

# Albuquerque, NM

## Chapter 179 Enchanter



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Newsletters are at: <http://eaa179.org/newsletters/>

The Web Site for the LOEFI is: <http://www.loefi.com>

### Upcoming Events & Chapter Meetings

**19 August, Tuesday, EAA Chapter 179 Meeting**, eat at 5:30 PM, meeting at 6:00PM, Copper Canyon Café, 5455 Gibson SE. Guests and visitors are welcome.

Our Young Eagles events are scheduled for 2014 as follows:

September 13 @ Moriarty (OEO)

November 8 @ Double Eagle II (KAEG)

**SAVE THE DATE!** Our biggest event, the **Land of Enchantment Fly In (LOEFI)** and **airport open house** will be at Double Eagle II Airport Saturday, September 6, 2014.



LOEFI Ahead.

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## From the Editor, Harley Wadsworth

The RV-6 moves! It cruises twice as fast as the Pober Pixie. I am getting 145 knots true at 2450 RPM at 7500 ft. using 6 gal/hr. I still have the other two planes also so retired life is good.



My brother Tom and I flew the Cessna 170A to Oshkosh for AirVenture. It was great, as usual. Well attended and a lot of fun. Our brother Van camped next to us with his Mooney. We arrived together.



Paul Poberezny was honored at the Life Member banquet. It was an inspiring tribute and emphasized that Paul loved the people. He was a great gift to us all and will be missed.



Newsletters are at: <http://eaa179.org/newsletters/>

## Other NM EAA Chapter Newsletters

EAA 691, the Green Chile Chapter: <http://eaa691.org/PreFlight.html>

EAA 555, Triple Nickel Chapter: <http://www.zianet.com/eaa/>

EAA 251, White Sands Chapter doesn't have a new newsletter since 2009 but they do have a home page: <http://www.eaa251.org>

## From the President, Will Taylor

I don't know about the rest of you but the summer just seems like it's whizzing by. Of course that could be due in part to the wonderful summer events that have taken place; DEAA, AirVenture (ALEA for myself) and now LOEFI is less than a month out!



Our planning for LOEFI is coming together nicely, but there are always details to work out and the need for anyone willing to help volunteer. We will have sign-up sheets circulating at this month's meeting, so if you are interested and willing please sign up, should be a great time!

Also, don't forget we have our next Young Eagles event coming up in Moriarty a week after LOEFI (Sept. 13) so anyone willing and able to help out (pilots and ground crew alike), please contact Todd Blue.

See you all at this month's meeting! -WT



At the Membership tent, the Baby Ace that helped Paul spark the organization. And a replica glider that I think some of our Chapter members had a hand in building (am I correct?).



## Chapter 179 Meeting Minutes

### Chapter 179 Meeting for July 15, 2014

**Call to Order:** In the Absence of President Taylor and Vice President Richter-Sand, Secretary Todd Blue called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

**Introduction of Guests:** Guests presented included Amanda, representative of Best Buy, Wendy Biasetto, Madison Thompson and Guliana Biaspho. The Chappell family including Cael, Mary, Mark and John who are all family members were in attendance along with Margaux Waters home from Scotland for summer break. Dick Nichols, a past member of Chapter 179 also attended with his granddaughter Guiliana Bisetto.

**President's Report:** None

**Vice President's Report:** None

**Secretary's Report:** Todd Blue requested motion and second to accept minutes as published in June News letter with amendments. [The Grant received from *Wolf Aviation Fund* was noted as Wolf.] This year's class consisted of 24 students and 3 students returning to serve as teaching assistants. Motion to accept made, seconded and accepted.

**Treasurer's Report:** Art Woods gave the Treasurers report, Motion made to accept, seconded and passed.

**Membership, Promotion and Publicity Report** DE-AA report

**Young Eagles:** Todd Again thanked all for help in flying YE at DEAA, including pickup flights after the event. Reminder that chapter 691 and chapter 530 are both having a YE event on July 19. 691 event will be in Santa Fe and 530 event in Los Lunas. Volunteers are welcome at either event. Contact Amy Ross at 691 or Doug Warwick at 530 if you can help.

