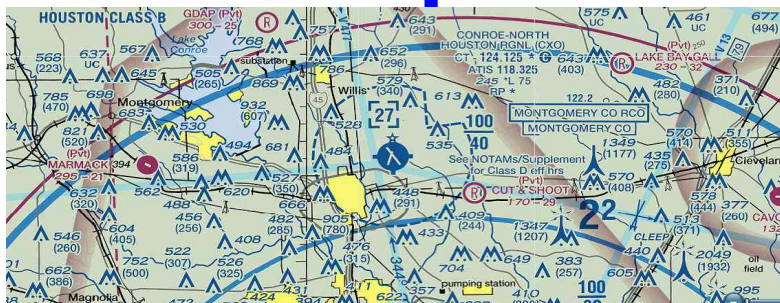


EAA Chapter 302



Newsletter



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MEETING NOTICE

November 10, 2018, 10:00 AM

See the last page for a map to the meeting

IMC/VMC MEETING



Wednesday

Nov 14th

7-8:30 PM
Galaxy



THIS MONTH'S PROGRAM

News from HQ

The Bally Bomber
Planes of Fame Airshow-
Chino

Metal Cutting Snips



Thursday, November 22

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October 13th, 2018 Meeting Minutes

Meeting Called to Order by President Joe Waltz with 53 enthusiasts in attendance. John Sommer (current member who lives in Seattle!) led the pledge. Miles Demster performed his audio-visual magic.

Visitors:--Member Tim Grassman introduced his son Ryan. Ryan is a high school junior who flew in our recent YE event, and is an Eagle Scout interested in aeronautical science.

--Member Chris McMartin (leader of the Woodlands HS JROTC) introduced one of his sophomore students, Will Plutto, who is a Young Eagle participant with a strong interest in aviation. Will is applying to be our Airventure Air Academy scholarship recipient next summer.

Membership Report: Humes reports 151 members. He advised that nearly one hundred annual membership dues payments are needed for each Young Eagle we sponsor to attend the EAA Air Academy. Keep those dues coming in! Special Deal: If you forgot to pay your 2018 dues earlier this year, you can pay 2018 dues now which will also count as having paid your 2019 dues!

September Meeting Notes: Approved as published.

Treasurer's Report: Guice reports a beginning balance on 9/1/18 of \$4446, income \$184, expenses \$232, resulting in a balance of \$4398. No major expenditures are anticipated for the rest of the year.

News from Headquarters Video:--Charlie Becker announced a new program "Flying Start" to encourage adults to learn to fly by providing Eagle Flights (adult version of Young Eagle flights) and flight school information/recommendations.

--EAA Headquarters has prepared information to assist members in setting up a flying club.

--Becker announced Ray Foundation \$10,000 flight training scholarships available for 100 teens ages 16-19. Recipients must be recommended by EAA Chapters. Let's get scholarships for kids in our area!

Chapter Video: Vintage and Warbird aircraft highlighted.

Project Reports: *(Email Miles Demster large file pictures of your project before each meeting.)*

--Joe Waltz (RV-10) Attached tailcone to fuselage. Installing air-conditioning (what?).

-- James Heldt (Tailwind) Installing cowlings, prop, seats, and carb heat. Hopes to fly in spring!

This Month in Aviation History: On October 10 of this year, a truck convoy carrying the fuselage and tail of a rare Lockheed Constellation L-1649A Starliner traveled from Maine to JFK Airport (aka Idlewild) in New York. With a bright red "Trans World Air Lines" logo, the 60-year-old plane will be converted into a bar for the upcoming TWA Hotel. Member and ex-TWA Captain Don Brewer plans to run up a large bar tab reminiscing about his youth!

Hints for Homebuilders Video: Bicycle brake cable applicability to ultralight aircraft.

Young Eagles: Mike Goebel reported the recent YE event on Columbus Day with 23 kids. Need more YE volunteers! Considering holding an event at Cleveland airport.

Shop Tip: Tom Kreiner AWOL.

Announcements: Jim Archer has been appointed to investigate Joe Waltz's high school year book signings. There have been uncorroborated accusations about Joe's high school and college party activities. "Who to believe?" See #MeAlso for more information.

Events Report: Fly-out activities are advertised in the newsletter and in Pache's Events section of the EAA302.org website. Challenge Air is coming up November 3, and a Red Bull Air Race is coming to the Texas Speedway in Fort Worth November 17-18.

