the library we will be treated to Wisconsin Brats and ice cold Lone Star Beer compliments of Harold Steiber and Bob Jolly. That alone is worth the trip, See you there.

Terry

## TEXAS CHAPTER ANTIQUE AIRPLANE ASSOCIATION Membership Application - Renewal Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

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(Ownership of an aircraft is not required)

To start or renew membership in the Texas Chapter of the Antique Airplane Association please furnish the above information and send it with \$25.00 (payable to Texas AAA) to: Treasurer, Texas Antique Airplane Association, 5209 Glen Canyon Rd., Ft. Worth, TX 76137

# CLASSIFIED

**FOR RENT T-HANGARS** available at Bird Dog Airfield ( TE58 ). One left. Water, electricity and fully enclosed. Contact Scott Sackett (940) 367-1992 sackett@pobox.com 1/13

**FOR SALE** - 1 Jacobs R-755-9 245 Hp 165 Hr smoh, 1 Stearman 220 Cont. motor mount, 1 Leise Nevill 50 amp gen, 1946 Cessna 120 airframe. Contact at (940) 367-4480 Bob Landrum 1/13

**FOR SALE** - 1941 Fairchild 24, 15 hours on a 185 Warner, with an Airomantic or Curtis Reed prop. Beautiful airplane, good fabric. Asking 85K with 185 Warner or 65K with 165 Warner. Also low time Warner and Ranger engines with some accessories. Contact Tom at (817) 790-3190 1/13

**FOR LEASE**- 3 miles from Bird's Nest Airport/ Austin Executive Airport off FM 973: Large workshop, 25' x 65', double doors, abundant windows for a good cross-breeze. Two separate rooms at one end for office/storage, Ideal for restoration projects, wing building, hobbies, etc. Contact Bill and Shirley Girard at Shirley@mudflap-aviation.com 1/13

**FOR SALE** - Aeronca L-3B - 1942 Model 058B Serial 058B1782 N52169 total time airframe: 2319.31 Continental C-85 total time: 1622.31 SMOH 674.44 McCauley Prop Part No. 1B90/cm7143 Serial No. 34415 A/C logs from 1943 \$12,000.00 Lee Montgomery leemontgomery14@yahoo.com 1/13

**AVIATION'S ENDURING CLASSICS** - a new photo book by Texas Chapter member Dan Linn. I have been taking photographs of airplanes as long as I can remember. Now I am excited to share my photographs through books that people can enjoy with friends and family. My first work features vintage aircraft from the 1940's and 1950's. These photographs were taken at various events on my travels to Florida, Iowa, Wisconsin and Texas, producing shining examples of the memorable airplanes that aviation enthusiasts love. My hope is that enthusiasts, pilots and their families will have stories to tell of one or more of the airplanes in this book. I invite you to purchase a copy, sit down with family and friends and tell your own personal stories about Aviation's Enduring Classics.

To preview the book and purchase a copy of Aviation's Enduring Classics go to [www.dtlinn.com](http://www.dtlinn.com) - click on the book cover to go to the bookstore.

Texas Chapter members will recognize many of the aircraft featured in the book! Dan Linn 2/13

**FOR SALE:** 46 Luscombe 8E, TT/3061, C85-12 TT/2421 TSMOH/251. Serial 3928, N1201K. Really nice cross country flyer with many upgrades and improvements including custom interior. \$33,000. Annual 2/13. Was Award Winner at Texas and Arizona Fly-Ins. Pictures and details available at rbramsey@verizon.net or call 972-986-9690. Dick Ramsey located in Texas.

**FOR SALE:** Unique bi-plane. 1992 Rose Parakeet replica (experimental). Single place, tail dragger. TTSN: 290 hours. Continental O-200, 100 HP. SMOH: 80 hours. New cylinders from ECI. Starter & alternator. Mechanically a 9 or 10. Original Ceconite. Appearance a 7. Asking \$23,500. This is a gentle small bi-plane, but requires an experienced tailwheel pilot. Buyer to sign a release of liability. Call Don at 830-832-3031. Please--no tire kickers or lowballers.

**T HANGER FOR RENT** at Clark Airport, Justin, TX. \$75.00 per month. Contact Al Hilton 972-741-4520 I'm cleaning out my hangar and have a few items to place in the for sale section of our AAA news letter.

