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NOTAMS :

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Sat, Jan 31 - Chili
luncheon, Wings Seminar
- SKYWARN® See
below.

From the Prez -

Fresh into the New Year, we're staring down quite a list of activities for the chapter as we travel on month to month. This month's meeting we completed a great deal of planning which will provide a structure for meetings and such. There are a couple of options left for summer months in case someone has a desire to host a meeting or knows of a great option for a site to visit. The summer months make for great hangar parties and tours to see what our members are up to. Someday I hope to show mine, but as for now, it's hanging in a friend's barn until I can find a place to call its home.

In the realm of all this planning and such, I've a bit of a switch in how we do things, with the blessing of the board to do so of course. That change is that I'm putting together small committees to handle various items. I've come to realize that while many would like to help out more or with various things, they don't necessarily have time to commit to filling a large role. My hope is that taking things in small, more easily manageable chunks will encourage a higher level of participation. The thought is that these committees will focus on smaller and singular events, thus not requiring a significant amount of time commitment. For example, Clete has offered to coordinate a committee to manage our Air Academy scholarships. He'll be asking for a few people to help with the process which should take a bit of time each spring but not last all year long.

Speaking of things we'll be doing, we have begun the planning for our pancake breakfast fly-in out at Nicolet. Given the schedule of summer activities planned for the Green Bay area during May, we chose to push it into June. We'll also be moving it back to a Sunday as we felt it would provide the best participation. I know some of you were unable to make last year's due to being a Saturday, so that will be another benefit of moving back to Sunday. Put June 7th on your calendars! There'll be more planning to be done, but that will come soon. As a teaser, we need a couple of licensed pancake flippers, so get those resumes together! Also, to ease the burden on those working, we'll set up shifts. That way all of us don't have to work the whole day and can spend some time socializing and mingling with the pilot crowd.

Our first responder safety program is moving along with requests trickling in to see our presentation. The next showing will be February 25 at New Franken Fire Department. I thought we could all meet somewhere and ride over together. We'll only be doing the slide show and discussion so it shouldn't take too long, perhaps an hour or so. If you're interested in coming along, even if just to see how the process works, let me know.

Also coming up, we'll be working to co-sponsor the Sky Warn weather seminar on January 31. We decided to put on a chili lunch, so please consider coming out to help serve and help with other logistical tasks. Then, stay for the presentation and get some great weather instruction; something any pilot can use!

That's about it for now. I'm sure there are some things I was going to mention that are rolling around my brain somewhere, but I can always email them out or put them on the website and Facebook pages. So with that, I sign off. Have a great month and enjoy the winter flying. I hope to see everyone at our February meeting at Jet Air. One of our own is going to give an exciting presentation you're sure to find interesting.

Dustin

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From the Editor -

Welcome to the new newsletter. This is **your** newsletter. **You** provide the content and I will try my best to put it together into an easily readable and hopefully a decent looking format.

I will bring this up with the officers at the next meeting. It was found that one does not need to be signed up with Facebook in order to view our chapter page. I would like to discuss cross linking news , pictures and such from both Facebook and the main site. I noticed this only after finalizing this newsletter and as such kept some of the information in.

This newsletter is packed full of hyperlinks. The 2 types are -

1. Bringing one outside of the newsletter to a web site or known safe file.
2. An e-mail link. Just a little summary -
 - The chapter logo (2) will bring one to the main chapter site, the Facebook logo will bring one to the chapter's Facebook page.
 - Anything underlined, other than a section "header" will be a hyperlink. If it is a name or e-mail address it will use the "mailto:" protocol, otherwise it will be link to a website or file.
 - The Chapter Minutes are left "as is" - Official, no redone links.
 - The Officers & Program Chair names are all e-mail addresses using "mailto:" even though they are not underlined.
 - The "mailto:" protocol is a nasty little thing. It will work just fine on desktop mail clients. I.E. Outlook, Outlook Express, Live Mail etc.. It may or may not work, depending on users browser settings, with "web based" e-mail clients. (gmail, yahoo etc.. via browser) Use of these on a smart phone or tablet is unknown to me. Because of this, a text listing of the e-mail addresses used in this newsletter are listed in the last page at the bottom. Note - Depending on the .pdf reader settings, it may take those same text based addresses and convert them automatically to "mailto;". At least one could use copy/paste using these. Just cannot win!

I hope I didn't confuse the daylights out of you.

A special thanks to Jim Fritsche for sharing his publisher file in time for me to learn the previously unused program along with all the little tidbits involved .

The "smiley pilot" picture is used with the kindest permissions of AVSIM.net .

Comments, criticisms & of course, content are all welcomed. It is a work in progress.

Roman



EAA Chapter 651 Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date 1/12/2015

Dustin Ridings called the meeting to order at 7:01 pm with 22 aviation enthusiasts in attendance at Jet Air. (GRB)

Meeting Minutes:

No minutes for December.

Finance Report:

The Treasurer's report was presented by Karen Kalishek. Karen discussed the forecast for 2015 at break even.

