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Next EAA 551 Event: 3/20/17 EAA Chapter 551 member program. 6:00 PM, Tacos will be served. Who doesn't love tacos? Food for a nominal donation of \$5.00 all are welcome and social hour. Program at 6:30. The program is as follows: Bobby Budde will put on another great presentation; this time discussing his air racing career.

EAA 551 Sponsored Coming Events

3/20/2017— EAA Chapter 551 member program. SCSU Aero Club Hanger 6:00 PM, food for a nominal donation of \$5.00 all are welcome and social hour. Program at 6:30. Bobby Budde will be presenting, talking about air racing

4/3/2017— EAA Chapter 551 board meeting. SCSU Aero Club Hanger 6:30. Everyone is welcome.

4/17/2017— EAA Chapter 551 member program. SCSU Aero Club Hanger 6:00 PM, food for a nominal donation of \$5.00 all are welcome and social hour. Program at 6:30. Content of the program is TBD

5/21/2017 - EAA CHAPTER 551 Young Eagle events at LXL; Young Eagles 9-noon. In conjunction with 90th year Lindbergh celebration.

6/5/2017— EAA Chapter 551 board meeting. SCSU Aero Club Hanger 6:30. Everyone is welcome.

6/10/2017 - EAA Chapter 551 Bean and brat Fly-In @ Leaders. 10:00-2:00

6/17/2017 - EAA Chapter 551 Young Eagles Event at STC: Young Eagles 9-noon

6/19/2017— EAA Chapter 551 member program. SCSU Aero Club Hanger 6:00 PM, food for a nominal donation of \$5.00 all are welcome and social hour. Program at 6:30. Content of the program is TBD

7/7-9/2017 - EAA FORD TRI MOTOR AT STC: EAA CHAPTER 551 WILL BE COORDINATING RIDES AND TOURS OF THE EAA FORD TRI-MOTOR We will be coordinating the stop at the St. Cloud Airport. We are going to attempt to coordinate with other Groups in the St. Cloud Area.

8/12 or 19/2017 - EAA CHAPTER 551 Young Eagle events at STC; Young Eagles 9-noon



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9/23/2017- EAA Chapter 551 Antique Fly In and Antique Car Show at STC.

Non EAA 551 Events

5/6/2017- Fly-in at Breezy Point airport. Pig Roast more details coming soon.

St Cloud Aero Club Meetings:

TBA

News and Notes:

There is still time to get letters into the Mn Aviation Hall of Fame board for Bob. We encourage writing letters of recommendation for Bob Leaders for the MN Aviation Hall of fame if you know him. Send the letters to:

Russell Jenson / Panel Member

2221 Youngman Ave. # 304

St Paul, MM 55116

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

Notice to all members: If you have any program idea for upcoming months or have suggestions of events that might be good ideas ect. Contact any board member with your ideas by the March board meeting.

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

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

The EAA Chapter 551 website is going through exciting changes and now new members can sign up from the website and current members can renew from the site also.

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION: EAA Chapter 551 membership dues are now due Nov. 1 for the following year. \$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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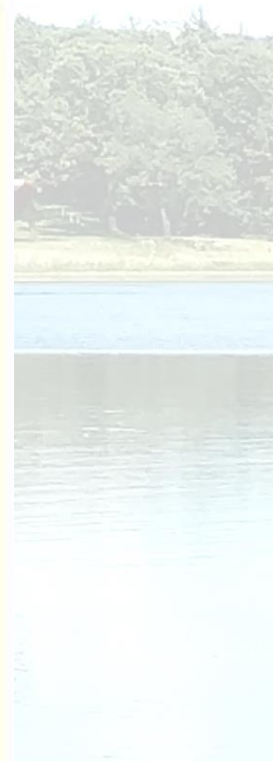
Anniversary Celebration

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May 20 & 21 • Little Falls, MN

SATURDAY, MAY 20	SUNDAY, MAY 21
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Rock & Run (1k, 3k, 5k 10k) • 8AM Little Falls Soccer Fields• Scavenger Hunt Kick Off • 1pm Charles Lindbergh Historic Site Charles Lindbergh State Park• House Tours & Program • 10AM-4PM Charles Lindbergh Historic Site• Charles A. Weyerhaeuser Museum• Lindbergh Bike Tour Touright Bicycle Shop• Airplane Flying Club Arriving Little Falls Airport	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Band at Park & Lindbergh Celebration Speech LeBourget Park• Lone Eagle Auto Club LeBourget Park• Dinner & Message from LeBourget France The Black & White Restaurant

Little Falls Convention and Visitors Bureau
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Due to special circumstances we are flip-flopping our May STC Young Eagle event with our LXL Young Eagle event to coincide with this celebration. We will be doing Young Eagles on Sun May 21. Look for more information soon.

