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Bob Barrett & Mark Phillips

Board Minutes:

Chapter 551 Board Meeting Minutes EAA chapter 551 board meeting 8-31-15 Meeting called to order at 6:45pm.
By Greg Bednar, President EAA Chapter 551

Mark Phillips gave a recap of the last Young Eagle event held on 8/22/2015 at KSTC. 97 Young Eagles were flown. Fuel costs were about \$300. Thank you to all the volunteers that helped make it a success. A special thank you to Tom Hammer for his contribution to the rally and also to Carol Schimnich for the poster boards. Greg Bednark asked the board to award Lynn Hoff a complementary membership in the Chapter for all the work Lynn did publishing the event on social media. Bob Barrett made the motion Mark Phillips seconded. Motion carried.

Treasurer Ken Olson reported we have 67 paid members now. Checking account balance of \$2500. New members to join the Chapter are Mark Rask and Wayne Brutger.



Greg Bednark asked Mark Phillips to find a chairperson to organize a startup to ground school program for young eagles.

Fundraising is on hold until the Chapter receives it's 501c3 designation renewal.

Sept. program, Bob Budde to talk about his aviation career. We will hold elections at the Oct program Nov. meeting Ground Scholl BFR for pilots Winter banquette/ Christmas party Dec. 5th.

Greg nominated Dale Field to be the chapter historian. Motion carried.

Fly-out to Manvel, ND 8ND4 on Sept. 18 &19, 2015. Camping is available check with the hosting Chapter for details.

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.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05pm

EAA 551 Sponsored Coming Events

9/21/2015- EAA Chapter 551 member program, 6:30 PM. St. Cloud Aero Club Hanger. Event TBD. We will be serving the best chili you have had don't miss it. Bobby Budde from Clear Lake will be talking about his very long and exciting aviation career. From WWII instructor pilot to airlines to a reno racer. Don't miss this great opportunity to hear an aviation treasure.

10/5/2015- EAA Chapter 551 Board Meeting St. Cloud Aero Club Hanger. 6:30 pm light lunch for a nominal donation \$5.00 all are welcome.

10/19/2015- EAA Chapter 551 member program, 6:30 PM. St. Cloud Aero Club Hanger. Event TBD

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.

11/19/2015- EAA Chapter 551 member program, 6:30 PM. St. Cloud Aero Club Hanger. Event TBD



Eagle Flights™



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for adults

12/4/2015- EAA Chapter 551 Board Meeting St. Cloud Aero Club Hanger. 6:30 pm light lunch for a nominal donation \$5.00 all are welcome.

Non EAA 551 Events

9/5&6/2015- Princeton Flight Expo, “The Event” 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM Each Day 70th Anniversary of VE Day at the Princeton, MN airport (KPNM) B-25 Bomber. L-19, Chipmunk on display. Contact Sharon Sandberg Phone 763-568-3360 Website-<http://flightexpo.org/flight-expo-event-wwii-memorial-fly-in/>

9/10/2015 - Lucky ‘Leven Central Minnesota fly-in Pot Luck @ Little Falls, MN (KXL) Thursday August 10–arrive by 5:30 pm. Main course & beverage provided bring a dish or dessert the Central Minnesota fly-in Pot Luck @ Little Falls, MN (KXL) Thursday September 10th –arrive by 5:30 pm. Main course & beverage provided bring a dish or dessert to share to share. This will be the last one for 2015!

9/12/2015 - Glyndon, Minnesota (JKJ) Moorhead Airport's Wings & Wheels Fly-In and Car Show
Activities include a pancake feed (8 am - noon), a variety of aircraft on display, youth airplane rides, a sky dive exhibition (noon), Sanford Helicopter, and the Fargo Custom Car Show. Airport Information: Moorhead Municipal Airport (JKJ) More info from AirNav.com Contact - Steve Edner Phone - 218-287-1400. Moorhead Municipal Airport (JKJ) 3309 70th Street South(Exit 6 on I-94) Glyndon, Minnesota 56547

9/13/2015 - Sunday New Ulm Lions Fly-In Breakfast 7:00 AM to 12:30 PM Fly in Breakfast with pancakes, sausage, and drink. Pilots Free. B-25 Miss Mitchell will be onsite. Airport Information: New Ulm KULM 1617 Highway 14 West, New Ulm, Minnesota 56073

9/19/2015 -Mora, Minnesota: Mora Municipal Airport (KJMR) Mora fall colors Fly-in/Drive-in Pancake Breakfast (8:00 AM. -- 12:00 PM.) Tell a Friend About This Event

Breakfast served by the Mora Lions. PICs eat free! Air rides by Hawk Aviation. AT6 Warbirds! Classic and antique cars welcome! Great Fall Colors! Come Join us! Airport Information: More info from AirNav.com Contact - Joseph J Buckley Phone – 6123905029 Website -Mora, Minnesota 55051

9/18&19/2015 – EAA 1342 camp fly-out to Manvel ND. 8ND4. Camp on Friday night fly-in on sat.

9/26/2015 - Kris Olson, Young Eagles Coordinator for EAA Chapter 25 Lakeville and Stars of the North Women in Aviation Chapter (Minneapolis/St. Paul) is asking for members of EAA National pilots and their airplanes to help coordinate Young Eagles rides at the Girls Aviation Day on September, 26. The event is a Girls Aviation

Day expo at St. Paul Downtown Airport(Holman Field) KSTP. There will be two sessions 9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon and 1:00PM to 4:00 PM. If interested contact Kris Olson ksimpson2@yahoo.com or cell 651-675-6826

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:

EAA CHAPTER 551 wishes to especially thank Mark Phillips and all volunteers that helped with the very successful Young Eagles Program conducted on Saturday 8/22/2015 at KSTC. St. Cloud Aviation made available one of their hangers for registration and use of those receiving Young Eagle Flights. St. Cloud Aviation also provided an airplane for instructing Young Eagle recipients and their families about pre-flying an airplane. Tom Hammer made a donation to assist in scheduling the large number of Young Eagles. Lynn Hoff was very successful in using social media to publicize the event. Carol Schimnich made up three poster boards showing and telling about Young Eagles and EAA Chapter 551 events and activities. We also want thank the KSTC Control Tower for expertise and assistance with the Young Eagle Flights.

*****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 inquires 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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Lucky 'Leven

Central Minnesota fly-in *Pot Luck*

@Little Falls, MN (KLXL)

Thursday, Sept. 10 - arrive by 5:30 pm

- Main course & beverage provided
- Bring a dish or dessert to share

Questions? e-mail: dkm@midco.net

Dennis & Kathy Kahlhamer

Ph. 320-630-4366

This is the last one until 2016

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.

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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

Members can post classifieds free of charge by sending ad to notam@eaa551.org



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Winners will be recognized in Sept. newsletter.

