



The Sky's the Limit

News letter for EAA Chapter 651 Volume 21 Issue 10

From the Prez

Meeting Notice:

Meeting

Oct. 12 th
7:00pm
Nicolet

Nov. 9 th
7:00pm
Nicolet

Thanks to all who helped out, brought a dish to pass and those of you who came out to our Nicolet annual Fly-in!! Although a bit breezy, a few brave souls brought their planes out including Tom Hegy and passenger Karen (our Treasurer) in their beautiful Travel Air H4000-a open cockpit biplane all the way from Hartford WI.

On Saturday, October 10 at 10AM, the Rio Creek Aviation Foundation is sponsoring their 5th Fall Color Tour/GPS search. There are six coordinates to locate and verify your findings, then return to Rio Creek for chili. I have several forms or they will be available at Rio Creek.

Each year in November, we hold our chapter election of officers so bring along your nominations to our October meeting for the following positions. Treasurer, Karen Kalishek, Director of Refreshments, Bob Kirshling, Program Director, Noel Clark and our fourth board member, President, Clete Cisler. This is your opportunity to step up to the plate and be a part of this great Chapter.

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See you at Nicolet October 12--enjoy this great fall flying weather.

Your Prez,

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EAA Chapter 651 Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: 9/14 /09

Clete Cisler called the meeting to order at 7:05 pm with 30 aviation enthusiasts in attendance at Nicolet Airport.

Meeting Minutes:

The September Chapter Meeting Minutes were accepted as published in the newsletter

Finance Report:

The Treasurer's report presented by Clete Cisler showing a checkbook balance of \$2,446.76
The Treasures report was accepted as presented.

Correspondence:

Hall of Fame Banquet 10/17/09

<http://www.aviationhalloffamewisconsin.com/events.htm>

Committee Reports:

Young Eagles Flights at Nicolet Airport Fly In September 27 11:00 AM

Chapter made a motion to pay one year for web site instead of every three months saving \$25.00

Old Business:

2009 Fall Color Flights in EAA's 1929 Ford Tri-Motor! October 10 and 11

Nicolet Fly IN 9/27/2009 12:00 with Young Eagle Fly out before.

Jay Beaten having a Fly In on October 3 Saturday 11:00 AM. Bring a dish to pass.

New Business:

New Member at the meeting. Michael Goetzman.

The meeting adjourned @ 7:22 and turned over to Noel. Noel gave a quiz and discussed after.

Meeting Minutes recorded by Alan Georgia

Airwaves

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Congratulations

1ST SOLO

9/5 Sam Reimer

9/15 Shawn Dockry

PRIVATE PILOT

9/24 Steve Reynolds

COMMERCIAL PILOT

9/24 Dylan Arttys

CFI/INSTRUMENT

9/1 Jeff Van Oss

FLIGHT REVIEW

9/12 John Heide

KNOWLEDGE TESTS

9/8 Kevin
Slezewski Commercial

9/8 Sam
Reimer Private

9/18 Jason Han-
son Private

9/22 Chris
Thetreau Commer-
cial 98%

9/28 Richard Gi-
esler Helicopter 92%

So what happened to FALL? My favorite season. Surely hope Mother Nature has-
n't forgotten about Indian summer!

The trees are just starting to show their fall beauty around Menominee and the Wausau area so I'm hoping Fall hangs around until our trees peak.

Our September EAA meeting back at Nicolet was well attended with some new folks joining in, Welcome!! Jim Schlumpf was supposed to be our guest speaker but something came up so he will speak in November. To everyone's dismay I had to come up with something so I brought a TEST. Luckily I'm not sensitive to all the booing and hissing that went on and I proceeded as planned. Actually everyone turned out to be very cooperative and with groups of two or three working together the correct answers were pretty much the norm. We had a few good discussions and hopefully we all learned a few things too from this PRE SOLO exam. Maybe we'll try a Private Pilot quiz next. Don't worry, I'll surprise you!

John Heide a fellow pilot at GRB and part owner in that beautiful aqua cardinal will be our October guest speaker. John is also an attorney and deals in aviation law. I'll let him explain and I'm sure you'll have questions. Join us October 12 at Nicolet 7pm.

I hope you're all getting something really cool ready for the Dec 7th Christmas Party auction at THE WOODS. Mark your calendars 'cuz you won't want to miss it!! More details to follow.

It's time to seek out and seal all those little gaps and cracks in your airplane's doors, windows and vents that felt like a refreshing fan in summer as they have a totally numbing effect as winter settles in.

Enjoy the fall weather and colors!

CAVU.....Noel

Saturday, October 10, 2009

9:00 a.m. - mid-afternoon

Rio Creek Airport ("Walter's Agri Center" on sectional), Rio Creek, WI, USA

Stop by the Rio Creek Airport for the day and get a little practice with your GPS!

At 9:00 a.m., pilots will be given a sheet with coordinates. Plug them into your GPS, fly the route and write down what you see. We will compare notes back at the airport and enjoy some homemade chili for lunch.

Note: Pilots should try to have a passenger along to help with the GPS and recording waypoints. If you can't find a passenger, let us know. We might just be able to find someone that would go along for the ride.

<http://www.riocreekairport.com>

Contact: Don Walter

Phone: 920-837-7777, [Send an Email](#)

I've been asked where our Web site is located it is at www.EAA651.org

Alan has also started adding the news letters to the site - very well done. ThanksJim

Jay Baeten's Fly-in had a number of hearty soles that flew in. For the rest of us it was a great time with plenty of fabulous food and great company.

Thanks Jay