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## EAA 551 OFFICERS:

John Basol - President

Wade Nelson - Vice President

Greg Bednark - 2nd Vice President

Ken Olson - Treasurer

Bob Barrett & Mark Phillips - Newsletter Editors

Rob Janke - Webmaster

Dave Grose - Secretary

Dale Field – Board Member

## Young Eagle & Eagle Coordinators:

Paul Schwinghammer

Wade Nelson

Tim Mahoney

## Special Events Coordinators:

Larry Oswell

Gary Engler

Bill Kreul

## Board Minutes:

-Board meeting 4/7/2014 Aero Club Hanger 6:30 PM

-Meeting called to order by John Basol

-Details for the April program about army drones at Camp Ripley were finalized.

-The board continued to plan for the EAA B-17 tour coming to STC in July. Gary E. will be the marketing chair for the event. Ron Y. made a motion to hold a raffle with the prize being a B-17 ride. John B. seconded. The motion carried

-John B. made a motion to hold a program on May 17 with a presentation on float plane flying. Motion Carried.

-The board discussed risk management policies.



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-Wade N. discussed the Young Eagles event at LXL on June 21<sup>st</sup>. He also had a request to fly young eagles at another event in Brainerd in October. The board will consider it after the B-17 tour.

### Coming Events

**4/21/2014**- EAA Chapter 551 Member Program. 6:30 Fort Ripley tour. Camp Ripley Drone Operations Presentation. Members should plan on meeting at either The Little Falls Perkins (Hwy 10 and 27) at 6:30pm if they wish to carpool, or at the front gate of Camp Ripley no later than 7pm.

**5/5/2014**- EAA Chapter 551 Board meeting. 6:30 Aero Club hanger. A light meal will be available for a nominal donation.

**5/2014**- EAA Chapter 551 Bean & Brat Fly in Leaders Airport

**6/2/2014**- EAA Chapter 551 Board meeting. 6:30 Aero Club hanger. A light meal will be available for a nominal donation.

**7/7/2014**- EAA Chapter 551 Board meeting. 6:30 Aero Club hanger. A light meal will be available for a nominal donation.

### Non EAA 551 Events

**5/2/2014**-MSPA Annual Safety Seminar Brainerd MN BRD, Madden's East Gull Lake

Mary Anderson 612 240-0123

### St Cloud Aero Club Meetings:

**5/7/2014**- 6:30 Atwood Center

Watch your e-mail for upcoming fly-ins, Mark will try to get info out by the Thursday before the event

On Line Social Event Fly Ins Web Site: It was requested that I send out the link to a fairly new Aviation Events calendar. It is called Social Flight. If you have not heard of it, check it out. Social Flight is becoming the premiere flying calendar/reminder spot. Works great on iPhone and iPad. Click on:

[www.socialflight.com](http://www.socialflight.com)

Mark Priglmeier

### News and Notes:

For EAA members from John Voth's aviation collection - books galore from his library, model airplanes, different airplanes mounted on boards, some clothing. They are low priced. Anyone interested please come to the garage at 3463 Roosevelt Road (south Saint Cloud) call 252-9177 to set up time. Thank you, John Voth



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### **B17 Volunteers Needed**

We will need to provide a minimum of 8 volunteer positions from 8am to 8pm, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday (July 4th, 5th, 6th). We'd like to break up the approximately 12 hour days into 3 hour shifts (8-11am, 11am-2pm, 2-5pm, 5-8pm), which would mean there are a total of 96 time/position slots to fill on those three days alone. Interested volunteers are asked to send in the times they are able to help on those days to [notam@eaa551.org](mailto:notam@eaa551.org), so we can begin working out schedules.

The chapter tool crib has been moved to the Aero Club hanger. Any member wanting to use a tool should email Mark at [notam@eaa551.org](mailto:notam@eaa551.org) and he will arrange a time or people to meet you.

### **MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION:**

**A new year is upon us so please don't forget dues for the calendar year 2014**

**EAA Chapter 551 membership dues are \$20.00 for email and \$25.00 for postal mail. Dues can be submitted/mailed to EAA 551's Treasurer:**

**Kenneth HT Olson CPA LTD. 2330 Troop Dr. #101 Sartell, Mn. 56377**

**Just a reminder- take a look at your EAA membership and note when you need to renew for your national membership. Your Chapter 551 dues are separate from the national dues and each one benefits you differently. Chapter membership gives you access to all events, tool crib, library and access to unlimited information and more. EAA national membership gets you discounts at certain events, subscription to Sport Aviation, and covers insurance for Young Eagle flights and much more.**

**Please submit membership inquires enrollments and profile updates to Mark Priglmeier: [notam@eaa551.org](mailto:notam@eaa551.org). If you do not wish to receive emails from EAA Chapter 551, email: [notam@eaa551.org](mailto:notam@eaa551.org) with a subject line "Please unsubscribe from EAA Chapter 551email".**





Members are very interested in what other members are flying and building. Please send pictures of your project, airplane and trips you have taken with a short write up so we can post them in Granite City Flight Lines.

In an effort to attract more interest in our chapter and aviation in our community, we have made some improvements to the newsletter and website. Rob Jahnke is heading up website improvements. More changes are coming so check out the website, we know you will like the new content. We also have a presence on some social networking sites like, Facebook and Twitter. One of the down sides of these outlets is the need to protect personal information of our members. An effort is being made to not post personal info on any document that may be accessible to outside individuals. In the past contact info was available here; if you need contact information contact an officer or info would be available by sending an email request to: [notam@eaa551.org](mailto:notam@eaa551.org)

Wizards cleaning products now available to members at discount prices. The Chapter has agreed to purchase some cases of Wizards products. The boxes will be at the Aero Club Hanger with prices noted on box. Please leave Payment in envelope with the box.



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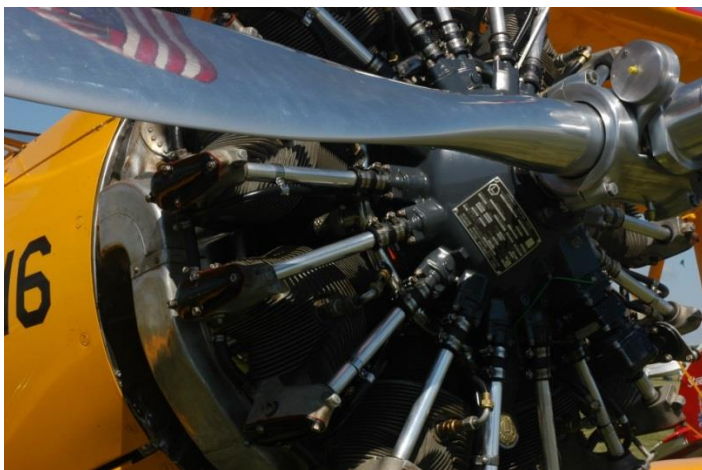
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