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Avionics for Your Airplane

Collin County Community College

7:00 PM, Pike Hall

Collin County Community College, McKinney, Texas

Avionics For Your Airplane

Thursday, May 8, 2008 - Avionics for your Airplane

Greg White and Jerry Huntley from Select Avionics will tell us about the latest and greatest avionics for our production and kitbuilt aircraft. Get your questions answered regarding the pros and cons of various types of electronic gear. If you have wondered whether it is worth it to upgrade to a "better" navigation system, you should attend this presentation. This is your chance to ask the experts about your own panel problems without paying for "shop time." Don't miss it.







Another Successful Chapter 1246 Fish Fry!

Beautiful weather and great people teamed up again this year to make our annual fish fry a success!





A few brave pilots endured the excellent flying weather to come participate.

nce again we express our thanks to Garry Ackerman and his family for cooking all that fish and fresh, never frozen French fries!





s that Mel taking carry out fish orders?

Even grown up kids can't resist climbing around on airplanes!













Articles wanted for Your Newsletter

If you have done something interesting lately building, flying, or visiting, and you would like to share your experiences, please let us know so we can publish them in your newsletter.

We would like to feature your project here!

Call or email Tim Smith 972-679-0674 scooterpilot028@yahoo.com.

Whether it is just started or almost completed, your fellow EAA'ers are a curious lot, and we want to know all about it!

Don't be shy, we're going to see it when its done anyway!

May Fly out Hicks Airfield T67

So you just flew into Hicks, or you drove by to visit, and you are HUNGRY! So what do you do? Get a sandwich at the diner! The "Rio Concho Cafe" is a great place to meet the people who inhabit Hicks Airfield, or pick up aviation information. Also, you can watch the planes take off and land right from your seat! It's not a very large place, but the people are friendly and the food is amazing! Rio Concho Cafe is located right in the center of the airfield

Poker Run Date Change

The poker run has been moved from June to September.

Come to the meeting May 8th to find out why!

I have to say that flying on Air Force One sort of spoils you for coach on a regular airline.

— President Ronald Reagan

Airplane travel is nature's way of making you look like your passport photo.

— Vice President Albert Gore

MINUTES

EAA Chapter 1246

Officer's Meeting

April 16, 2008

7:30 p.m.

Final Preparations for Fish Fry on April 19

Andy will procure remaining needs

Nomination for Best Web Editor

Jim Smith will be nominated

Meeting Room

May will be last meeting in Pike Hall until September

Room A-217 will be used in the interim

Maps and directions will be published on the web site and newsletter

Future speakers

May – Select Avionics Representatives

June - Garry Ackerman on "Plane Rental"

Status of finances

Solvent

Reimbursements

None requested

Display Case

Key procurement necessary

Display options discussed

Newsletter

Articles requested

A recession is when you have to tighten your belt; depression is when you have no belt to tighten. When you've lost your trousers - you're in the airline business.

— Sir Adam Thomson



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(Items in **Bold** are **Chapter 1246** events)

May 8 EAA 1246 General Meeting. 7:00pm

Pike Hall, Collin Co. Community College.

Event Description

May 14 EAA 1246 Officers Meeting. 7:00pm Cutter Aviation, TKI. All members

Welcome!

May 17 EAA 1246 Fly out Hicks T67

Meet at Hicks approx 11 AM

May 17 Challenge Air for Kids

TKI Volunteer Pilots needed.

June 12 EAA 1246 General Meeting. 7:00pm

Pike Hall, Collin Co. Community College.

Event Description

June 18 EAA 1246 Officers Meeting. 7:00pm

Cutter Aviation, TKI. All members

Welcome!

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