Correspondence:

IMC meeting at Jet Air on Wednesday 14, 7:00 PM

Wings Seminar IMC Club Wednesday, January 14, 2015 at 7:00 PM at Jet Air aircraft icing.

Committee Reports:

No Young Eagles planned.

Bob needs some sign up for refreshments.

New Business:

Chapter renewal and insurance was paid for 2015.

Air Academy names for scholarships need to be in before March. If you know some young people interested in the Air Academy get the names to Clete Cisler or Dustin

Dustin talked about setting up committee for Fly In's and appointing a safety person for all our events. This person would be responsible to ensure safety during events.

The Calendar is set for 2015 chapter meetings. Can be seen on the website. EAA651.org.

Roman has official taken over the newsletter. The news letter will be out around the third Monday each month.

Roman would like you to send him any interesting articles and pictures to add to the newsletter.
spokes2112@new.rr.com.

First responder training for aviation is planned for February 25 at New Franklin Fire Department. Contact Dustin if you would like to help.

Chapter 651 Fly In pancake breakfast set for June 7 Sunday Nicolet Airport 7:30 to 11:00

Old business:

Program director needed. This person would coordinate guest speakers for meetings.

The meeting adjourned @ 7:50 Meeting Minutes recorded by Alan Georgia.

<https://www.facebook.com/EAA651> or eaa651.org

Send dues for 2015 to Alan Georgia, 620 Memory Ave. Green Bay, WI. 54301 with \$20.00

EVENTS SUMMARY

<u>Date / Time</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Other Information</u>
• Wed, Jan 15 @ 7:00 pm	IMC Club meeting - "Silence and Ice"	Jet Air - Upper Level Meeting Area	Reference / Sign Up
• Sat - Sun, Jan 24 - 25th	Sportair Workshops	Oshkosh	Reference
• Sat, Jan 31 @ 12:30 pm	Chili luncheon, Wings Seminar - SKYWARN® EAA / IMC / CAP	Jet Air - New Hangar	See Below. Volunteers needed. Reference / Sign Up
• Sat, Feb 15 @ 10:00 am	Ski-Plane Fly In	Pioneer Airport	Reference
• Wed, Feb 25 @ TBA	1st Responder Safety Seminar	New Franken Fire Dept. (unreliable map)	Contact Dustin Ridings for additional information. Need Volunteers.
• Sat, Mar 15 @ 7:00 pm	Hops & Props	EAA Airventure Museum	Reference
• Sun, Jun 7 @ 7:30 am until 11:00 am	Chapter Fly-in Pancake Breakfast	Nicolet Airport	See Below. Need Volunteers, Committee & a Safety Officer.
• TBA	Drive / Fly In / Out	Sonex or Enstrom	TBA
• Ongoing - 2nd Mon @ 7:00 pm	Chapter 651 Meeting	TBA - During winter @ Jet Air	E-Mail to be sent ~ 1 week prior as a reminder. Refreshments Volunteer needed.
• Ongoing - 2nd Wed @ 7:00 pm	IMC Club Meeting	Jet Air	Contact Karen Kalishek for additional information.
• Ongoing - 1st & 3rd Thurs @ 7:00 pm	CAP GLR-WI-169 Meeting	South T's / CAVU	Website

EVENT - NOAA Severe Weather Spotter Training and Chili Lunch

Mark your calendar for January 31st and spread the word. The Green Bay IMC Club, EAA Chapter 651 and Brown County Civil Air Patrol squadron are jointly hosting a civic-minded, educational and tasty event.

In the average year, 10,000 severe thunderstorms, 5,000 floods and more than 1,000 tornadoes occur across the United States. These events threaten lives and property. In order to obtain critical 'real-time' weather information when such events happen, NOAA's National Weather Service (NWS) established SKYWARN®. SKYWARN® is a volunteer program with nearly 290,000 trained severe weather spotters. These volunteers help keep their local communities safe by making timely and accurate reports of severe weather to the NWS. SKYWARN® storm spotters are citizens who form the Nation's first line of defense against severe weather, helping give their communities the precious gift of time—seconds and minutes that can save lives.

In addition to providing a valuable community service, pilots will find the program personally beneficial. An increased knowledge of weather phenomena and storm development will prove very useful when making aviation weather decisions. The excellent explanations and audio visual presentation are in greater depth than most pilots receive in ground school and therefore particularly relevant to aviation. In recognition of its value in enhancing flying safety, this event qualifies for credit in the FAA WINGS program. Area aviators will receive an email message from faasafety.gov that includes a link for pre-registration.

The storm spotter training program is presented by a meteorologist and includes a question and answer session. The course topics cover storm development, structure, identifying and describing severe weather features, reporting procedures, and weather safety tips.

The presentation will be preceded by a tasty chili and cornbread lunch. Come warm yourself with a hot bowl of chili and friendly conversation before the program. A donation is appreciated to cover costs.

