# **EAA Chapter 302**





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# Newsletter

# MEETING NOTICE NOVEMBER 11TH, 2023, 10:00 AM

See the last page for a map to the meeting

# **IMC/VMC MEETING**



Thursday. Nov 9 7-8:30 Galaxy



# Veterans Day 11th November

#### THIS MONTH'S PROGRAM

**News from HQ** 

**Young Eagles Credits** 

**Ray Aviation Scholarships** 

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# OCT 14th, 2023 MEETING MINUTES

There are no minutes, as the 14<sup>th</sup> was switched to a short briefing and then a flight to Mustang Beach Airport and join a NASA group observing the Annular Eclipse. A last minute call indicated that Port Aransas was overcast. The group then split up, with half going to San Antonio's Stinson Field and the other half going to Fredericksburg.



As you can see, the Stinson group had some broken clouds but still saw the eclipse



The Fredericksburg group were the clear winners—with clear skies and good views

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# From Tommy Fankhauser IMC Director



# EAA Chapter 302 IMC/VMC Club Meeting 7:00pm Thursday 11/11/23 (Galaxy FBO Conference Room)

November meeting time! Here's a couple of questions to think on for Thursday:

After departing from runway 36 and leveling off at pattern altitude, you start a turn to left crosswind. As you begin the turn, you notice that the magnetic compass starts to turn in the opposite direction. Can you explain what is likely causing the magnetic compass to act like this?

What is the standard format for the sequence of information provided in an IFR clearance?

\*\* Source: FAA Instrument Flying Handbook FAA-H-8083-15B

### Main Topics:

Review recent incidents involving weight and balance and distractions.

We'll also finish of the review of Mike Busch's 12-minute video on how to lap a valve without removing the cylinder. Followed by a brief discussion.

Anyway, some topics to discuss to better understand what we do. As usual, open discussion, updates, and "hangar talk" is encouraged. We've been having some great discussions lately and I encourage anyone who hasn't been to a meeting to come and see what's going on. Hope to see you there!!.

Tommy Fankhauser (435-322-0528) Mike Barnett (281-543-1226) Adam Hailey (346-246-4246) Keith Pache (713-412-7010)

# **EVENTS COMMITTEE UPDATE**

#### **Keith Pache**

- 1) 10:00am-?? Monday Donuts & Coffee (Hangar 17E Taxiway D).
- 2) 7:00-8:45pm Thu. November 9<sup>th</sup> IMC/VMC Club Meeting at Galaxy FBO (see Newsletter for details).
- 3) 10:00-11:15am Sat. November 11<sup>th</sup> Chapter Meeting (Galaxy FBO).
- 4) 11:15am-?? Sat. November 11<sup>th</sup> After Meeting Fly-Out to the Annual Holiday Stroll & Airshow Spectacular (T41-La Porte Muni).
- 5) 6:00-9:00pm Sat. December 9<sup>th</sup> EAA 302 Christmas Party at Pizza Shack in Montgomery (great food and fun with friends)!!
- 6) Flying Event Links:
  - a) Fun Places to Fly = https://www.funplacestofly.com/funflyeventbyzip.asp
  - b) Social Flight = http://www.socialflight.com/search.php
  - c) EAA Webinars = https://www.eaa.org/eaa/news-and-publications/eaa-webinars
  - d) FAA Safety Webinars = https://www.faasafety.gov/SPANS/events/EventList.aspx
- 6) Events Calendar: Here's a partial list of upcoming events. You'll find many more (with working hyperlinks) by going to our website and clicking on Flying Events under Our Chapter: https://eaa302.org/flying-events/

