

# **Columbus Area Aviators**

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# **March Meeting**

The March meeting will be a presentation by Larry Bothe on some of the things he has learned over the years as both a flight instructor as well as a former Designated Pilot Examiner. His talk is titled "Fly the Easy Way – 21 Tips and Tricks".

The meeting will be held at the Atterbury-Bakalar Air Museum on Thursday evening March 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM.

# **February Meeting**

The February meeting was a presentation by Dr. Adam Clock on his flight last year to Cuba.



Adam and his wife flew their Bonanza to Cuba as part of a group of about 30 aircraft organized by the Flying Dentists Association.

His talk included information about the unique requirements for flying to Cuba as well as very interesting facts about daily life there and the many historical sites that they visited. A very enjoyable and interesting presentation for sure.

# **Notes from the President's Desk**

Chapter 729 Members:

In like a Lion, and out like a Lamb! Fortunately, this year March has been mostly a Lamb.....at least from a snow perspective. Fingers crossed it remains this way!

February presentation by Adam Clock on flying and travel to Cuba was a huge hit. We thank Adam for his excellent presentation and sharing of this experience! It definitely made members think of duplicating.....well, maybe not the part of jumping out of a Russian helicopter onto the beach! Thank you Adam!!

Most all know of Larry Bothe - southern Indiana FAA Designated Pilot Examiner and AirVenture-Oshkosh presenter. Larry will be presenting at March membership meeting "Fly the Easy Way - 21 Tips and Tricks". In addition to being a Master CFI and retired FAA DPE, Larry has experience covering 45 years of flying (both fixed and helicopter) and ownership of 4 aircraft. His presentation and open discussion promises to hold a number of "Food for Thought" points. Join us Thursday, March 15 2018 @ 6:30 PM at Atterbury-Bakalar Museum for this educational evening. See you there...!!

In April, we will continue an educational/learning theme by partnering with Columbus Municipal Airport (BAK) control tower, on airport safety. A presentation by Ben Euler (Tower Chief) will be given on safety initiatives and behind the scene reasons. If you've attended a prior year, you understand how helpful this is to the entire aviation

community. We are blessed in numerous ways for the strong and productive control tower operations at BAK, please come and show your support, as well as that you're all about safety too!		<b>Calendar of Events</b>	
		Apr 10 - 15	Sun & Fun Fly-IN Lakeland, FL ((LAL)
Looking ahead, "Thunder over Louisville" is right around the corner o		April 14	Purdue Aviation Day Lafayette, IN (LAF)
Saturday, April 21 and Eagle program kicks of on	Chapter 729 Young	May 12	Pancake Breakfast Terre Haute, IN (3I3)
Please watch our chapter webs (www.729.eaachapter.org) for these and man more events. We are constantly updating an		June 9	Airport Day Columbus, IN (BAK)
trying to improve the "Eve our membership informed."	ent Calendar" to keep	June 10	Sinful Sunday Lee Bottom (64I)
Safe travels,		June 23	Fly-In Breakfast Franklin Flying Field (3FK)
Newsletter Input		June 30	Pancake Breakfast Fly-In North Vernon, IN (OVO)
The newsletter editor is always looking for input. If you have input please contact Mike		July 7	Anderson Airshow Anderson, IN (AID)
by the second Friday of each month at: michael.foushee@yahoo.com		July 8	Sinful Sunday Lee Bottom (64I)
"Dues Are Due"		July 14	Pancake Breakfast Terre Haute, IN (3I3)
It is time to collect dues for 2017. Dues are \$20.00 per year Send your check to Larry at:		Jul 17	Hagerstown Flying Circus Hagerstown, IN (I61)
Larry Morlock 3407 Woodland Place		Jul 23 - 29	EAA AirVenture Oshkosh, WI (OSH)
Columbus, IN 47203  Aviation/Member News		Aug 12	Sinful Sunday Lee Bottom (64I)
Officers For 2017		Sept 1	Fly-In / Cruise-In Marion, IN (MZZ)
President Vice President Secretary Treasurer Director Director Y.E. Coord. Chief Photographer Newsletter Tech Counselor	Brad Stinebring Dave Lynch Bill Batten	Sept 8	Pancake Breakfast Terre Haute, IN (3I3)
	Larry Morlock Bob Graves Bob Butterfield Larry Morlock r Nick Firestone Mike Foushee Mike Foushee	Sept 22	Airport Awareness Day North Vernon, IN (OVO)
		Sept 29	Madison Airshow Madison, IN (IMS)
		Oct 6 - 7	Red Bull Air Races Indianapolis Motor Speedway

# **Interesting Websites**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JuATn7RuC2A

http://www.cnn.com/travel/article/lufthansavintage-aircraft/?iid=ob\_lockedrail\_topeditorial

# **2018 Young Eagle Events**

The Young Eagle Flight events for 2018 will be held on the following Sat. mornings.