DAD 2017 Postponed!

The DAD planning team has decided to "Postpone" this year's aviation event and hangar dance due to the large airshow taking place in Duluth the same weekend. We feel it will be too challenging to compete with that show for visitor attendance. It's also going to be difficult gathering volunteers, getting display aircraft, and acquiring enough exhibitors and vendors in order to put on the same quality of show we have been these past many years. We will take this season to focus on growing our planning team, volunteer help, and site logistics and marketing efforts in order to bring you a bigger and better show in 2018. Please stay tuned to our web site for future show updates.

~ VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! ~

The DAD planning team is looking for more event volunteers and team leaders. If you are interested in helping create or plan this exciting event, please [contact us](#) soon as possible for tasks needed and meeting dates.

~ Become an Event Sponsor! ~

With community support, the opportunity for the current and next generation to experience this unique event can continue. We invite you to become a sponsor to promote your company or donate to help make this event possible for years to come.

See our [sponsorship page](#) - Read our [sponsorship program](#)

EAA 551 Officers:

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Joey Schimnich- Co-Young Eagle Coordinator
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Bob Barrett – 320 309-1871
Mark Phillips – 763 516-2510

Board Minutes: 3/6/2016 : President Neil Weihrauch opened the Board meeting at 6:35 PM.

Mark Phillips and Joey Schimnich Young Eagles Coordinators explained the reason for shifting and changing Young Eagles rallies for May and June. May of 2017 is the 90th Anniversary of Charles Lindberg's Flight from New York to Paris. The City of Little Falls is commemorating this event the weekend of May 20 & 21, 2017. Tom Olson Airport Manager wanted the Young Eagles Rally on 5/21/2017 instead of during June's Dam Days. We will have a Young Eagle Rally on 6/17/2017 at STC instead of one in May.

Dale Field moved that we send a get well Card to Mike Jude who had the misfortune of landing short of the Paynesville Airport on Saturday 3/4/2017. Motion was seconded and passed.

President Neil Weihrauch announced that Mike Ten Voorde of Ten Voorde Ford Dealership will be one of the sponsors of the EAA Ford Tri-Motors visit to St. Cloud July 6 through 9th 2017. We also want to invite the St. Cloud Model T Club to exhibit the vehicles during EAA Ford Tri Motor visit. EAA 551 is looking for businesses or organizations wanting to help sponsor billboard to contact Neil Weihrauch 320-493-8206.

Joey Schimnich made some suggestions about programs for the EAA Chapter 551 Chapter General meetings held the third Monday of each month. Joey suggested we attempt to schedule some visits to other locations such as aviation museums, aviation factories etc.

Wade Nelson. made the following motion, The president of EAA Chapter 551 shall at his or her discretion have the authority to grant a complimentary EAA 551 membership to persons who have provided significant services to EAA 551. Such memberships shall not exceed a period of 18 months. The board envisions these memberships as a way to reward program speakers and others who have contributed to EAA 551. Dave T. seconded. Motion carried.

Rob Jahnke moved that the meeting adjourn and this was seconded by Dale Field and the motion carried. President Weihrauch declared the meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM.



Classifieds:

HANGERS FOR RENT @ STC \$10.00 PER DAY SEE Lynn Hoff STC Terminal 320/255-7292

Pietenpol Project-Long fuselage, ribs, tail feathers, center section of wing, fuel tank are completed. Sitting on the gear, with 600 x 6 cleveland wheels, with tires and tubes and has Matco tail wheel. Also have control stick, master cylinders, A65 continental engine with 0 hrs SMOH, and a Corvair engine core that is suitable for conversion. Wing spars came from Wicks, and have struts, safety wire and twist tool, several fittings and brackets are done. Have extra pulleys, and large assortment of AN nuts and bolts.

I have all documentation, pictures and many receipts. \$7500.00 for all

Dave Jeardeau, Phone 608-334-0112, e-mail jjeardeau@att.net



For Sale

Half share (50%) 1974 Bellanca Super Viking. Based in Little Falls (KLXL), in the Lucky Leven hangar.



Dennis Kahlhmer Bellanca N 74 TR
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Keep 'em clean. Mark Priglmeier

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