Thanks to Jet Air's generosity, the event will be held in Jet Air's new hangar. Food will be served beginning at 12:30; the presentation starts at 1:45 and will conclude approximately 3:15.

Volunteers are needed to help with preparations, set up and tear down. Please contact [Karen Kalishek](#) (920) 819-4774 or via E-Mail kkalishek@yahoo.com. Thank you.

EVENT - Chapter 651 Annual Fly-in / Drive-in Pancake Breakfast

Keep the Date!

EAA Chapter 651 Annual Fly-in / Drive-in Pancake Breakfast will be held on Sunday June 7, 2015 at Nicolet Airport. 7:30 – 11:00 a.m.

We will have great all you can eat pancakes plus our wonderful Maplewood meats sausages, juice, coffee, desserts, etc.

EAA Chapter Members. We will need your help as volunteers to help out with advertising, shopping, prepping, desserts, cooking, serving, clean up, etc.

We're planning early this year so we're hoping for a great turnout. We will have short shifts so you can help out some and still have time to enjoy breakfast and visit. Many hands make light work. This will be our only fundraiser in 2015 besides our Christmas party auction.

Please don't wait to the last minute to sign up to volunteer.

More to come with positions, sign-up schedules and times, etc.

Contact David Clabots at: dwclabots@att.net or 920-606-7500.

News - EAA Chapter 651 and Other

- **PROGRAM DIRECTOR** - We are still looking for a program director. One of the main duties of the director position include procuring and setting up presentations during chapter meetings. If you feel that you would be the person to fill this very important position contact Dustin Ridings.
- **REFRESHMENTS** - We are still looking for a Refreshments chairperson to supply food and drink to the chapter's meetings. Even a "one time" volunteer date would help considerably. A good way to show off that new recipe! Contact Bob Kirschling or Dustin Ridings for more information.
- Time Critical! (Deadline March 1st) - As we enter into 2015 we need to look at our applicants for EAA Airventure, this being Air Academy 2015 at Oshkosh. We need to share some of our chapter income toward education. Since the slots fill very quickly, if you know of anyone between the age of 12 and 17 interested in Aviation, have them fill out an application - Clete can help them with it. As mentioned during the meeting, if there is enough interest from students a "pre" screening form may be needed for chapter support. Submissions of a created form are welcomed. Contact Clete Cisler.
- Reminder - The chapter tools are still available in Clete's shop at Nicolet Airport. These include the 16" lathe & the new dolly. If you need to machine a piece of material, you're are welcome to use the lathe. Just let him know when it works in your plans. Contact Clete Cisler. The tool list is available [here](#) & [here](#).
- 'Sponsor a Classroom' - At the meeting Karen showed us an article from the Dec 14 Sport Aviation magazine. (pg. 110, top right) If you have recycled your issue an online version is [here](#). At this time it seems the program is still in the funding stage with it going live for the 2015 - 2016 school year. This is a program that we should keep our eye on. One may donate to 'Sponsor a Classroom' by going [here](#).
- Congratulations! - As of January 1st Dr. Woody Williams and his crew began operations of CAVU Flight Academy in Appleton after their acquisition of Tailwind Flight Academy. Also, CAVU is offering both an IFR class & PPL ground school in Green Bay starting in February. The latter with cooperation with Executive Air & UWGB Education Outreach. More information can be obtained from the [Chapter 651 Facebook page](#).
- New Member - We welcome new member Michael Moen. Michael joined us after moving back to this area after living in Melbourne, FL. We are all hoping he brought the warm weather with him. Welcome Aboard!

Tidbits..

Submissions from fellow members.



From 651's Facebook page - EAA 651 Christmas Party at the Rite Place was well attended with 45 people showing up. The food was great and the entertainment was a magician / comedian with some interesting takes on drawing pigs and reading peoples minds, in the picture you can see a transferring of thoughts.



Kelly Hafeman - Thank You!



Kelly Hafeman - Taken on Jan 2nd from a C182 @ about 500' agl midway between KSUE & KOCQ.



Kelly Hafeman - Planes on the ramp prior to the Jan 11 Packer Game.

[Video](#) (Roman) - Don Kiel wowing the crowd as he departs in the Beech after the last fly-in breakfast at Jay's.

[Video](#) - Bob Hoover doing his infamous "Energy Management Routine" . Vintage, with Bob commenting.

[Video](#) - Air Tankers at Wenatchee in the Golden Age - 1970. Including a turboprop conversion of a B-17.

Congratulations!



11/06/14	Pierre Vandermeersch	CFI Written
11/18/14	James Emmerich	CFII Written
11/21/14	Malcolm Reynold	Private Pilot
11/25/14	Ken Strmiska	Commercial Pilot
11/26/14	Matthew Hauke	Private Pilot
12/14	Taryn West	Private Pilot
12/14	Noah Van Lannen	Private Pilot
12/14	Tyler Cedergren	CFI

Chapter Information

New member application can be found [here](#).

Chapter Handbook can be found [here](#).

Chapter By-Laws can be found [here](#).

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