



EAA Chapter 808 Newsletter Feb, 2016

THIS MONTH'S MEETING IS AT KPUB Aviator Bar & Grill, Feb 20th, 2016 @ 8:30pm

EAA Fly-In/Drive-In Breakfast

At

Pueblo Airport's Aviator Bar and Grill!

Words from the President

Great News Chapter 808! The Pueblo Airport is having a few Grand Openings this month, the most important is the opening of the Aviator Bar & Grill! To celebrate this event, we are going to hold our meeting there Saturday, February 20th, 2016. So, knock the frost off of your airplane and your piloting skills and meet us there. No Plane? No worries...drive, ride, run or walk and meet us for breakfast at 8:30am. There will be no formal meeting, just good food and good peeps! Feel free to invite everyone who might be interested, we want to help the restaurant get as much business as possible so the word gets out. Let's give the restaurant a great showing!

You will be seeing the Pueblo Airport on the news quite a bit through the month of February. They are advertising the Grand Opening of the new Airport terminal, restaurant and the new Great Lakes air service on the 25th of February. The new Pueblo Airport Director, John Vigil, is doing his best to revitalize the Pueblo and I have offered him our full support.

Thank you guys for "going with the flow" as we figure out the best schedule for this year. Our March meeting will be held at Fremont County

Airport and will be our first Breakfast Burrito Fly-In. More details will come in the next couple of weeks with specifics of the March meeting.

If you have been reading any of the emails from the EAA you might have noticed that they have added some requirements to the volunteers involved with Young Eagles. First they will be requiring that all volunteers have a background check completed. Second, there is a training video that we all must watch. My plan is to make this as easy as possible, so we might end up knocking the video out while eating breakfast burritos. The background check will probably be an online process and we can setup a computer at Fremont County for those who might need help with it. This program is being promoted as a Youth Protection measure; however some people have been upset with these new requirements. Quite a few EAA members have voiced concerns about their private information being given to yet another company for the background check. The only response I can give you is that no one can guarantee that your information will be 100% safe, the Department of Defense has already lost information about or service members that is a lot



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more personal than that found in the scope of a civilian background check. So, my advice is to use a program like Lifelock to help keep your information as safe as possible and continue to live life! I understand the concern, but thieves will continue to be thieves, don't let them force you into your "off the grid", doomsday prep'er shelter. I can think of 100 children's smiles from last year's event that make the risk worth it. I have been part of an organization before that had a case of child abuse happen and every single person had a horrible feeling of self responsibility and from that point on

no safety measure was too extreme, and in that particular case a background check would have eliminated the abuser. So, please work with us on this and just think of the children you are protecting while giving them the experience of flight.

Blue Skies and Tailwinds,
Ron Davidson
President EAA Chapter 808

Vice President Program Words & Program Notes

Program scheduling is on hold until we nail down a schedule for 2016.

Jon Fredricks
Vice President EAA Chapter 808

Minutes from January's meeting

Meeting was cancelled due to weather



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EAA Calendar of Events

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Aviators Sun And Fun At Sea Saturday, January 30 - Thursday, February 4	Ft. Lauderdale, Florida Add to My Itinerary
History of the Cleveland Bomber Plant Tuesday, February 2 · 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Columbia Station, Ohio Add to My Itinerary
EAA Skiplane Fly-In Saturday, February 6	Oshkosh, Wisconsin Add to My Itinerary
1st Saturday Aviation Program and Pancake Breakfast Saturday, February 6 · 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Lawrenceville, Georgia Add to My Itinerary
Yocal Young Eagles Rally Saturday, February 6 · 8:00 AM	Ocala, Florida Add to My Itinerary
Buckeye Air Fair Saturday, February 6 · 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM	Buckeye, Arizona Add to My Itinerary
First Saturday Coffee and Donuts Saturday, February 6 · 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	McKinney, Texas Add to My Itinerary
Lancaster Airport Cabin Fever Fly-in & Presentation Saturday, February 6 · 9:00 AM	Lititz, Pennsylvania Add to My Itinerary
EAA 119 Young Eagles Rally Saturday, February 6 · 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Watsonville, California Add to My Itinerary
Young Eagles Rally Saturday, February 6 · 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Compton, California Add to My Itinerary
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Frost Bite Chili Fly-In Saturday, February 6 · 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM	Canton, Michigan Add to My Itinerary
Chilly-Chili Lunch Saturday, February 6 · 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Chesapeake, Virginia Add to My Itinerary
Clarence Aerodrome Annual Ski-plane Fly-In Saturday, February 6 · 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Clarence , New York Add to My Itinerary
Instrument Ground School Saturday, February 6 · 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Tampa, Florida Add to My Itinerary
History of Eastern Airlines Saturday, February 6 · 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Mukilteo, Washington Add to My Itinerary



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Meetings

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Dues: \$15 a year per member. They are due in June, if payment is not made by the July meeting (30 days) dues will be \$20. Mail to Barry Cole, 862 Nollan Rd., Cotopaxi, CO 81223

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