Date	Description	Location	CXO Dist.	Website	Contact
11/10-12/23	Aviation Discovery Fest - Dallas	KRBD Dallas Executive Airport Dallas, Texas, USA	158 nm	aviationdiscoveryfest.org	888-945-3008
11/11/23	9:00am-4:00pm Wings & Wheels	85TE Old Kingsbury Aerodrome Kingsbury, Texas, USA	132 nm	https://pioneerflightmus eum.org/	Charlotte Parker 832-392-8077 parker.charlotte52@h otmail.com
11/11/23	World's Oldest Free Fly-In	6K4 Fairview Municipal Airport Fairview, Oklahoma, USA	387 nm	https://www.funplacesto fly.com/aviation-event- details.asp?EventID=260 42	Teresa Regier 580-227-3788 regieraerial@gmail.c om
11/16/23	4:00pm Chennault Airfield Grand Opening	25TX - 15900 Schank Road, Conroe, TX 77306	5 nm	None	None
11/18/23	10:00am BearDog Racing Fly- In	00R Livingston Municipal Airport Livingston, Texas, USA	29 nm	Facebook - SE Texas Aviators	None
11/18/23	10:00am-3:00pm Open Ramp Day	KHOU William P Hobby Airport Houston, Texas, USA	43 nm	Facebook - Texas Aviation Event Calendar	None
11/18/23	9:00am EAA 1246 - Coffee and Donuts Fly-In	KTKI McKinney National Airport Dallas, Texas, USA	179 nm	/aviation-event- details.asp?EventID=260	Tim Greene president@eaa1246. org
11/18/23	8:30-11:30am FAA Safety Seminar: Mastering GPS Procedures And ForeFlight For Single-Pilot IFR	KJWY Mid-Way Regional Airport Midlothian/Waxahachie, Texas, USA	148 nm	v/SPANS/event details.a spx?eid=124734&caller=/ SPANS/events/EventList.a	Michael Williams 214-908-3550 mdwilliamsdo@msn. com
12/2/23	9:00-Noon Breakfast Taco & Pancake Shindig (1st Saturday each month)	50R Lockhart Municipal Airport Lockhart, Texas, USA	121 nm	None	None
12/2/23	EAA 614 Fly-in Pancake Breakfast (1st Saturday each month)	2L0 Pineville Municipal Airport Pineville, Louisiana, USA	165 nm	Facebook - SE Texas Aviators	None





# **CHRISTMAS PARTY**

SAVE THE DATE

DECEMBER 9TH, 2023

PIZZA SHACK—MONTGOMERY
19132 Stewart Creek Road

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 \$30 per person. We considered doing karaoke, but decided on Bingo instead. This year we would like to invite our members to bring the prizes. (Optional) Nothing expensive, just something our winners will "cherish". Please consider bringing a new, unwrapped toy for Toys for Tots.







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# AND NOW A NOTE FROM YOUR FRIENDLY WEBMASTER

The system will start sending e-mails at the beginning of December for member dues for 2024. The e-mail will have a link that enables you to click and go directly to the member payment page. We're striving to move to 100% cashless system. This removes several manual processes and eases the burden of record keeping.



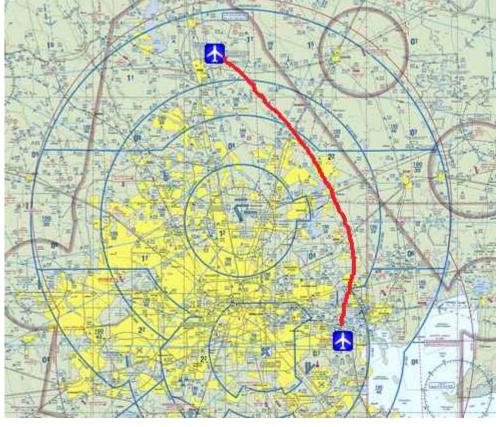
# THINK OF WHAT YOUR EAA 302 DUES PROVIDE:

Informative Monthly meetings
Tool Crib
A Great Newsletter
Young Eagle Rallies
Scholarships
Technical Counselors
Flyouts
Camaraderie

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# **SATURDAY NOV 11TH FLY OUT**