New Business: Member Jim Smith's son Mike recently completed certification as a CFI and is now teaching at ATP flight school here at CXO. Congrats. Perhaps Mike can teach Jim some regulations?

Old Business:--Officer Elections, per our bylaws, are due again for the four officer positions in November. Nominations are being solicited for President, Vice President, Treasurer, and Secretary. At this time, we have no nominations for the Treasurer or Secretary positions.

--Allen Johnson Crime Update: ABC Channel 13 News produced a video segment reporting on Allen's murder. Member John Sommer described the Montgomery County Crime Stoppers effort on behalf of Allen, and proposed a Chapter donation to encourage tipsters to come forward with useful information. Board members will consider a donation that members will vote on next month.

Adjourned to fly to Lufkin or to drive to McKenzie's for lunch.



EVENTS COMMITTEE UPDATE

Keith Pache 713-412-7010, pilotpache@aol.com

1) 10:00-11:30am Sat. November 10th Chapter Meeting (Galaxy FBO).

2) 11:30am-4:00pm After our Sat. November 10th Chapter Meeting: Fly-out to Lufkin. See newsletter flyer for details!!

3) 7:00-8:30pm Wed. November 14th IMC/VMC Club Meeting (Galaxy FBO). Keith & Mike will lead an informative presentation/discussion about Enroute Holding and Approach Procedures. Bring your flying stories and lessons learned – the meeting is geared to be organized hangar flying, so the more participation & sharing the better!!

4) 6:00-9:00pm Sat. December 8th EAA 302 Christmas Party – Save the Date!!

5) Events Calendar: Here's a partial list of upcoming events. You'll find many more (with working hyperlinks) by clicking on our website Flying Events tab (typically updated Thursdays): <http://www.eaa302.org/>

Date	Description	Location	CXO Dist.	Website	Contact
11/6/18	5:00pm FAA Safety Webinar: Owner Maintenance - Can He Do It	The comfort of your own home	0 nm	https://www.faasafety.gov/SPANS/event_details.aspx?eid=85929	Tim Haley 336-369-3951 timothy.l.haley@faa.gov
11/10/18	Fall Wings Wheels Fly-In	85TE-Old Kingsbury Aerodrome Kingsbury, Texas, USA	132 nm	https://www.funplacestofly.com/aviation-event-details.asp?EventID=23121	Charlotte E parker 832-392-8077 parker.charlotte52@hotmail.com
11/10/18	10:00am-4:00pm Cleburne Airport 90th Anniversary	KCPT-Cleburne Regional Airport Cleburne, Texas, USA	158 nm		Sharlette Wright/Gayla Harlow 817-641-5456 airport@cleburne.net
11/10/18	10:00am EAA Chapter 35 Annual Chili Cookoff and Fly-Mart	8T8-San Geronimo Airpark San Antonio, Texas, USA	184 nm	https://www.funplacestofly.com/aviation-event-details.asp?EventID=23357	Jose Garcia 915-203-1361 eaa35pr@gmail.com
11/11/18	9:30am-3:00pm Kachemak Bay Flying Service (KBFS) Fly-In	KTPL-Draughon-Miller Central Texas Regional Airport Temple, Texas, USA	114 nm	None	Gary Chambliss 254-771-0077 gary.chambliss@s3inc.com
11/12/18	1:00pm FAA Safety Webinar: Icing Insights for General Aviation Pilots	The comfort of your own home	0 nm	https://www.faasafety.gov/SPANS/event_details.aspx?eid=86294	Jesse Wilson 303-332-3452 jesse.wilson@jeppesen.com
11/12/18	4:30pm CXO Airport Advisory Board Meeting	Lone Star Convention & Expo Center - 9055 Airport Rd, Conroe, TX 77303	0 nm	http://www.lonestarairport.org/about-us/airport-board-agenda-minutes/	Airport Director's office (936) 788-8311
11/12/18	7:00pm FAA Safety Webinar: FAA Safety Briefing LIVE! November - December 2018 Issue	The comfort of your own home	0 nm	https://www.faasafety.gov/SPANS/event_details.aspx?eid=87527	Aeronautical Proficiency Training 314-863-5941 john@teipen.com
11/14/18	7:00pm FAA Safety Seminar: How and Why to Fly Angle of Attack, with or without an AOA Indicator	KSGR-Sugar Land Regional Airport Houston, Texas, USA (Anson Aviation)	46 nm	https://www.faasafety.gov/SPANS/event_details.aspx?eid=84753	Sally S. Sims 713-248-2011 sssim@mac.com
11/14/18	7:00pm FAA Safety Webinar: NAFI MentorLIVE - First Solo to 787 Captain	The comfort of your own home	0 nm	https://www.faasafety.gov/SPANS/event_details.aspx?eid=87644	Aeronautical Proficiency Training 314-863-5941 john@teipen.com
11/17/18	10:00am-6:00pm Candy Cane	KBBD-Curtis Field Airport	208 nm	https://www.funplacestofly.com/aviation-event-	Lisa Perry 325-597-1461

