



Building Lasting Relationships and Making New Friends!

Upcoming Events

Saturday, August 19, 2023 - McKinney, TX.

[Chapter Gathering and Young Eagle Day](#), McKinney National Airport (KTKI)



Coffee and Donuts



Let's get together for some fellowship and fun! We're having Free coffee and donuts for everyone on the third Saturday of every month at Pat Long's Hangar in the McKinney Hangar Owners Association area at the Collin County Regional Airport in McKinney, TX. Let's gather at 9:00 am. Non-members can be added to our notification list by emailing the [Webmaster](#). You don't have to be a member to attend. See you there!

Need more info and directions? [Click HERE!](#)

09:00 - 10:00 Instrument Meteorological Conditions (IMC) Club Meeting: Held in the airport's 2nd floor conference room.

09:30 - 10:30 Chit Chat with refreshments and make new friends while the IMC meeting raps up.

10:30 - 12:00 - Announcements

Contact: Tim Greene - president@eaa1246.org

Saturday, Aug 5, 2023 - Sherman, TX

[EAA 323 1st Saturday event: Pancake Breakfast](#), Sherman Municipal Airport (KSWI), Sherman, TX

Pancake Breakfast



Chapter 323

Join us for Breakfast at the Sherman Municipal Airport! We are having a Pancake Breakfast! Whether you Fly-In, Drive-In or Walk-In, All are welcomed! Come for the Comradery, Stay for the Food!

Contact: Ed Griggs - blueskiesav8er@yahoo.com

Friday - Saturday, Oct 13-14, 2023 - Gainesville, TX

[Fall Festival of Flight](#), Gainesville Municipal Airport (KGLE), Gainesville, TX

"FALL FESTIVAL OF FLIGHT"

OCTOBER 13th & 14th, 2023



Welcome to the Fall Festival of Flight, hosted by the Texas Chapter, Antique Airplane Association, with the cooperation of the City of Gainesville, Texas. It is a chance to see the planes of the past and meet the pilots who lovingly maintain them. It is a chance to make new friends and renew acquaintances with pilots and airplanes who are longtime friends. Please make plans now to attend our 61st Fly-In on October 13th & 14th, 2023. With our emphasis on the aircraft of yesteryear, the Texas Antique Airplane Association Fly-In at Gainesville, Texas is the place to be as we present our: 61st Annual Texas Fly-In

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Hey Ya'll!



It's time to update the Projects and Planes Webpage!

The [Project and Planes Webpage](#) needs a facelift!

Send an email to the [Webmaster](#) with a your project and/or airplane photo attached, along with a short description.

I'll start updating the page with your submissions.

~ Smitty - Webmaster@eaa1246.org

Latest News!

Van's Updates List of RV Parts Reportedly Forming Cracks



The company says the defects in certain rivet holes appear to have resulted from the laser-cutting process.

**Got News or an Interesting Article,
or a place for the group to fly to?
Building an Aircraft?...
Invite members over to see it!**

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Cognitive Decline And The Middle-aged Aviator

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[The Middle Aged Aviator - Rod Machado](#)

Many pilots are concerned about how middle age affects their ability to fly safely. And many instructors, both young and older, are interested in how to train middle-age pilots. While it's true that middle age comes with certain declines in physical and mental performance, the news is actually quite good, especially in those areas that are essential to safe flying. So here's my take on how middle age affects our ability to fly safely.



[Class G Airspace, Explained](#)

Class G airspace is the only form of "uncontrolled" airspace in the United States. It isn't charted, and it exists wherever Class A, B, C, D or E doesn't. But to truly understand Class G airspace, it helps to understand Class E airspace first. If you want to start with that, we have an article about Class E airspace here.

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