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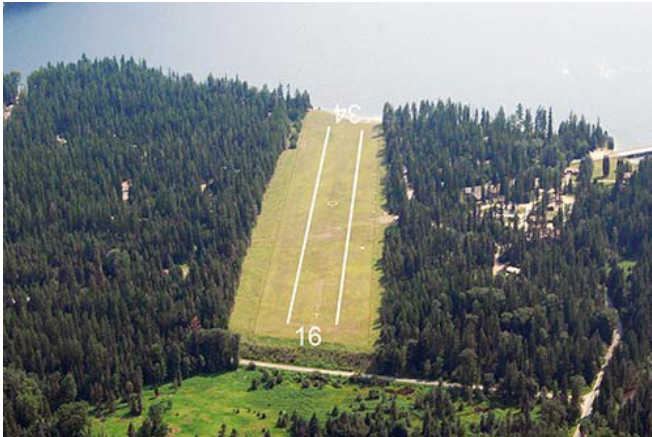
Preserving The Freedom of Flight

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Friday, July 8: "Recreational Aviation Foundation" (RAF)

A wonderful talk was given about the Recreational Aviation Foundation (RAF). Their information is crucial in creating and preserving airfields in and around the US's Nature Areas and Parks.



Metaline Falls/ Sullivan State (09S), Colville National Forest, Washington (Photo: WSDOT.wa.gov)

Door Prizes

EAA 153 has monthly door prizes at each meeting. Congratulations to our July winners!

Young Eagles Program

Rob Sherman, our Chapter 153 Young Eagles Program Coordinator, is organizing Young Eagles programs for this year. Dates will be based on what is most convenient for the Chapter Members who will be participating. If you'd like to participate, either as a pilot or as support personnel, contact Rob at this month's membership meeting, or contact Rob directly at either rob@robsherman.com or (847) 870-0700. *(text by Rob Sherman)*

Next Meeting: Friday, August 12, 7:30pm, "Garmin"

We will have a representative from Garmin talk about the latest products for certified and experimental aircraft, ADS-B compliance, Garmin Portables and Apps, and answer any questions you may have. Anyone interested in Aviation is always welcomed to attend.



Garmin G3X for Experimentals (photo: Garmin)



EAA Chapter 153 meetings are held at 7:30pm on the second Friday of each month at Schaumburg Airport (06C), Wright Boulevard at Irving Park Road in Schaumburg - please see map on the page listed below.

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Builder's Reports

EAA 153 has many kit builders, restorers, certified aircraft owners, and pilots. Please feel free to submit updates to your project for inclusion in the newsletter to greg.karris@yahoo.com.

Member's Special Reports

EAA AirVenture 2016 at Oshkosh (KOSH)

EAA HQ held its yearly Aviation Convention on July 25-31. (photos by Greg Karris)



Valdez STOL Demo (at Ultralight Field)



Flying replica of the Blériot XI Monoplane (at Vintage)



Howard 500 (at Vintage)



Polish PZL-104 Wilga STOL (at Warbirds)



DC-3 in Pan American Airways Livery (at Vintage)



Fairchild C-123K Provider (at Warbirds)

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NASA Research Tecnam P2006T to be converted to electric (at the NASA Pavilion)



Lockheed USAF C-5 Galaxy (at the Main Plaza)

Chapter Events & Updates

The Annual EAA 153 Summer Picnic - Saturday, August 13, 11am - around 4pm, at Gregg & Mary Lou Erikson's home & hangar (rain or shine) at Poplar Grove Airport (C77), 2909 Howard St. Flying in: down taxiway Foxtrot on left side. Planes can park in grass of backyards to North & South. EAA 153 will provide brats and burgers and beverages. We recommend that those whose names begin with A-H bring desserts, I-P bring salad, and Q-Z bring munchies, or just bring your specialty. For latest Poplar Grove (C77) info and procedures, please consult the AFD and

NOTAMS. Driving directions (from Gregg): Best route is to get on I-90 and go West. Take Exit #25, the Belevidere/Genoa Rd. Follow it North. Go through 4 stoplights & continue North. You will come to a sweeping left turn & now you will be going West. Go to the 3rd stoplight. This is Rt. 76. You will see the Boone County Fairgrounds complex on your right. Turn right on Rt. 76. You are now going North again. Go North on Rt. 76 about 2 mi. You will see the Byron State Bank on your right at the intersection of Waco Way. Turn right on Waco Way and go to the 4th street to the left. This is Howard St. Turn left (only way you can turn). 2909 is on the left just before the cul-de-sac at the end. Park in the driveway or street and walk around to the back where the hangar is. Gregg's cellphone is 630-277-0989.

EAA Chapter 153 Clothing - If you are interested in ordering Chapter 153 Clothing, please see or contact Scott Taylor for an order form. EAA 153 logo clothing including shirts, hats, and jackets are available. Please put your order in if you are interested.

Chapter Tools - EAA 153 has tools to lend out. We have a Tensiometer, Endoscope, Labelmaker, and an Oil Changing Kit. See or contact Bob Brandt (847-274-3193, cessna1801954@yahoo.com) if you are interested in borrowing them.

Chapter Social Events

EAA 153 will be having some Social Events. Stay tuned for the upcoming ones!

Local Aviation Events

EAA 1414 Monthly Pancake Breakfast at Poplar Grove Airport (C77) (from Mary Lou Erikson) - They are the 2nd Sunday of each month, 7:00 am until 11:00 am, at EAA building on north side. Young Eagle flights at each breakfast. 8/14, 9/11 and 10/9. Also the Lions Club annual breakfast is 8/21/16 at Poplar Grove Airmotive hangar.

Members' Classifieds

Got something aviation or tools for kitbuilding to sell or want to buy? Please contact Greg at 630-290-4359 or greg.karris@yahoo.com to be included in this newsletter. Listings are free for members of this chapter or the EAA.

Experimental Aircraft Association Chapter 153 exists to assist and support growth and innovation in General Aviation, promotion of aviation safety, individual participation in amateur aviation, and transference of knowledge and skills of aircraft construction. Annual dues are \$10, payable at the beginning of each calendar year. The EAA and Chapter 153 are non-profits.

Meetings and Membership is open to anyone interested in Aviation. All Chapter 153 Members must be Members of EAA.

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