HELP CRIMESTOPPERS APPREHEND A KILLER



This is Allen Johnson. Early Friday morning, August 17th, 2018 we lost a well known and long standing member of the aviation community. Allen, while driving to his hangar at the Conroe airport, was shot and killed by an unknown assailant. Your EAA 302 Board of Directors wants to do anything they can to track down whoever did this. We hope you do too. We are suggesting two avenues to support Conroe Crimestoppers:

#1—Come to the next meeting prepared to vote on a proposal we are going to make.

The Board voted to contribute \$1000 (subject to membership approval at the November meeting) to the Montgomery County Crimestopper organization to be used as a reward for information leading to the conviction of Allen Johnson's murderer. If the funds are not used by Crimestoppers, the \$1000 will be returned to the Chapter after 12 months.



#2—If you'd like to do more, go to our website: EAA302.org/donations

You will find “Crime Stoppers—Allen Johnson Fund”. Donate what-ever you wish. All donations will be pledged for the case. If they don't use the funds to reward an informant in his case, your contribution will not be returned to you. It will be returned to our Chapter and redirected to our Young Eagles Scholarship Program.

OCTOBER 8 YOUNG EAGLES

No school on Columbus Day, so let's have a Young Eagle's Rally. Mike Goebel had 10 kids lined up, so we recruited 6 pilots and a few ground personnel. Social Media stepped in, and we found ourselves working with 25 kids. No matter—the fog burned off, and we had another successful rally.



Our intrepid Pilots



25 kids plus parents



Joe Waltz took this littlest girl who said
“Let's get this big bird in the air!”



Jimmie Crawford & crew



Gerry White flew the most—5 times



Lauren Schreck—12 days from retirement

DAVENPORT FLY-OUT



There were over 30 airplanes at the event, some bigger than others

The invitation was out there—if you didn't go, you missed a really good time. Excellent weather, lots of different kinds of airplanes, and good food. One of the purposes of this gathering was to show the City of Livingston that Aviation is alive and well, and they should be a part of it. OOR has made many needed upgrades, and hopefully this kind of activity will bring about more improvements.



Plenty of barbecue for everyone, served up by neighbor volunteers, topped off with ice cream



The warbirds were well represented—from the basic trainers to the fastest WWII fighters

Thanks, Tom & Elaine for a good time!

TOOL CRIB DONATION



Tom Wilson has sold his Sonex project and most of the tools. He cleaned the shop and donated all the pictured materials to EAA 302. The bigger rivets and sets went to G&G Aviation, and the smaller items went to the tool crib.

Does anybody have a pneumatic squeezer that fits that C-frame?

OFFICER NOMINATIONS



Officer nominations will be announced at the next regular meeting for approval. They will serve with the rest of the team for the next two years.

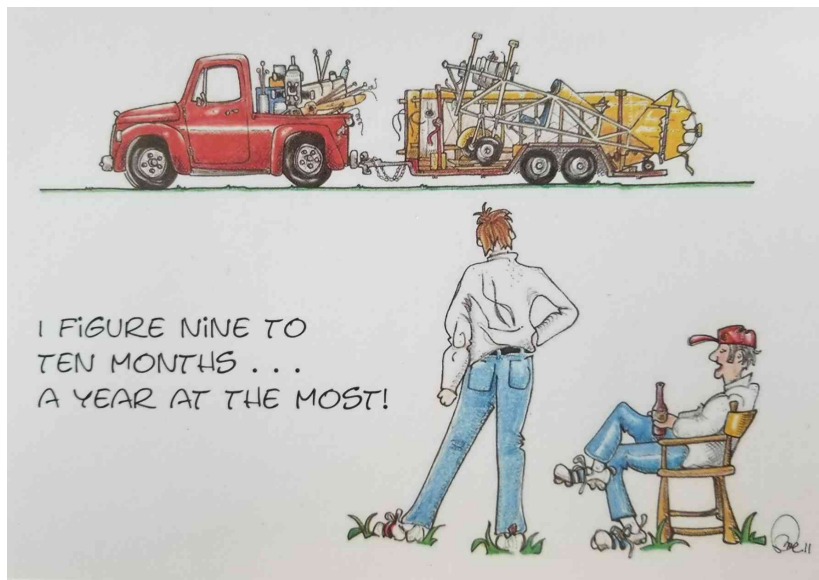


For Treasurer, Bill Donaho has agreed to work with Don Guice and take on the responsibilities of the Chapter's finances.



