



W I N G T I P S



The Official Electronic Newsletter of EAA Chapter 1300 in Henderson, NV

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President's Corner,

Dean Herrington, President

APRIL MEETING BACK AT KHND

Our April meeting will once again be back at KHND, and our dinner will be back at The Black Mountain Grill. Our presenter will be new chapter member Pierre "Candy Man" Redmond (no, I won't tell you why he's the Candy Man), who will regale us with the details of a challenging flight he made from Wisconsin to Las Vegas in a most improbable airplane. We might even get a look at said machine. You don't want to miss this one.

SOME AVIATION FREEBIES

Who doesn't love a freebie? Here's another one of my favorite freebie aviation websites: <http://www.genebenson.com/newsletter>. Gene Benson not only puts out a great safety newsletter, but does FREE webinars every couple of months. I've benefited from dozens of his newsletters, and attended many of his webinars, and you can't beat the price. Check it out!

THANKS TO ALL VOLUNTEERS AT THE KVGT OPEN HOUSE

Thanks to all those who showed up to help spread the word about EAA Chapter 1300 at the recent Open House at the North Las Vegas airport. In addition to the "usual suspects" who always seem to show up to volunteer, there were a few new smiling faces. Thanks to one and all for investing time to help fly the chapter banner.

CALL FOR PROGRAM IDEAS

Yeah, yeah, yeah ... I know ... I'm always calling for program ideas. But, hey, if you don't want to have to listen to me bloviate (bloviate, there's a great word ... thanks Bill O'Reilly) at every meeting, you better keep coming up with new ideas. ☺ **Thanks** to those who have already shared ideas and even presentation materials. Presentations on aviation related topics, site visits to aviation related businesses, site visits to see member projects, etc., are all possibilities. Email your ideas to Dean Herrington at ... herringtons@theherringtongroup.com.

THANKS TO ALL VOLUNTEERS

Thanks to all who provide the sweet muchies for each monthly meeting. We appreciate you all for helping the chapter.

CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

We're always looking for **new chapter members**. Pilots, non-pilots, anyone interested in aviation is invited and encouraged to come as a guest, and join the chapter (EAA national membership is also required to be a chapter member). Don't miss a chance to invite guests, and then twist a few arms to convert guests into members. ☺

See you on April 11th.

Let's all be careful out there,

Chapter Meeting Minutes from March 14, 2012

Submitted by Seb Trost, Secretary

NOTE: This meeting of EAA Chapter 1300 was held at the offices of Powder Coating Plus. A short business meeting was held, and then we had a plant tour conducted by Adam Fradella.

Meeting called to order at 7:30 P.M. by Dean Herrington, President

Welcome -- Last Call for 50/50 Drawing Tickets -- see Brian Prinzavalli

New Members and Guests - none

A SPECIAL AWARD - goes to Bob Rogers for completing his Sonex Waiex, N135YX, bur Bob was not present, so we will present the award in the April Meeting

Main Business Meeting

Minutes of Last Meeting were read. A motion to accept the minutes as read was made by Robert Jones and seconded by Bill Newton. Motion passed

Treasurer's Report:

Submitted by Brian Prinzavalli, Treasurer

Balance Forward From February:	\$1,851.96
I Income For The Month:	
Dues	270.00
50/50	168.00
Name badges	12.00
Donations	67.00
Miscellaneous	<u>25.00</u>
Total Income For March:	\$542.00
Subtotal:	\$2,393.96
Expenses For March:	
Secretary of State	\$25.00
Name badges	45.95
Refreshments	33.07
Awards	55.18
Raffle tickets	9.00
Miscellaneous	<u>5.63</u>
Total Expenses For March:	\$173.83
Balance Ending For March:	\$2,220.13

The 50-50 drawing at Mesquite Flyout was won by Hugh Mattern. A Motion to approve the Treasurer's Report was made by Roger Hansen and seconded by Robert Jones. Motion passed.

Old Business
None

New Business

By-Laws Consolidation Project completed by Seb Trost, Secretary. The Bylaws have been updated and consolidated and posted to the Chapter 1300 website.

Robert Jones, Vice President, performed a complete audit of 2011 Accounts, and found that all accounts were accurate and properly posted.

Committee Reports (as needed)

Flyouts - February's Fly-Out to Mesquite - Organized by Brian LaMontagne and Lynn Edakauska. Good turnout – nice lunch.

March's Fly-Out to Stove Pipe Wells – Brian handed out flyers

We need volunteers for the March 31st North Las Vegas Airport Open House.

Ralph – Young Eagles

We have lined up 6 aircraft for July 21st at HND. Glenn Austin is offering his hangar to use. We need 3 or 4 people to help on ground.

Tuskegee Airmen are sponsoring an air academy and will have kids there to get rides. We also need to put word out to CAP and Scouts.

We will also have an event at Pahrump on first Saturday of October (the 6th).

The 50/50 drawing was held by Brian Prinzavalli. Bill Lawbaugh won \$40.

PRESENTATION: Powder Coating Plus plant tour, led by Adam Fradella

A motion to adjourn was made by Robert Jones and seconded by Tim Ross. Meeting was adjourned at 7:45PM

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