

TEXASAAA



TEXAS CHAPTER • ANTIQUE AIRPLANE ASSOCIATION • NEWSLETTER • JANUARY 2014

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

2014 has just begun and I hope everyone had a great holiday. I hope next year will be a prosperous and healthy year.

December's meeting was a success in spite of the heavy rain, with 33 members at the Golden Coral with good food and all you can eat. Thanks to Margaret Cook and Phil for setting up the tables with poinsettias and the trivia quiz. Winners took home the poinsettias! Dennis Price was last year's winner of the Flagship Award and it was his responsibility to select this year's recipients. The Flagship Award is presented to the members who have demonstrated a commitment to the Texas Chapter that help to make it the best organization possible. Dennis chose Phil and Margaret Cook as the 2014 Flagship Award recipients. Phil and Margaret work tirelessly for our Chapter. Phil is always there when one of the officers can't be at the meetings and Margaret has provided the prizes for fly-in banquet and the monthly meetings. Phil and Margaret are always helping the Chapter when something needs to be done. Congratulations to Phil and Margaret for being this year's recipients. Thanks Dennis, you selected well.

I received a thank you card from Barbara Pockrus and Family thanking the members for all the support that they received during Jerry's illness, and during his Celebration of Life. Jerry was a valued member and will be deeply missed.

Don't miss the next meeting, January 18th at Don Cruz Restaurant located at 3155 Denton Hwy. Haltom City (Hwy. 377). Tim Hauter, from the Frontiers of Flight, is our guest speaker as "Wiley Post".

Gary





CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2014

JANUARY CHAPTER MEETING

January 18, 11:30 AM

Don Cruz, 3155 Denton Hwy (Hwy 377), Haltom City, TX. Assemble at 11:30AM. Tim Hauter from the Frontier of Flight Museum will portray Wiley Post.

FOR DRIVERS:

Take I-35W S, at exit 57A, take ramp left and follow signs for I-820 east to exit 19, Go south on Denton Hwy, and turn right onto Meadow Oaks Dr to restaurant.

This is a list of the 2014 meeting locations.

January 18th, 11:30 AM: Don Cruz Mexican Restaurant, 3155 Denton Hwy. Haltom City. Buffet lunch. Speaker is Wiley Post, impersonated by Tim Haughter from the Frontiers of Flight Museum.

February 15th, Noon: Vintage Flight Museum at Meachum Airport. Pot luck. Speaker is Fiske Hanley who was shot down in a B-29 over Japan and was held as an American war criminal until the war ended. Pot luck. A don't miss meeting!

March 15th, Noon: Clark Airfield, Justin, Tx. Al Hilton's hangar. Pot luck.

April 19th, Noon: Texas Regional Airport in Sherman. Hangar TBA

May 17th, Noon: Fairview Airfield, Rhome, Tx. Don and Ann Pellegreno's hangar. Pot luck.

June 14th, 9:00 AM brunch:
Kezer Airfield, Springtown, Tx. Jack and Sharon Weiland's hangar. Pot luck. (This meeting is the second week rather the 3rd because of Father's day on the 21st).

July 19th, Noon: Cedar Mills Airstrip, Lake Texoma, Ok. Pelican's Landing Restaurant. Order from menu.

August 16th, 9:00 AM: Brunch: Northwest Regional Airport, Roanoke, Tx. Jim and Betty Austin's hangar. Terry Wallace hosting and flipping packs and sausage.

September 20th, Noon: Bowie Municipal Airport, Bowie, Tx. Hangar TBA. Pot luck.

October 10th and 11th, Noon: AAA annual fly-in: Gainesville municipal airport. Gainesville, Tx. (tentative location).

November 15th, Noon: Propwash Airfield, Justin, Tx. Maybeth and Randy's hangar. Pot luck.

December 20th, Noon: Location TBA. □



HANGING WINGS

The warm weather on Saturday the 4th found a group of friends at Northwest Regional airport helping me fit the wings on my Fairchild 24W. Thanks to everyone there the job went fairly quick with all the big pieces fitting with a few minor adjustments and I hope to be covering parts by spring. If you have a project or airplane story please send it to me so I can put it in the newsletter. Remember the newsletter is yours too. Thanks again for all the help!
Keep the antiques flying,

Terry



HOOD AERODROME, MASTERTON, NEW ZEALAND

The Vintage Aviator Ltd have 2-3 airshows every season, at Hood Aerodrome, Masterton (New Zealand). The last one was a couple of weeks ago and featured two new aircraft making their public debuts, an Albatros D.II (finished in Oswald Boelcke's markings) and TVAL's third Sopwith Snipe (finished as F2367 "1-2", B flight 70 Sqn, Bickendorf, March-April 1919, which is one of markings provided by Wingnut Wings in their 'late' version of the Snipe). The weather was very kind on the day and most of the (extensive) collection flew - fantastic experience for a WWI aviation enthusiast, the buzz lasted for days. A new format for the show allowed an improved walk around photo opportunity, thanks TVAL!

Photographs by James Fahey.



TXAAA MEETING 12/21/13

Lunch 11:30 AM

12:15 Gary Sublette – Call to order

12:20 Treasury Report

Vote for acceptance – Treasurer’s report

Vote for acceptance – Secretary’s minutes

Recognize birthdays and anniversaries in the month of

December

Claire Wright - Birthday

Lorraine Irby - Birthday

Welcome guests

Officers

Door Prizes – Holiday Trivia

Next Meeting

January – Don Cruz Hwy 377 Haltom City – Speaker: Wylie Post

Febuary – Meacham Vintage Flying Museum - Speaker: Fiske Hanley

1:05 Adjourn

Darrell Irby



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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



SLOW FLIGHT - Flight that extends beyond pilot and/or passenger bladder limits.

TEXAS CHAPTER ANTIQUE AIRPLANE ASSOCIATION Membership Application - Renewal Form

Name: _____ Spouse: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Aircraft Type: _____ National AAA No. _____

(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

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 Mc-
Cauley 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. To preview the book and purchase a copy of Aviation's Enduring Classics go to 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: 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

A NOTE TO ALL MEMBERS:

As a reminder and according to the TXAAA bylaws all members dues expired on September 31, 2013. If you have not paid your 2013-2014 dues, Please send \$25.00 to the treasurer with a completed renewal application which you will find in this issue of the newsletter. If you have questions about your dues please contact any board member as they all have updated rosters. Thank you,

Terry Wallace, TXAAA Secretary □

FOR RENT - 45x50 hangar at Hicks Airfield (T67).
Sold my 180 and have space to rent. \$350 month.
West Sanders AAA life....
wrsanders_98@yahoo.com

FOR SALE: Twenty seven acres of flat land,
420 ft. wide, 2800 ft. long. Located between White-
wright & Randolph on state Highway 11, TX. Call C.E.,
(Chuck) Jackson owner (817) 478-1658, Price \$85,000.
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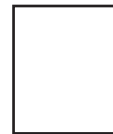
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MEMBERSHIP AND DUES

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 or 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 or Email antiqueairfield@sirisonline.com or you may write:

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