May 19<sup>th</sup> June 9<sup>th</sup> July 14<sup>th</sup> Aug.18<sup>th</sup>

These events are a great way to introduce kids to the wonders of aviation (not to mention a good reason to go flying). To make these events a success, we will need pilots, planes, and ground crew volunteers.

# **Items For Sale or Needed**

As long as space is available, I'll list items either wanted or for sale that are AVIATION related. If you will provide me with a brief description and contact information, I will include your items.

### 1966 Beech Debonair



Total Time: 3,345 hrs.
SMOH: 1,260 hrs.
IO-470-K engine (225 HP)
KX-155 with Glideslope
MK-12D with Glideslope
Northstar GPS
KR-87 ADF

AT-150 with Encoder Standby Vacuum System \$58.500

Contact: Steve Fushelberger

317-407-5227 812-379-4255

# **Aircraft Partnership**

Piper Cherokee 140 (160 engine upgrade)
IFR Equipped
ST30 autopilot
Based at KBAK



Website:

https://sites.google.com/view/n6730w/home

For more information contact: John Green 812-350-8582 mrstuffy@gmail.com

# **Aviation Humor**

# Magneto -

- 1. Spanish for, "What a cool-looking magnet!"
- 2. Not-very-famous Italian vaudeville magician, "The Great Magneto."

#### Mode -

Term used by pilots in the Lafayette Escadrille during WWI to describe what they had to land in during rainy weather.

#### Motor -

A word used by Englishmen and student pilots when referring to an aircraft engine. (also see "Aerodrome")

### Nanosecond -

Time delay built into the stall warning system.

### **National Airport -**

Inordinately congested airport in Washington, D.C. whose Potomac River approach was used by Korean War pilots practicing to bomb the bridges at Toko-Ri.

# Navigation -

The process by which a pilot finds his way from point A to point B while actually trying to get to point C.

### Occupied -

An airline term for lavatory.

#### Oshkosh -

A town in Wisconsin that is the site of the annual Experimental Aircraft Association fly-in. It is believed to have been named after the sound that most experimental aircraft engines make.

# Parasitic Drag -

A pilot who bums a ride and complains about the service.

#### Pilot -

A poor, misguided soul who talks about women when he's flying and flying when he's with a woman.

#### Pitch -

The story you give your wife about needing an airplane to use in your business.

### Pitot Tube -

On long flights, something into which the pilot can pitot.

# **Prop Wash -**

- 1. Cleaning agent used by student pilots.
- 2. Pilots' equivalent of "hogwash."

# Pvlon -

All aboard!

#### Radar -

An extremely realistic type of video game, often found at airports. Players try to send small game-pieces, called "blips," from one side of the screen to without colliding with each other. Player with the fewest collisions wins.

# Range -

Usually about 30 miles beyond the point where all fuel tanks fill with air.

# Roger -

- The most popular name in radio transmissions - followed by Dodger, Codger, Over & Out..
- 2. Used when you're not sure what else to say.

#### S-turn -

Course flown by student pilot from point A to point B.

#### Short-field Takeoff -

A takeoff from any field less than 10,000 feet long.

### Split S -

What happens to the pants of overweight pilots (also see "Gross Weight").

# Spoilers -

The Federal Aviation Administration.

#### Tactics -

What the instrument panel clock sounds like when it needs fixing. An improperly tuned clock goes "Tock Tick" instead of "Tick Tock".

# Taildragger -

- 1. An old pilot after a long flight.
- 2. A young pilot who over-rotates a tricycle gear aircraft on takeoff or landing.

#### Tailwind -

Results from eating beans in the airport coffee shop; often causes oxygen deficiency in the immediate vicinity.

#### Trim Tab -

- 1. A device that can fly an airplane better than the pilot.
- Popular diet beverage for fat pilots (also see "Gross Weight").

#### Useful Load -

Volumetric capacity of the aircraft, without regard to cargo weight.

#### Walkaround -

What you do when waiting for weather to clear.

#### Wilco -

Roger's brother, the nerd.

#### Windsock -

Well-perforated item of clothing worn inside the shoe by underpaid copilot who can't afford a replacement or a darning needle.

### Wing strut -

Peculiar, ritualistic walk performed by student pilots upon getting out of low-winged trainers following first flight performed without instructor yelling at them. Usually results in instructor yelling at them.