**FOR SALE:** 1947 Luscombe 8E 750TT O SMOH C-85-12F 4 owners since new, polished needs reassembly, all logs from new, NDH \$15K Wright W-760-8 engine O SMOH 235hp \$17.5K Ham-Std ground adjustable props & Curtis-Reed make offer Cowlings, Stearman seats and engine mounts..... cheap 30X5 wheels and tires, old instruments & radios for displays 40 year collection call Reb Stimson 817-343-7556 av8reb@aol.com

## TRANSITION YEAR TO OCTOBER DUES PAYMENTS

The Changeover to paying dues in October and the prororation of dues was the result of Board approval and vote by Chapter Members.

The change from paying dues in any month, to all dues being payable in October each year, may cause some confusion during the transition year. This chart may help you decide what is due for your current expiration month or anyone joining during the year. These payments will carry your membership thru Sep 30, 2013. Adding \$25.00 to any of these will carry you thru Sep 30 2014. If you are in doubt about your expiration month or amount of your dues, call Terry Wallace at 817-706-3173 before sending in your membership/renewal form and check.

Month paid	Good till Sep30 2013	Good till Sep 30 2014
Aug 2013	\$4.00	\$29.00
Sep 2013	\$2.00	\$27.00



# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## AUGUST MEETING 2013

The August Meeting will be August 17, 2013 at Northwest Regional Airport (52F.) Terry Wallace will be our host for a 9AM pancake breakfast, just bring your appetite or other breakfast items if you prefer. Jim Austin has graciously offered the use of his hangar as Terry's hangar is full. Jim Austin's hangar is on the north west side of the runway. Follow the signs to aircraft parking.

**For Flyers:** Northwest Regional (52F) is about 3 miles Northwest of Roanoke, Texas. 33-02-59.44 N /097-13-56.05 W. Runway 17/35 is 3500 X 40 ft Asphalt in fair condition. Use 122.9 for advisories.

**For Drivers:** From IH 35W take Hwy 1171 exit and go East on 1171 to Cleveland- Gibbs Road. Turn South (right) on Cleveland- Gibbs Rd. The Austin's hangar is at 100 Stinson Way. As you come into the Airport on Cleveland-Gibbs Rd. take a right at the stop sign and go north to the dead end. Turn left and their hangar is the sixth one. Terry's cell phone # is 817-706-3173.

### Schedule of Monthly Meetings 2013

**August 17:** Terry Wallace, In Jim Austin's hangar Northwest Regional Airport, Roanoke, TX (52F)

**September 21:** Mark & Sharon Breeding, Bowie Municipal Airport, Bowie, TX (0F2)

**October 11-13:** Annual Chapter FLY-IN, Gainesville Municipal (GLE)

**November 16:** Propwash Airport, Justin, TX. (16X)

**December 21:** Annual Chapter CHRISTMAS Party, Gainesville Municipal (GLE)

If you have hosted a meeting this year or have scheduled to, THANK YOU.

### FLY-INS OF INTEREST:

**August 29 thru September 2:** National AAA Fly-in Blakesburg, IA (IA27)

**October 11 and 12:** Texas Chapter Fly-In, Gainesville, TX (GLE)

**October 25 thru 27:** Flying M Ranch, Reklaw, TX (7TA7) □

## NEWSLETTER DISTRIBUTION

Effective with the January 2013 Newsletter, Texas Chapter Newsletters will be sent to members as an email attachment. This will take the place of paper copies previously sent by US Mail. You may also obtain the Newsletter from our chapter website at [www.txaa.org](http://www.txaa.org). It is very important that if you change your email address, you must notify us of the change.

For those members who desire to continue to receive the Newsletter by US Mail, you must notify Terry Wallace at (817) 706-3173. □

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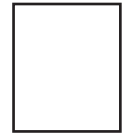
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## MEMBERSHIP AND DUES

### OWNERSHIP OF AN AIRPLANE IS NOT REQUIRED.

The only Requirement is a Love of Airplanes and the Fellowship of those who share that Passion.

Membership and Dues for the Texas Chapter of the Antique Airplane Association are \$25.00 per year. Visit our Website at [www.texasantiqueairplane.org](http://www.texasantiqueairplane.org) or [www.txaaa.org](http://www.txaaa.org) for details and a printable Application Form. New Members Dues are PRO RATED, contact an Officer for correct amount.

**NOTE: Membership expires on September 30 each year. Send dues and address changes to TXAAA Treasurer, 5209 Glen Canyon Rd., Ft. Worth, TX 76137.**

The Texas Chapter supports and encourages membership in the National Antique Airplane Association.

For Information about joining the National AAA, Visit their Website at [www.antiqueairfield.com](http://www.antiqueairfield.com) or Email [antiqueairfield@sirisonline.com](mailto:antiqueairfield@sirisonline.com) or you may write:  
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