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EAA 551 Officers:

Greg Bednark - President

Tom Hammer - Vice President

Neil Weihrauch – Second Vice President

Ken Olson - Treasurer

Dave Grose – Secretary

Special Events Coordinators:

Larry Oswell

Gary Engler

Bill Kreul

Board of Directors:

Rob Jahnke - Webmaster

Mark Priglmeier - Communications

Mark Phillips – Young Eagle & Eagle Coordinator

Wade Nelson

Gary Engler

Dale Field

Scott Jerve

Newsletter Editors:

Bob Barrett & Mark Phillips

Board Minutes:

Chapter 551 Board Meeting Minutes 10/5/2015: Greg Bednark, President called the meeting to order at 6:40 PM. Tom Hammer moved the September minutes be approved as published in the September Granite City Flight Lines. Ken Olson seconded the motion and it passed.

Ken Olson reported that the Treasury had \$2920.00 with 68 paid members for calendar year 2015. To help the Treasurer, it was decided that 2016 year dues were due on or before 11/30/2015.

The following nominations for Officer for 2016 were made. President Tom Hammer, Vice President Neil Weihrauch, Second Vice President Nominees: Ben Ramler, Dave Tannehill, and Patrick Wolfson. Ken Olson Treasurer, Dave Grose Secretary. Board member nominees are: Greg Bednark, Gary Engler, Dale Field, Rob Jahnke, Scott Jerve, Wade Nelson, Mark Priglmeier, and newsletter editors are Bob Barrett & Mark Phillips. Nominations will be open from the floor for all offices. There are two proposed amendments to the



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by-laws to be voted on at this meeting. One is to provide for a second vice president. The second is to amend the by-laws so that the secretary is not limited to a one year term. These minutes serve as the required written notice to amend the Chapter 551 Bylaws.

A combined Chapter 551 Christmas Party and Awards banquet will be held on 12/5/2015 STC. President Greg Bednark is looking for volunteers to assist with planning for this event. E-mail Greg @ greg334ct@msn.com or telephone him at 320-282-1274.

EAA Chapter 551 is looking for volunteers to be Special Events Coordinators again contact President Greg Bednark by e-mail @ greg334ct@msn.com or telephone 320-282-1274.

Bob Barrett moved that effective 12/1/2015 U.S. Veterans age 75 and older will not be assessed EAA Chapter 551 dues. This was seconded by Dale Field and after discussion was passed unanimously.

Scott Jerve moved that the meeting adjourn at 8:45 PM. This was seconded by everyone and carried.

EAA 551 Sponsored Coming Events

10/19/2015- EAA Chapter 551 member program, 6:30 PM. St. Cloud Aero Club Hanger. Come early to enjoy food and participate in the railroading I mean election of new Officers for Chapter 551 for 2016 Bob Budde Chapter Member will talk about his lengthy Aviation Career including his time as a WWII Army Air Corps Flight Instructor, United Airlines Pilot, Private Flight Instructors and Reno Air Racing career!

11/5/2015- EAA Chapter 551 Board Meeting St. Cloud Aero Club Hanger. 6:30 pm light lunch for a nominal donation \$5.00 all are welcome.

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12/7/2015- EAA Chapter 551 Board Meeting St. Cloud Aero Club Hanger. 6:30 pm light lunch for a nominal donation \$5.00 all are welcome.

12/21/2015 – EAA 551 Member program. TBD



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Non EAA 551 Events

St Cloud Aero Club Meetings:

TBA

NOTE EAA CHAPTER 551:

Hey there EAA 551 SCSU Aero Club members! Your aircraft access/scheduling just got a whole lot easier! Remember, EAA 551 members can join the Aero Club for just \$40.00/year...period. No monthly fees or hidden charges. Now that is one heck of a deal! "Get 'em flying!" ...That's what we are all about here at EAA 551.

It's time for you to fly! Complete your SCSU Aero Club application today! The website has changed for scheduling, info, and registration. The new website is:

www.scsuaeroclub.org

News and Notes:

From: EAA 551 President:

Hey clear your schedule! (I believe will be the "Main Event of The Year"! Bring your friends! We are very Lucky this month to have Bobby Budde speaking to us! I have never heard Bobby speak before but from the stories from his over 50,000 hours of flight time that supersedes him I believe "It Is A Do Not Miss Event! We are very fortunate to have a local and such a talented and accomplished pilot share his stories and experiences with us! So come early and break bread with us! This month Chef Ben Ramler is preparing

Pulled Beef and Tom Hammer is helping Ben bring our meal together. Thank you Ben and Tom! We are expecting a huge turn out so come and join the camaraderie and help us welcome Bobby!

Contact me if you want to help be one of our Special Event Coordinators. We can't do it without you! Even a little bit helps more than you can believe! We are also looking for volunteers to help with our Christmas Party/Awards Banquet for this December. We need help with decorating and setting up. Please contact me! I believe that this is going to be a record turnout due to your ideas that was collected from the survey. Thank you for all the interest for the upcoming offices! Feel free to contact me for your interest any nominations for any offices!

Thank you,

Greg Bednark

Last month Jim Davis Cancer Fighting Pilot discussed his flight to help victims of cancer by flying to each of the lower 48 States and giving a ride in his "Purple home built airplane" to someone who had cancer or was being treated for cancer in each State. Jim Davis gave his talk on Wednesday evening 8/26/15 at the St. Cloud Aero Club Hanger and had 30 people in attendance. On Thursday 8/27/15 he gave a ride to Pete Hanson of 98.1 Minnesota Country station.

Member program 10/19/2015 elections. See board minutes for election details.

*****PLEASE DO NOT PARK ANY VEHICLES IN FRONT OF HANGERS******

EAA Chapter 551 tool crib info: <http://www.eaa551.org/criblogin.php>

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION: EAA Chapter 551 membership dues are \$25.00 for an individual and \$35 for a family membership. Dues can be submitted/mailed to EAA 551's Treasurer:

Kenneth HT Olson CPA LTD. PO Box 335, 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 inquiries, enrollments and profile updates to Mark Priglmeier: notam@eaa551.org. If you do not wish to receive emails from EAA Chapter 551, email: notam@eaa551.org with a subject line "Please unsubscribe from EAA Chapter 551email".

EAA 551 chapter programs are held on the 3rd Monday of every month @6:30 p.m. Please reference our EAA 551 monthly newsletter for details: <http://www.eaa551.org/newsletters.php>

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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.

Classifieds:

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notam@eaa551.org*



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NOTE EAA CHAPTER 551 Along with our sale of Wizards Mist-N-Shine, EAA 551 is now pleased to offer aircraft degreaser and aircraft window cleaner/polish. All items are sold at cost. Items are located at the EAA 551/SCSU Aero Club Hangar-EAA 551 cabinet. These items are sold at cost. 13oz. PLEXUS Plastic Cleaner \$18.00. 1 Gallon Simple Green Aircraft Degreaser \$15.00

Keep 'em clean. Mark Priglmeier

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Winners will be recognized in Sept. newsletter.



Kreg Anderson is the only person who correctly identified last months aircraft.