



# CHAPTER 179 NEWS

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Meetings are normally held every Third Tuesday of the Month  
@ 7:30 pm @ CORONADO Airport (Subject to Change with Notice!)

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If you have anything you'd like to share with all of us in print, then please contact the Newsletter Editor, so it can be published in a future newsletter!

## Calendar of Events:

### The next Meeting:

06/19 (Tue) at 7:30 pm, Coronado-Airport (FBO)

Our guest speaker for this month will be a surprise!

### Going On's... within, around & above ABQuerque:

June 9th., Pilot Bash over at Eclipse Aviation,  
*Well, better check the Date, because you probably missed it !!*

July 14, Our annual Summer Picnic in lieu of a formal meeting

Sept. 15, Land of Enchantment Fly-In (incl. Young Eagles Rally)  
Held again at Moriarty - Airport, All Day Saturday!

*Not much else going on or is it ?*

July 24-30: OSHKOSH in our "neighboring" State of Wisconsin.

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**Minutes from the May Meeting:** by Marcel Roetheli

The Meeting opened at 7:40pm with 28 members present and Konrad presiding. First topic was a quick reminder for the Military Air Show planned for Sunday, May 20<sup>th</sup>! Members who didn't receive an order form for the nametag on their B-17 jackets should contact Konrad, as he got them available. The money received as our share of the B-17 Tour will be put mainly towards the building fund of our future chapter house. There was no financial report this time, due to the absence of our treasurer. Konrad deposited the big check in our account and he thinks that Russ may have taken off with the loot, never to be seen again. Konrad got in touch with some show-car people and they agreed to be at our Fly-In. Russ is in charge of the Motorcycle club presence, but he did not report his findings due to his absence. Konrad managed to have Ford Conversion-Van donated to our chapter. It could be used as a general Airport-Car/ 4-Transport/ Young Eagles Mobile, etc.etc. Lew is working hard on the Volks-Tower, and it will soon be ready for painting. Slowly but surely, it will be looking great. The chapter has spent ~\$150 for a set of four Walkie-Talkies to be used at Fly-In's. Al Z. brought in his Stearman model, *that we never raffled off last year* It was decided by majority to hold the raffle right there and then. (Sidenote: The model was hand delivered to the lucky winner within days.) June 9<sup>th</sup> will be the International Young Eagles day. The East Mountain chapter has a YE Fly-In scheduled for June 2<sup>nd</sup>, for group of the girlscouts. Jerry has already 30 young ladies signed up & confirmed for the event. Our Moriarty Fly-In will be held on the 15<sup>th</sup> of September. By consent, this is probably the best date. Joy and Keith will be co-chairmen of the event. George tells us, there will be a hands-on workshop at Moriarty on June 16 & 17. It should be very helpful to builders. Konrad contacted the RC-model club...

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...to also be present at the Fly-In. Dion Lear reported of the group flight to the Santa Teresa Air Museum in April, after first having had breakfast at Belen Alexander, lunch in Las Cruces and finally refueling back at Belen Alexander( \$1.95 / gal.) The Fly-Out was very well attended and enjoyable to all. John Dougherty (IAC-47) has his fine banner towing equipment for sale. It comes with all the necessary parts & instruction on how to pick-up and fly the banners. Checkout & Sign Off will be included as well as John is also a CFI !!! Tom Yeomans made a short pitch for his business: He runs a machine shop, and he can produce any custom parts in metal, plastic or wood for airplanes and hopes to get some business from our members. Tel. 281-7510, Cell. 238-6222. He lives in Edgewood at Sandia Airpark. Call him for all your needs. The price is right too! And finally to our Guest-Speaker Don Jackson: He used to work as an A&P/IA gainfully employed by the National Guard and worked on any flying equipment used by the Guard, Airframes and Powerplants. He loves his work and has a great time doing it. He is going to give classes for A&P related stuff. Since he has problems with his knees, he prefers to instruct (and let someone else bend down). The lessons will begin at his hangar/school at Coronado on Saturday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>. The classes will be limited to 10 students. The classes will include airframe, powerplant and electrical work, as well as metal-, wood-, fabric- and composite work. He will notify Konrad, who will then post more detailed info on the classes via email. Our guests in May were Dion Lear, Howard Bunte, Mike Huckins, Don Jackson, Steve Rober, John & Pierrette Dougherty and Jeffrey Stenson. That's all for today. The Meeting promptly adjourned at 9:08pm.

