



THE FLYING TIMES

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of the Sonoma Sky Crafters

EAA Chapter 1268

Sonoma Skypark Airport
21870 Eighth Street East
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CHAMP OVER NAPA

What more would you need to inspire you to take a nice little spring flight?

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FIRST THINGS FIRST

The May meeting is this **Tuesday, May 13.**
The Board of Directors will meet at 6:00 p.m.

Dinner is at 7:00 p.m. after the Board of Directors' meeting, and is \$6.00 per person. Our chefs for the month will be Jeanette Woods and helpers.

Our program will be the EAA May Chapter video running about half an hour.

EAA 1268 MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN AND TREASURER REPORT

May 2014

Bill will give his report at the meeting.

YOUNG EAGLES MAY 11

As always BK White is looking for volunteer pilots, ground crew and registration helpers for our monthly Young Eagles events. Let him know you will be joining us and helping out by sending him an email to eagle1@vom.com or by calling him at 707-996-1335.

AIR EXPLORER UPDATE

The latest from the Aviation Explorers:

Robin will give her report at the meeting.

MOVIE NIGHT AT SKYPARK

Movie night for May will be **Friday, May ?**.

Pizza is always available for \$5 per person, including beverages, and complimentary popcorn just to whet your appetite (or spoil it), courtesy of Walt Lewis and his Amazing Real Movie Theater Popcorn Popping Extravaganza Machine.

See you at the movies on Skypark Movie Night, **FRIDAY, MAY ?** at 6 p.m.

DINNER SCHEDULE

We are lining up our celebrity chefs for 2014 so let Roy know if you would like to be one of our famous chefs for the upcoming year. Roy can be found at Flyboyroy@aol.com or by phone at 415-897-2983. You can also let me know at wd6bor@vom.com and I'll put you on the roster.

The schedule for this year so far is:

Month	Cook	Meal
2014 DINNER SCHEDULE		
MAY	Jeanette W	
JUN		
JUL	Richard & Bill	
AUG		
SEP		
OCT		
NOV		
DEC	XMAS	PARTY

SPEAKERS

We are always, continually, everlastingly looking for speakers for our monthly programs.

Send an email to me at wd6bor@vom.com so we can get your program or speaker information into the newsletter.

Month	Speaker/Member	Subject
2014 SPEAKER SCHEDULE		
MAY		
JUN		
JUL		
AUG		
SEP		
OCT		
NOV		
DEC	Chris K.	

2014 EAA 1268 CALENDAR

Send me any events you have for the calendar and I'll put them in.

DATE	EVENT
5/11	Young Eagles 9 Am
5/13	1268 Meeting 7 Pm
6/7	Skypark Family Fun Day
6/8	Young Eagles 9 Am
6/10	1268 Meeting 7 Pm
7/8	1268 Meeting 7 Pm
7/13	Young Eagles 9 Am
7/28	AirVenture Oshkosh 7/28-8/3
8/10	Young Eagles 9 Am
8/12	1268 Meeting 7 Pm
9/9	1268 Meeting 7 Pm
9/14	Young Eagles 9 Am
10/12	Young Eagles 9 Am
10/14	1268 Meeting 7 Pm
11/9	Young Eagles 9 Am
11/11	1268 Meeting 7 Pm
12/?	XMAS party at Sonoma Skypark!

EAA CHAPTER 1268 MINUTES

Attendance: The following board members were present: Don Booker, Jeanette Woods,

Paul Seibert, Bill Wheadon, BK White. Absent were: Darrel Jones, Robin Tatman, Roy Myers and Marsi Fahraji

Sonoma Skycrafters EAA chapter 1268
General Membership Meeting
April 8, 2014
Chapter Clubhouse - 21870 - 8th Street East,
Sonoma, CA

Minutes

Minutes to Order: Don Booker, President, directed the General Membership meeting.

A round of applause was given to our dual dinner Chef's Mr. and Mrs. Booker and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne.

The Chapter members and guests feasted on delicately seasoned pulled pork; authentic refried beans; fluffy and flavorful rice; accompanied by a savory salsa. To follow, dessert was a delectable, in-season, homemade - - Blueberry cobbler. To add to the already heavenly flavors, a sumptuous flan drizzled with a sweet syrup to complete the dinner. [Could you tell us please, when you will be opening a restaurant.]

Don then introduced: John Kibow who has a spectacular CV (private; commercial and multi CFI). He will be restarting our flight school called Air Sonoma Aviation.

A new Chapter member was introduced: Patrick Anderson. Patrick was accompanied by his neighbor, Dennis.

Announcement by Debbie Preston - - This year's HANNA wine label artwork was crafted

by her son, he's also our very own Young Eagle and Jr. Chapter Member - - "Curtis Preston." A case (6-bottles) is available for purchase at \$85 per bottle. A proposal to purchase the bottles individually, amongst the Chapter was suggested and it will be followed through.

B.K. White was looking forward to another successful Young Eagle's upcoming event (April 13, 2014). He will be supplying yummy donuts, bananas, O.J. and coffee.

NOTE: Fast forward to April 13, 2014. Big thanks to the generous donation of Matthew J. Tippel. His donation will cover May's Young Eagle early morning eats and treats. Matthew is a Young Eagle Parent; Principal of Maximilian Development Company and Owner of StudioTippel. Merci! Dome Arregato! Danke Schoen!

Don introduced our speaker for this evening: Richard Craig (aka genius) who spoke about wings and lift in a manner of mathematical formulas and equations - - then effortlessly captured the audience's attention and ability to put it all into grasp - - the technicalities of wings and lift - in a logical sense. Simply put, Richard communicates on all levels.

Treasurer's Report - Bill Wheadon reported that the checking account balance is \$_____.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 p.m.
Minutes recorded by Marsi Fahraji.

Send me your news for your newsletter!

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MEMBERSHIP **DUES ARE DUE** IN JANUARY, AND MEMBERSHIP RUNS FROM JANUARY TO DECEMBER. DUES ARE STILL A MODEST **FIFTEEN BUCKS**, SO BRING SOME CASH FOR DINNER AND A BIT MORE TO **PAY YOUR DUES FOR 2014!** SEE YOU THERE!

REMEMBER! THE MAY MEETING OF SONOMA SKYCRAFTERS EAA CHAPTER 1268 IS THIS TUESDAY, MAY 13 AT 7 P.M., AT THE SKYCRAFTER'S CLUBHOUSE HANGAR B-5 AT SONOMA SKYPARK AIRPORT.

DINNER STARTS AT 7 PM, SO DON'T BE LATE!

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING WILL BE 6 P.M. BEFORE THE MEETING

SKYCRAFTER MEMBERSHIP

EAA CHAPTER 1268 Membership Dues: **\$15 per year.**

Name: _____ EMAIL: _____

Address: _____ APT: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Telephone number, home: _____ work: _____

EAA MEMBERSHIP NUMBER: _____ EXPIRATION DATE: _____

AIRCRAFT OWNED OR BUILDING: _____

Your check should be made payable to: **EAA 1268**

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