



Chapter 1344

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Chapter Meeting

20SEP07 - 7PM
McPherson Airport

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Young Eagles at "When Pigs Fly"

McPherson had their annual "When Pigs Fly" barbeque and fly-in August 24-25 and we had a good turnout for Young Eagles. We had 52 sign up and apparently 2 of them couldn't wait and left before their rides, so our total number flown was 50! Many thanks for the hard work taking care of the paperwork goes to Tom S. and his wife Sharon. In one busy time when Sharon was a wee bit flustered she was heard to say that people who know nothing about airplanes and flying should not be asked to help with Young Eagles, but she did an admirable job anyway. THANKS Tom and Sharon!

I'm not even totally sure how many of the chapter members helped with the Young Eagles flights on the 25th, so I won't try to name them all, but I do have the names of all the pilots that were there to fly the young people. Here is the list of pilots and the aircraft they flew and the number of Young Eagles they flew.

Ron Miller (#660696) from Chapter 1344 - McPherson, flew 15 in his Aero Commander Darter.

Farrell Perdreauxville (#1368742) from Chapter 1344 - McPherson, flew 5 in his Cessna 152.

Thomas Chandler (#0361979) from Chapter 1344 - McPherson, flew 3 in his dad's Cessna 172. Tom is also our airport manager.

Ronald Chandler (#230825) from Salina, flew 17 in his Cessna 172.

John Cooper (#804854) from Hutchinson, flew 5 in his Citabria. John Cooper was so busy flying that he didn't even take time to go get any of the BBQ for lunch.

Steve Stacey (#796707) from Hutchinson, flew 5 in his Piper Tri-Pacer.

Again many thanks to the pilots and all those that helped for a job well done!

Our next meeting will be September 20th at 7 p.m. in the McPherson Airport terminal building.

Yikes! I just stumbled into a website that is simply amazing. If you have ever wanted aviation related toys or educational materials for the kids or grandkids, you need to check this out. They have things for 'kids' of ALL ages.

www.boeingstore.com

Area Events

1st Saturday of every month – Ponca City Airport Pancake Breakfast (PNC)

2nd Saturday of every month – Beaumont Hotel (SN07) All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast

2nd Saturday of every month – Lufkin, TX (LFK) Fajita Fly-in 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Angelina County Airport

3rd Saturday of every month – Alva Regional (AVK) Alva, OK

4th Saturday of every month – Augusta Municipal (3AU)

4th Saturday of every month – EAA Chapter 455 Fly-in Breakfast at Enid Woodring Regional (WDG) from 8:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

September 21-22 - Bartlesville, OK (BVO) 51st Annual Tulsa Regional Fly-in 918.662.8400 Email: cwh@hvsu.com www.tulsaflyin.com

October 6 - Colby, KS Shalz Field (CBK) 8th Annual Friends of Colby Airport Fly-in Pancake Breakfast and Open House 7a.m. – 3 p.m. 785.460.4438 mcas@st-tel.net

October 13 - Collinsville, OK (OK01) 3rd Annual Skyhaven Airpark Germanfest Serving brats at 11 a.m. 4400' grass strip 918.371.5072 isleofskye@att.net

October 27-28 - Muskogee, OK Davis Field (MKO) Air Show Oklahoma 918.682.4101

November 2 - Bartlesville, OK (BVO) Open House and Chili Feed

November 10 - Fairview OK Fairview Municipal Airport (6K4) 56th Annual World's Oldest Free Fly-in and Airshow regeir-flying@io2online.com

We were leaving Martha's Vineyard when my student nervously contacted Cape Approach:

Cessna 38W: Cape Approach, Cessna Three Eight Whiskey, student pilot departing the Vineyard, requesting advisories to New Bedford.

Cape Approach: Cessna Three Eight Whiskey, Cape Approach. This should be interesting. I'm a student controller, squawk 2234, and ident.

Overheard near Greensboro, N.C.:

Greensboro Approach: "Cessna One Two Three, fly heading one four zero, left base runway five, keep your speed up, turn it tight and I'll get you in front of the RJ."

Cessna 123 (hesitating): "Um, turn ... base ... five ... keep the speed up."

Approach: "Pretend you're an F-15."

Cessna 123: "Uh, OK."

Approach: "You're not buying it."