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Builders' page: <http://www.eaa67.org/memberprojectsFP.htm>

MINUTES OF April 3, 2006 MEETING

Lynn Taylor led the pledge of allegiance at 7:37 PM.

OLD BUSINESS: Lynn Taylor reported that Chapter 67 had been temporarily inactive, but was now in good standing. All reports have been filed, national dues and fees paid.

CLUB MERCHANDISE: The club has available T-shirts and hats for sale.

FLYING STORIES: Bryce Bowman reported on his visit to the Flying Museum in Mesa, Arizona. Flying museum pieces include a B-17, SNJ, C-47, B-25, and 3 MIGs.

The group discussed briefly the crash landing of a C5-A at Dover AFB. All 17 crew members survived. The pilot, co-pilot, and aviator are still hospitalized.

EAA NEWS: Members were directed to the EAA Website concerning potential changes that could make the 3rd class medical less restrictive. This is still very preliminary.

There was also a general discussion about the requirement to pay use taxes on aircraft kits. Several members reported paying use taxes as they purchased major components.

BUY SELL OR TRADE: Don Roberts still has 2 tires, and an 88 Dodge Dakota 4WD for sale. Don indicated that proceeds from the tires would be donated to the chapter.

Also available were two headsets and a two place intercom for \$300. These items have never been used.

BUILDER'S TOUR: The builder's tour on March 11 was reported as a great success. Approximately 15 members participated.

Bill Carr displayed his Sonex project. The fuselage was nearly complete. Since the tour, Bill and several helpful chapter members have also mated the wings to the fuselage. Bryce Bowman, displayed his quick build fuselage. He has also called the empennage. Participants on the tour were able to see the process of lining the fuel tanks.

Lynn Taylor was impressed not only with the projects but the impressive use of limited space, and how owners attacked challenges. He suggested that the chapter consider a builder's tour of one to two projects every 60-90 days.

PROJECT REPORTS: Brad Beaver is looking for welding assistance on a Vagabond restoration project. Rick Hixson reported ordering preview plans and his intention to order a tail kit for a Van's RV 7A.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST: The Pancake Breakfast is scheduled for June 10. Lynn will work with Don Roberts and others to get posters out and start publicity. At the next meeting a volunteer list will be put together.

YOUNG EAGLES: The club has scheduled a Young Eagle event for Saturday, August 12, at the Mt. Comfort Airport. More news to come.

TRIVIA QUESTION: 16 B-25 bombers launched from the USS Hornet on 4/14/42.

Jon Mynderse asked how many EAA 67 members met for Sunday night dinner at the Oshkosh fly-in in 1986, and at what restaurant they met. Answer can be sleuthed out on the chapter website.

AIR ACADEMY: Marc Taylor will be attending the Advanced Camp at the Air Academy towards the end of Oshkosh. He is looking for a ride.

FUTURE SPEAKERS: Don Roberts relayed his visit to the office of Irving Heath and Mr. Heath's experiences as an assistant to General Patton. Lynn Taylor will follow up for a meeting.

NEXT MEETING: The next meeting is Monday, May 1, 2006 at 7:30pm.

Submitted by Richard Hixson



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