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Hi Crew !

HAPPY JUNE ! It was awesome to see everyone at Cavalcade. I hope you all used sunscreen! I think it is safe to say that Chapter 461 was represented very well. ☺ Thank you to everyone who came out and volunteered. Time is the best Gift that an individual can give... Yours is always appreciated ! We have a busy upcoming few months ahead, so make sure to prepare your calendars ! THANKS ! -Aymee

OUR NEXT YOUNG EAGLES RALLY IS SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 16th (UPDATED MAKEUP RAIN DATE)!!!

PLAN TO BE THERE TO VOLUNTEER !

Don't forget the passion and excitement that we all share for Aviation – it's our Mission to keep the Dream soaring, and inspire the Youth of today to find their Wings ! Please get in touch with Wayne and let him know if you plan on helping, and if you will be Ground or Air !

*If we are short on pilots, Wayne will reach out to surrounding Chapters to scale us up, per the idea from the EAA Regional meeting. Carol McCabe is our Regional YE Field Representative and will help coordinate as needed.

*Jim Therrien has created some helpful one-page "cheat sheets" for each of the major YE roles for reference if need be.

*We will hold a mandatory safety meeting for the Ground crew around 8:30am at the Museum, just to make sure everyone knows what they are doing, and where they will be working. Rich Tichy will conduct this meeting in his role of Safety Officer.

*We will be conducting operations from the middle taxiway, thereby increasing the distance between loading/unloading and our guests. Tape barricades will be used and we will be investigating the need for signs.

*Wayne is looking for a volunteer to do Ground School, while he will spend time talking with parents and riders and being more available.

*ALSO – Just to reiterate, at some of our meetings last year, we had a couple of parental complaints/discipline issues, and Wayne is committed to making sure that volunteers are not burdened with this – if anything happens at all (complaints, questions, etc.) Wayne would like to have them escalated straight to him.

WE ARE EXCITED TO CONTINUE TO HOST SUCCESSFUL AND FUN YOUNG EAGLES RALLYS FOR EVERYONE INVOLVED ! THANK YOU FOR YOUR COMMITMENT !

YOUNG EAGLES is held the **SECOND SATURDAY** of every month from April to October WX permitting.

UPCOMING YOUNG EAGLES DATES:

June 16th (makeup rain date)	July 14 th
August 11 th	September 8 th
October 13 th	

Wings over Wheels (Pancake Breakfast) June 10: At Romeoville /Lewis University Airport.

Volunteers still needed; please contact Darren Lilja (wowflyin@comcast.net). Program runs 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM. Chapter 15 will be serving pancake breakfast from 8am-11:30am. Lunch will be offered onsite from 11am-3:30pm. Information on the web at www.wowflyin.com or on Facebook www.facebook.com/wowflyin; Contact Darren for more info.

PREZ SAYZ - aka: Words from Wayne:

Cavalcade:

- Over the course of Saturday and Sunday we completed approximately 40 flights on the TriMotor – we will have final numbers from EAA soon. An unforgettable experience for about 400 people in the 1928 Ford plane that helped define air travel for the world.
- RV Bob's bright orange "Sub Sonex" pedal jet plane generated \$560 over the weekend in raffle dollars! The raffle will continue at the Wings over Wheels event at Lewis Airport on June 10th. This is an incredible result, and HUGE thanks are due to Bob for being so generous in offering the Aviatrés and Right Fliers Young Adult clubs to benefit from a portion of the Raffle Funds!
- The EAA 461 Booth, operated by the fearless Emily, CJ, Aymee, Ron and Darren generated \$319 in donations and HUNDREDS of Young Eagle introductions. I'm taking steps to scale up volunteers for Young Eagles on Saturday to cover the anticipated demand.

Youth participation: This Summer we initiated a new program with Lyons Township (LT) and are very fortunate to have had Robert, Thing 1 / Thing 2, and John with us for a graded Internship ranging across all aspects of the airport. Cavalcade was their first event and all 4 young men were hard working, diligent, and a pleasure to have on the team. I have no doubt that the internship will add value to them, and the airport, and that we will be advancing additional programs moving forward. While we are thrilled to have our LT guys I am also incredibly proud of the other youngsters who offered their time on their own accord to join us. Em, CJ, Jaiden plus his two friends, and Joe all showed up in force to work with the TriMotor, EAA booth, help raffle the Sub Sonex, load kids into the L5, and help with the Illinois Aviation Museum.

Member participation: I have to mention the amazing job you guys did with the event. I was genuinely happy to see you all in action – and I received several very direct complements from the TriMotor team and a couple of senior airport folks that you guys showed up in force.

Special mention and thanks to Jon Couch who took a huge leadership role in operating the TriMotor, as briefer, facilitator, transporter of gear, and TriMotor pusher. Thanks to ALL of you, and again to you Jon!

OSH INFO:

Here is the latest on AirVenture camping... There are two camping spots remaining. We have one spot saved as a Chapter common area. Get in touch with Josh Krecek, joshkrecek@gmail.com, for more info.

A few Members are talking about coordinating a dinner or two onsite.

We can organize something if there is interest. Wendt's is Tradition, of course...

Thanks to Dave Otero, Chapter 461 will be further represented at Oshkosh AirVenture! Wayne will be providing a presentation from 11:30 to 12:45 in the Blue Barn (time/location might change) and the topic will be "How to grow and maintain a successful EAA Chapter." ☺ See you there!