For Secretary, Jim Morrical has stepped up and agreed to work with Brent Crabe to record meetings and learn the bylaws of 302.

While not an elected office, Darryl Foster will join the Board of Directors as Webmaster.



Any chance
This might
Be you?

CHRISTMAS PARTY



SAVE THE DATE
DECEMBER 8TH, 2018
BLACK WALNUT
6:00 TO 9:00 PM



Please use the EAA302.org website—Web Store and click on the Christmas Party button to attend. Cost will be \$25 per person. We will do a White Elephant gift exchange (\$15-20 range) with emphasis on the most unusual or aviation themed keepsake. Please consider bringing a new, unwrapped toy for Toys for Tots.



MILITARY ASHES DISPERSAL

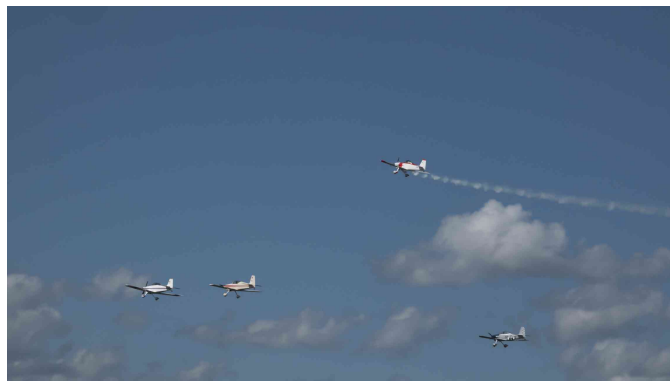


Several of our EAA 302 members were recently asked to do a mission which was new to them: An ashes dispersal of a recently departed military veteran.

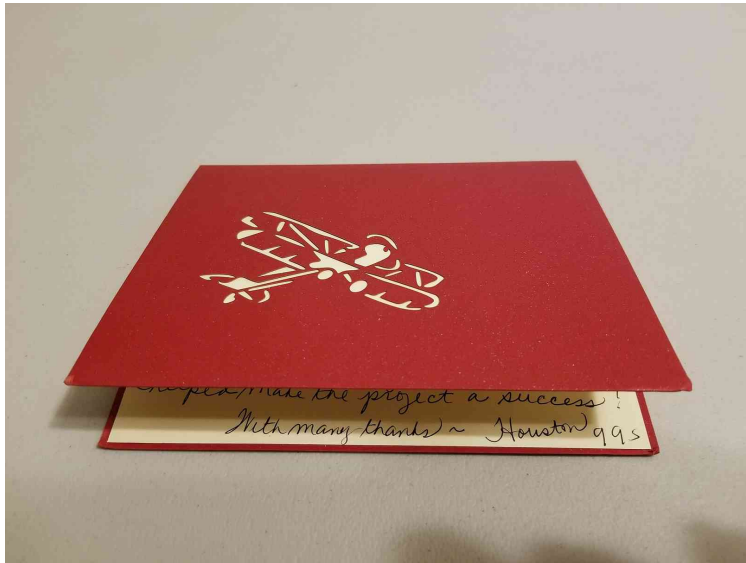
The task was coordinated by 302 member Sandy McNabb, who also made the canister you see to the left.



The request was made to Freedom Flight. Since the RV-series is not very adaptable to this type of canister, Freedom enlisted the help of Biplane owner Don Colchin. The can was mounted on his left strut, and you can see him (left) during the dispersal over Lake Conroe. Freedom Flight followed with a Missing Man Formation as part of the ceremony. The Montgomery County patrol boats then converged at the dispersal spot and placed a wreath on the water, then departed in formation as well. The ceremony was viewed from the McNabb home by family and friends. Sandy has donated the canister to EAA 302.