**Land of Enchantment:** Edy Taylor passes around sign-up sheets for Land of Enchantment volunteers. Next meeting will be at Copper Canyon Café on July 24 at 6:00. Thereafter, meetings to be every two weeks at Copper Canyon.

**Old Business:** None.

**New Business:** Laura Tweed related that Wes Hobbs at Grants Airport has suffered a stroke, but is recovering.

Meeting was adjourned by Secretary Todd Blue at 6:20 followed by a presentation by Mark Chappell on his attendance at the Air Academy in Oshkosh. Joyce Woods followed with an overview of the DEAA Sum-

mer Camp.

Respectfully Submitted,

Todd Blue, Secretary



**Check out our new website! Still**  
[www.eaa179.org](http://www.eaa179.org)

Our new website was launched, thanks to Cael Chappell and his staff (Georgia)! Unfortunately, they got to build it twice! Coincident with the initial site launch a few weeks ago, the web development software was corrupted maliciously (as were thousands of websites) so they ended up having to rebuild the whole site. Yike! A lot of extra work.

This set back delayed implementation of additional features so there will be more refinements coming. For instance, we'll eventually have online membership renewal capability and a database so we will be better able to keep member records and distribution lists updated and in synch.

If you have photos to contribute and/or ideas on what you'd like to see on the new site, let us know! Email either Cael or Joyce Woods ([chapter@eaa179.org](mailto:chapter@eaa179.org)).

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Tools and equipment:

No. 3 Pipe Cutter - \$10 8 Piece Compression Test Kit \$10 - Knee pads \$8

Grease gun \$5 - Spark plug cleaner \$9

3/8" Torque wrench w/ case \$11 - 3 Piece hose Clamp Set \$6

Contact: Curtis Smith, Corrales, NM • phone: 505-710-4186 [machpilot1@gmail.com](mailto:machpilot1@gmail.com).

## Familiar faces at EAA Oshkosh AirVenture 2014





# EAA AIRVENTURE OSHKOSH 2014



One Week Wonder



Award Winning Aeronca Chief



Who really  
invented  
this folding  
wing de-  
sign?



Snoopy Starduster



Funnel Cloud



Gee Bee



A Complex Airplane



## Easy Activate and Easy Close,

by Rose Marie Kern

Have you ever wished that you could just send a text to flight service to activate or close a flight plan? Lockheed Martin now has that feature available through their PilotWeb website. Signing up for the service is free.



On the site you have access to all the same weather products that the specialists at Flight Service use to give briefings – so you can choose to brief yourself or follow along as you call for one. You can file both IFR and VFR flight plans in either domestic or ICAO formats. You can enter basic information on your aircraft into a pilot profile that saves time whenever you go to file the flight plans.

Lockheed Martin Flight Service has also added an Adverse Condition Alerting Service (ACAS) which fills in the gap between briefing and flight time. The ACAS continuously monitors weather conditions from the time your flight plan is filed until the time it is closed after the flight. Any time that new or modified adverse condition information is received from the weather service, ACAS sends an email or text message and during the flight the alerts can be delivered through cockpit satellite communications devices.

One of the options on the site is signing up for feature that makes activating and closing flight plans easy. Pilots that register for these services receive an EasyActivate™ email 30 minutes prior to the estimated time of departure for each filed VFR flight plan. The email contains a link to activate the flight. Select the link and that's it – your flight plan is activated, and you do receive immediate confirmation. An EasyClose™ email is sent 30 minutes prior to your estimated time of arrival (based on your actual departure time) and works the same way.

You can sign up for this and other features in the preferences section of the website. Registering for an account is easy...check it out at <https://lmfswb.afss.com/Website/login>. For more information you can go to 1800wxbrief.com.

## Local Students Attend EAA Air Academy



At our July chapter meeting, Guliana Bissetto and Mark Chappell, just back from Oshkosh, shared their experiences at the EAA Air Academy. Designing gliders, learning aircraft build-

ing techniques, both developed their aviation passion! Guliana is the granddaughter of retired Delta Airlines pilot and 179 member Richard Nichols. Mark attended the Double Eagle Aviation Adventure (DEAA) in 2013 and was granted a Chapter 179 scholarship made possible by EAA credits received for our Young Eagles program. Mary Chappell, Mark's mother commented that Mark's attending DEAA "changed his life", leading to Civil Air Patrol involvement and attending the academy. Riley Brainard, another student of DEAA 2013 also attended the academy, although at a different time.