CONGRATULATIONS to RICH TICHY
for his receipt of the FAA
Wright Brothers Master Pilot award in May!
This award is given to those pilots who have flown
50 years of Aviation since solo without incident.
VERY NICE ! AND – Rich also received his FAA Inspection
Authority (IA) Certification !



Congrats

HUGE CONGRATULATIONS go out to
ANGELINA on her SOLO on April 8th !
We are SO proud of Angelina, and excited to
watch her Wings unfold as she embarks on
her future endeavors ! ☺ WAY TO GO !



Nuts n Bolts FROM THE V.P. --

Access Aero's Zenith 750 (ALMOST) got a new fan..... pictured below.



Its a Sensenich wood propeller covered in fiberglass - and looks great,
despite having to ship the prop back to repair a manufacturing defect.

Access Aero will be back up and running again in a few days!

Even though we had no prop for Cavalcade, the Zenith still managed to
draw plenty of attention and people took plenty of photos in front of her!

Access Aero has only TWO owner spots out of ten left!

For students pursuing a commercial or CFI certificate, the FAA no longer requires the candidate to fly their check ride in a complex aircraft (saving money on hard to rent airplanes,) however they will still have to have received a complex sign off. See the article link below; this is good because it reduces the cost threshold for people wanted to become a CFI. ☺
<https://www.avweb.com/avwebflash/news/FAA-No-Complex-for-Commercial-Instructor-Practical-Test-230746-1.html>

Don't forget to check out www.socialflight.com for events and activities going on around us !

SECRETARY STUFF from Jerry O.

- Lewis University is participating in the Air Race Classic. Jane Zieba and Megan Shaffer are racer #50 and will be flying from Sweetwater, Texas across the country to Fryeburg, Maine. They leave in June; follow the action on www.airraceclassic.org or on Facebook at Lewis University Air Race Classic Team.

(You'll recognize Jane; she's the CFII who provides us with technical and legal advice during our VMC club meetings!)

- The Chapter 15 scholarships for Lewis University have been posted.

For students, go to: <http://www.lewisu.edu/admissions/finaid/scholarships.htm> to apply.

- Also note that DUATS has been completely eliminated; use 1800wxbrief or 1800wxbrief.com.

UPDATE ON THE JIM OEFFINGER SCHOLARSHIP:

To date, we have sent 6 young ladies up to EAA AirAcademy through the Fund.
Thank you to Chapter 461 for their continued support of the Oeffinger Scholarship.
We are always accepting donations.

UPCOMING DATES TO KNOW ABOUT:

June

- 9 - Chapter 838 Young Eagles Rally at Racine Airport (KRAC)
- 9 - Chapter 95 Young Eagles Rally, 9am - 2pm at Morris Airport (C09)
- 9 - Chapter 461 Young Eagles Rally, 9am to Noon at Bolingbrook/Clow (1C5)
- 10 - Ch. 15 Pancake Breakfast/Wings over Wheels 8am - 4pm @Lewis/Romeoville (KLOT)
- 10 - Chapter 1414 Pancake Breakfast/Young Eagles Rally at Poplar Grove (C77)
- 16 - Chapter 932 Barnstormer Days Fly-in/Drive-in at Galt Airport (10C)
- 17 - Chapter 153 Father's Day Pancake Breakfast, 8 - 12 at Schaumburg (06C)
- 21-24 - Chapter 22 Ford Trimotor Rides at Chicago Rockford Airport (KRFD)
- 24 - Chapter 579 Young Eagles Rally, 9am - 2pm at Aurora Airport (KARR)
- 24 - Chapter 790 Pancake Breakfast at Lake in the Hills Airport (3CK)

July

- 4 - Chapter 682 Grass Roots Fly-in Breakfast, 7 - 11am at Mount Morris (C55)
- 6, 7 & 8 - EAA's B17 Aluminum Overcast, 10am-4pm at Lewis/Romeoville (KLOT)
- 7 - Chapter 101 Young Eagles Rally at Schaumburg Airport (06C)
- 7 - Chapter 790 Young Eagles Rally, 8:30am to Noon at Lake in the Hills (3CK)
- 8 - Chapter 1414 Pancake Breakfast/Young Eagles Rally at Poplar Grove (C77)
- 13 - Chapter 95 Ice Cream Social at Morris Airport (C09)

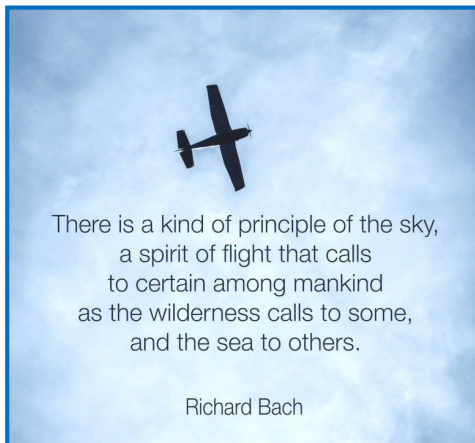
**AERONAUTICS WAS NEITHER
AN INDUSTRY, NOR
A SCIENCE.
IT WAS A MIRACLE.**

IGOR SIKORSKY



**AVIATION IS PROOF THAT
GIVEN THE WILL,
WE HAVE THE CAPACITY TO
ACHIEVE THE IMPOSSIBLE.**

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**NEXT MEETING - THURSDAY, JULY 5th at 7pm at Clow International Airport
(1C5) in Bolingbrook, Illinois – in the Illinois Aviation Museum Hangar.**