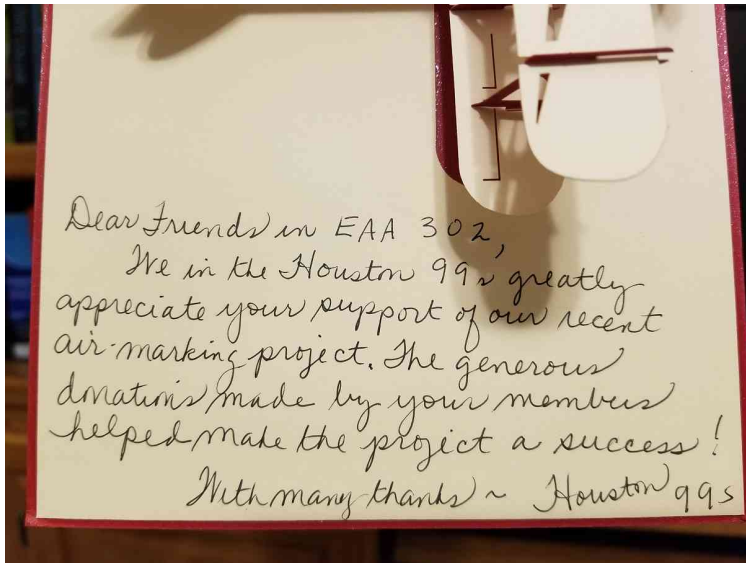


THANK YOU—FROM THE 99'S



Got a really cool card from the Houston 99's addressed to the EAA 302 gang.

You may not remember, but the 99's were going to do a repaint of the Compass Rose at the runup area of Runway 19. They didn't have enough funds for the paint.



Through Vicky Croston, they asked if EAA 302 would contribute. When the "hat" was passed, there were more than enough dollars for the task.

The card is cut paper. You can read their message on the inside of the card to the left.



But the coolest part is the "pop-up" figure of a radial engined bi-plane, complete with landing gear and wing struts.

Nice job, 99's! Thanks for the spiffy, new-looking compass rose.

GENERAL CHENNAULT FLYING TIGER ACADEMY FIRST YEAR ANNIVERSARY



Aaron Wang CEO, Nell Callaway, & Mo



Flying Tiger Captain Jay Vineyard & wife Ruby



Dignitaries, with Conroe Mayor Toby Powell (L)

By now, many of you know Mo Rolfs, the COO and Director of Flight Operations at General Chennault Flying Tiger Academy. That's him to the left in the Captain's shirt. He has been very generous to EAA 302, allowing us to hold our Young Eagle events at their new business hangar. With him is one of General Chennault's Grand-daughters, Nell Callaway. Along with CEO Aaron Wang, she has been instrumental in setting up the Academy.

Also in attendance was 95 year old Jay Vineyard, with wife Ruby. Jay is the last remaining original member of the Nationalist China Flying Tiger Squadron commanded by Chennault. Jay and Mo are forever linked by the fact that they were both members of the Flying Tigers. Mo flew in the same squadron, then composed of A-10 "Warthogs", until it was decommissioned.

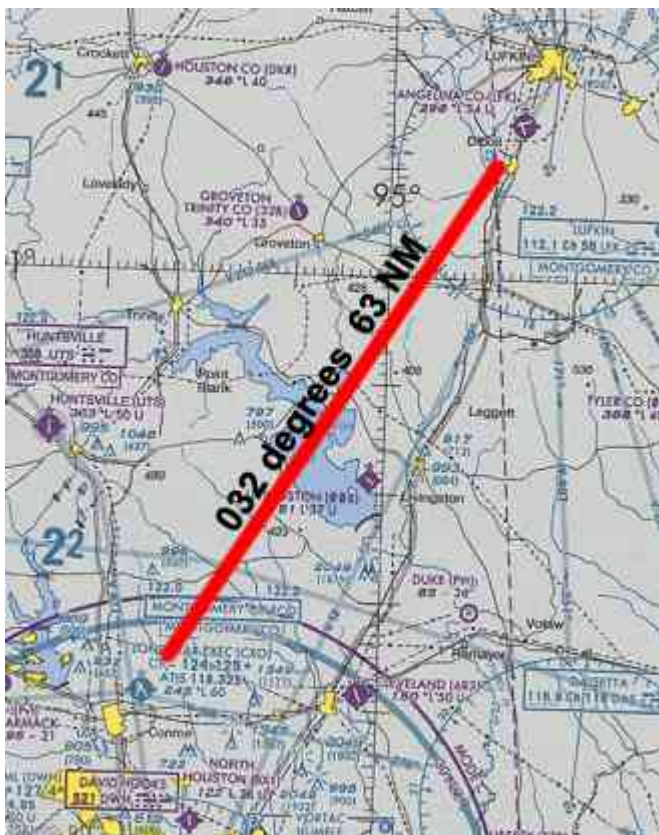
There were over 200 people in attendance, and around 20 different aircraft on display. A full buffet table lined one side of the hangar, and guests were treated to drinks, beer, wine and champagne.