Sincerely,  
Marcel A. Roetheli (Secretary)

**Cessna Cardinal for sale:** By John Spears

John Spears has decided to sell his 1/5 share in N2246Y. It's a blue 1968 Cessna Cardinal with about 1010 hrs SMOH. VFR equipped. Recent AOPA online evaluation above \$41,000. His 1/5share is available for \$8,000 / See at Coronado Airport, next to hanger F (below the Taxiway) Contact: **John Spears** at **891-9810** or **[jpears4512@aol.com](mailto:jpears4512@aol.com)**

**FREE Email Account:** by Tom Wieser

FYI: Members of the Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association (AOPA) can have a free email accounts: The e-mail address at aopa.net is free to aopa members only. If you go to their web site [aopa.org](http://aopa.org), in the members area click on "[aopa.net e-mail](#)" and it will give you all the info. (You will still need a PC & a Modem)

Submitted by our new member [Tom Wieser](#)

**Parts anyone:** By Jerry Cleaver

This is a letter from the June issue of the Cherokee Pilots Association magazine. I have been involved in rebuilding a Piper Warrior and have met a man who owns a salvage yard and is trying to get out of the business. If you need parts NOW is the time. [Desert Air Salvage](#), 4148 W. Main St, Artesia, NM 88210-9532, Ph 1-800-537-7494, 505-748-2107. The owner is Al Diedrich. If he doesn't have it, he will find it. He is a wonderful man.

Jerry Cleaver

**A Copy Request:** By Konrad

Dear members, I received the following request via email from Harry Davidson a few days ago. Please help him out if you are able to do so. He would really appreciate it. Here it comes:

"I wish to review old copies of "SPORT AVIATION" to copy the art works on the back cover. I plan to present the copies to the CAP, Kirtland Aero Club, Kirtland AFB Historian's office, the UNM NROTC, and the FAA Tower as appropriate. The copies art to be used as decour in their facility. If the magazine also has photos of A/C that are part of Albuquerque's history, I want to copy these to include in the C.of W.'s history file. Please contact me via E-mail at: [dhjdavidson@aol.com](mailto:dhjdavidson@aol.com) or by phone at: [256-7212](tel:256-7212),

Thanks. Harry M. Davidson (Cavalcade of Wings)

**ROCKY MOUNTAIN EAA REGIONAL FLY-IN** via email

The RMRFI Committee extends an invitation to all EAA Members to attend this year's Rocky Mountain EAA Regional Fly-In.

**DATES: June 23rd & June 24th, 2001.** Everyone is welcome to show up on Friday for a little informal 'pre-fly-in fun'. (Translation: We can always use a couple of extra hands for setup.)

**LOCATION: Vance Brand Airport (2V2), Longmont, Colorado.** The 23rd annual RMRFI is shaping up to be one of the best ever. Below is a sampling of the seminars and workshops that have been scheduled for this year's event. (*Ed. note: I didn't have enough space for the full listing here, check their website or call me*)

For more information check out RMRFI's website at: <http://www.greelevynet.com/eaaregional>

Or send an e-mail to [electra@rminet](mailto:electra@rminet) or call 303-442-5002.

See you all at the 23rd Annual RMRFI!

***Should we establish a Chapter-179 Website? What is everyone's opinion?***

**AV-Things available around ABO:**

\* A PTTTS is for sale! Will start to negotiate around 48 (K)! Contact Julie Smith at: [sufjaa@worldnet.att.net](mailto:sufjaa@worldnet.att.net)

\* The worlds finest Banner-Towing-Equipment by GASSER, "compl. turnkey", offered at a low \$2000.--! Need a fine CESSNA-170A (incl. STOL - Kit)? Could be had for around \$29,500.--! Also have a PROP for a 250 Comanche available! Contact J. & P. Dougherty at: [jpdoug7678@flash.net](mailto:jpdoug7678@flash.net)

\* Biplane Project for sale: Hatz CB 1 project \$5,800.-- o.b.o.! Contact Jerry Cleaver at: [gcleaver@aol.com](mailto:gcleaver@aol.com)

\* Metal Stuff for sale (probably AN-Standard) Contact Tom Yeomans at: [yeomans@sprintmail.com](mailto:yeomans@sprintmail.com)

\* 1968 Cessna Cardinal (oleBlue) N-2246Y, About 1010 hrs SMOH, VFR equipped, 1/5 share \$8,000. See at Coronado Airport, next to hanger F! Contact John Spears at: [jpears4512@aol.com](mailto:jpears4512@aol.com)

\* I am willing to trade/barter some of my Real Estate Brokerage Services to anyone in need, in exchange of anything of interest (of interest to me!), that is somehow Aviation related. Call me to find out! Thx, Konrad

**Our next Meeting at Coronado:  
June 19th, @ 7:30 pm**



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