La Porte Muni KT41

ASOS 120.27

CTAF 122.7

**ELEVATION 25'** 

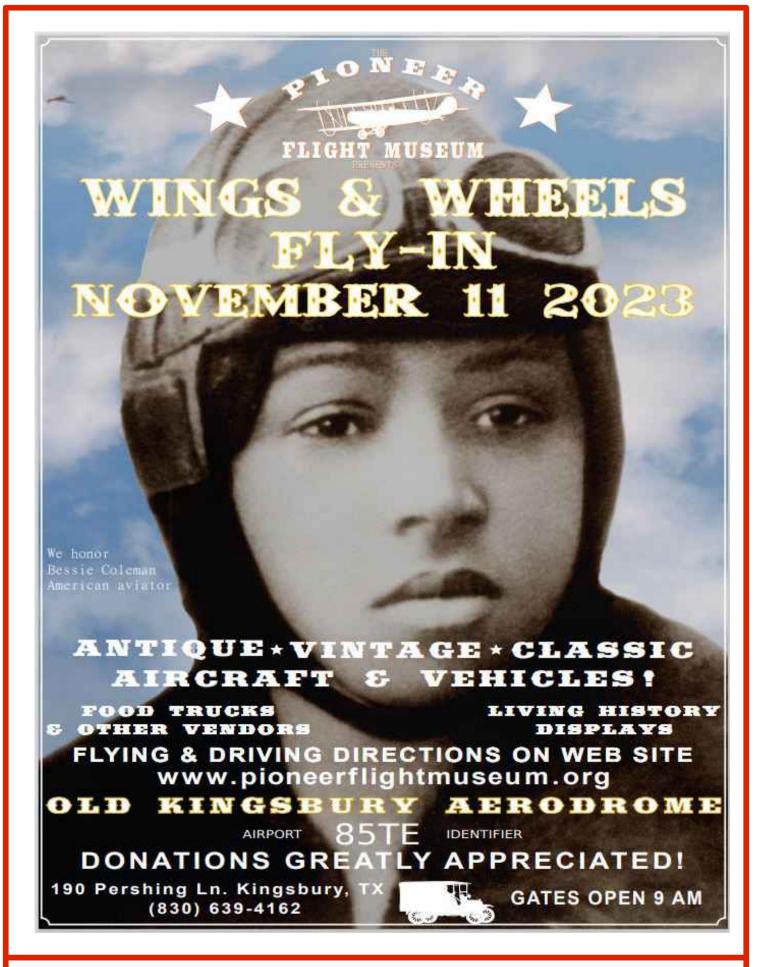
**PATTERN 1025'** 

05/23 2998 x 75

12/30 4165 x 75

100LL \$5.50

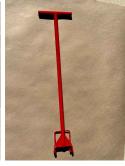
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## **CLASSIFIED ADS**

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**: 3 aircraft tow bars (Cessna, Piper, etc)

Used, but in very good condition.

Lg red one is \$250.

Smaller red one with prongs is \$180.

Silver one is \$200.

Can pick up at CXO. Cash or PayPal only.

Vickie Croston 832-585-3886

skydiveVKC@gmail.com





Sky King pedal airplane - Stunning 1-owner Sky King pedal airplane. Rare, as this is as close to mint condition as there is and it works great too! Collector's item.

Too large to ship, but you can pick it up at CXO. \$1000. Cash or PayPal only. Contact Vickie Croston 832-585-3886 skydiveVKC@gmail.com





After



**FOR SALE--**<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Share in a Piper PA-32 260 1966. \$32k N3476W . ~735hrs SMOH (flies regularly)

Brand new panel (Garmin GPS and transponder, twin G5s, autopilot, PS audio panel, new JPI engine monitor) Large iPad. 6 seats-new interior. Flies smoothly. Contact: Tim Bowling: (832) 771-7486



**Available for Sale:** Quarter Share of C182P - N182JK - \$40k, 1975 Cessna Model 182P AFTT: 5220 hrs, Engine 1 Time: 440 hrs, GNS 530 WAAS, GTX 330, S-TEC System 50, PMA 8000E, Tailbeacon with WAAS. Hangared at CXO near DD, where it will remain. For spec sheet, photos and more info, please contact Miles Demster @ 214-908-3320 after 6:00 PM or text anytime. Email milo 4545@yahoo.com

**Wanted:** Looking for an old propeller any size to hang on a wall at a fair price. Call or text Mike McKenney 802 380-2310 or mmmckenney@comcast.net 5/23

#### Contact Info—go to Home/contact us

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IMC/VMC Club Tommy Fankhauser

We now meet in Galaxy FBO's building on the South Side of the Conroe-North Houston Airport. Use the South Entrance, 1<sup>st</sup> 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.

### Young Eagles/Eagles

Dean Marcott

#### **Property**

Denny Irvine

#### Website

Darryl Foster

#### **Membership & Communications**

Rick Oliver

#### **Newsletter**

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#### **Events**

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