## 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Fall Colors Fly In / Drive In Pancake Breakfast



**Come Experience Leadville's  
Beautiful Fall Colors!**

September 27<sup>th</sup> 8:00-11:00 AM

Avgas \$5.25 Per Gallon

Breakfast \$6.00 Per Person

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*EAA Chapter 179 members and friends,*

*Just back from Oshkosh? Or did you miss AirVenture? No worries!*

***The Land of Enchantment Fly In (LOEFI) is coming up September 6th at Double Eagle II Airport!*** Come for great food and aviation fun for kids of all ages! Stroll the flight line of static displays including amateur built, production, and vintage aircraft from all over the state . . . and beyond. Airplanes! Helicopters! Gliders! Automobiles! Expect an appearance of the Chile Flight (RV formation team) and the Lobo Wing of the Commemorative Air Force. Browse the Exhibit Hall, Fly-Mart, and attend WINGS Safety Seminars for updates on ADS-B, Flight Service, and NMPA backcountry pilots. Gates open at 0700. Poster attached. Tell your friends!

***Want to get involved?*** We continue to recruit

volunteers for all areas: food preparation, pilot welcoming, public welcoming, educational activities for kids of all ages (**NEW!**), seminar setup, exhibitor coordination, setup/takedown, etc. We ask for 1-2 hour block commitments for most positions. We need a few experienced builders to help with a riveting demo station (**NEW!**). Let us know if you are interested in helping out! [Reply to this email](#) or contact Will or Edy Taylor at [apdpilot@aol.com](mailto:apdpilot@aol.com).

***LOEFI Planning Team meetings: new volunteers always welcome!***

Thursday August 7, @ 6pm Copper Canyon Café, 5455 Gibson Blvd SE

Thursday August 21, @ 6pm Copper Canyon Café, 5455 Gibson Blvd SE

Thursday September 4th, @ 6pm at Double Eagle II Airport, old FBO lobby (by fuel island).

Friday September 5<sup>th</sup> from Noon to 4pm at Double Eagle II Airport: Fly In and Exhibit Hall Set-Up

***Got Aviation Treasures?*** Donate aviation items for sale at the Fly Mart to benefit Chapter 179 activities and scholarships! Contact Rick Richter at 296-5050.

***Sponsorships?*** Know an aviation business (\$200) or nonprofit organization (\$50) that could benefit from a display in our Exhibit Hall? Or sponsor a Tie-Down (\$25)? If so, let us know! Booths are first come, first serve – so reserve now! Contact Bob Waters at [bobbywaters60@gmail.com](mailto:bobbywaters60@gmail.com) or Joyce Woods at [chapter@eaa179.org](mailto:chapter@eaa179.org).

Meanwhile, enjoy the greenery,

### **Joyce Woods**

Membership, Publicity, Promotion

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***Visit EAA179 on FACEBOOK and share your AirVenture or other aviation adventures! Or visit our chapter website (new site coming soon!).***

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## On-Going Events

**Pilots ABQ Lunch - Every Thursday**, Formation Begins at 11:15 AM, at **Monroe's Restaurant** at 6501 Osuna Rd. NE (about four blocks East of San Mateo on the North side of Osuna).

**Pilots Mid-Valley Lunch - Every Tuesday**, Formation begins at 10:00 AM at Bob Henning's Hangar, 3884 Tammy Ct. SE, Los Lunas, NM, (Mid-Valley Airpark) Ph 865-0007, then onto Lunch at T J's New Mexican Restaurant at 235 Highway 314 SW, Los Lunas at 11:45AM.

**Las Cruces/El Paso EAA Chapter #555 Breakfast - Every Third Sunday of the Month**, a huge \$6.00 breakfast. Look for the large EAA hangar located at the Las Cruces International Airport (LRU). All pilots and interested others are invited. Consider this for a 'fly out' or for other fun events!

**Aviation Historical Society—First Thursday of the Month**, Formation begins at 7:00 PM at Bear Canyon Community Center. Contact Harry M. Davidson, Ph (505) 256-7212

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