November 10, 2018 Lufkin Fly-Out



Angelina County Airport Cafe

We couldn't pull it off in October due to weather, so let's try again and go to Lufkin for lunch. Its a nicely kept airport with a cafe right next to the fuel pumps. Not the cheapest fuel in the area, but they do offer discounts on the weekends. The ladies in the restaurant offer good, reasonably priced food. They make a great burger, but their pies and cobbler (if its not gone) are excellent. And don't forget—they're also open for breakfast. See you there! If you don't have your own ride, see if you can snag one at the meeting.



CLASSIFIED ADS

Ads are free to any EAA member. They will run for 6 months, or until you pull them out of classified. Text or Email to dirvine1945@gmail.com

For Sale--Hatz CB-1/Classic project. Purchased a flying Hatz, so my project is for sale. Fuselage/tail are welded and on the landing gear. It includes many of the Classic features such as the reclined rear seat. Wing ribs are complete, center section is started, spars are included but not yet drilled. Most metal fittings and compression tubes are complete for the wings. Two sets of plans, one CB-1 and one Classic (New). New Matco tailwheel, plus a few boxes of misc. parts and pieces. Great project for less than the cost of materials.No flying or drag wires included. \$5,000 11/18

For Sale-RV-8 FASTBACK • \$120,000 • FOR SALE BY BUILDER • Excellent Condition. 180 hp Lyc. IO360 M1B. TT 360 hrs. Hartzell blended foil prop. AFS 4500 EFIS. Garmin 696 GPS with weather, panel mount. Garmin com radio GTX 327. Tru Trak autopilot ADI Pilot II. Raven inverted oil system. 406 ELT. Classic Aero leather comfort foam seats. 3" Crow Belts. Locking fuel caps. Infinity stick grip. Bruce's cover. • Contact Douglas J. Knab , Owner - located Montgomery, TX USA • Telephone: 281-513-2694 11/18

For Rent--Nov 1st, half of my hangar The rent is \$250 per month. It is a large rectangular hangar, B-9 on the first alley on the hill to the right as you come thru the gate, next to Don Guice. Ron Cooke 936-890-1296 or cell 936-499-2415 11/18

For Sale: Micro Mong ultralight bi-plane kit. Tubular construction of wings and fuselage are complete. Sheet stock, fabric, tires and wheels included. Built by long-time EAA member, recently deceased. Price very negotiable, make offer. His wife would just like to know the project was completed. Located in Panorama Village. Phyllis Masterson (713) 859-5291. 9/18

For Sale--Two Bose noise cancelling headsets, plug into panel, bluetooth capable with your cellphone, \$600 each OBO! Cindy Osburg text to 936.328.9748. 8/18

For Sale: 2004 Diamond DA-40, G1000, WAAS, Syn Vision & Terrain, XM link, TAWS B, Kap-140 AP, TTach 1,068 hrs SN, TTHobbs 1,226, Cruise@140kts on 9 gph, \$42,000 for ¼ share, plus monthly fixed cost sharing & engine reserve, hangered at CXO, Gary @ 832-922-0231 or h034851@yahoo.com. 7/18

FOR SALE-- New Slick magnetos removed from brand new Lycoming engine, 1 Slick 4370 magneto and 1 Slick 4372 magneto with Impulse Coupler, Slick Harnesses. Retail over \$3400. No core required. Used on many -390/-360/-320 engines. \$2200 to EAA 302 member. Brent Crabe 936-494-9494. 5/18

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We now meet in Galaxy FBO's building on the South Side of the Conroe-North Houston Airport. Use the South Entrance, 1st floor. Meetings start at 10:00 AM.

You cannot access the FBO by the old Airport Parkway. You need to use Loop 336 and turn at Hawthorne Drive. This road has an Airport Entrance sign which mentions Galaxy FBO and the Black Walnut Restaurant. This is just southeast of the Roller Skating Rink.

See you there.

