EAA CHAPTER 534

Newsletter

Aug-Sep 2015

Aug Meeting

Steve Barber presentation on flying the U-2: By Steve Tilford

Steve did an interesting and humorous presentation on his flying career starting with becoming a sailplane pilot at the Air Force Academy, teaching in T-37's, a long stint flying U-2's, the C-5 and finally as an American Airlines Captain. Very enjoyable.







Coming Meetings:

- **Sept 26**th Members breakfast & Fly-In. (read more info next column).
- Nov 8th. Tom Bowden Fly-In WEBSITE LINK
- Nov 14th. Young Eagles
- Nov 21st. Breakfast meeting + Fly-In or Wings presentation TBD.
- **Dec 5.** Chapter Christmas Party. Hosted by Paul and Barbara Adrien. Details soon.
- Dec 12th. Young Eagles
- Dec 24th. Annual last flight of year fly-out, possibly Lakeland.
- Jan 9th 2016. Mooney Lunch by EAA 534.
- Jan 9th 2016. Lake seaplane lunch. (one of these dates will change.)

Sept 26th Meeting: Sal Bart, an Army aviator with very diverse flying history. From Korea as a B-26 bomber pilot, M.A.S.H. Flight Instructor, Chief Pilot for Howard Hughes Enterprises, FAA Examiner for 3 types of helicopters, flew as Instructor/Pilot for E.P.A. and Forest Service night Fire Rescue, first to establish Helio landing pads in Las Vegas and Nevada, Gov't flight Instructor, Area 51 developing bunker busting bombs, ending his career in the Pentagon as Chief Flight Safety Officer. R.C. enthusiast with 30 aircraft and drones.



Lou Larsen update: Lou is still recovering, he is at the Edgewater complex – south of 441 on Donnelly St. 2nd right stop from gate. Lou is room 107, call ahead if you want to visit (352-383-0051)

The hangar monkeys are still progressing on Lou's Pietenpol.



Mark Banus, Bill Starkey, and Charilie Schnitzlein working on the cooling system.



Robert Vaughn working on the wing brace struts.



Stacey Murdock and Paul Adrien installing the water temp gauge

Request brought to the Chapter

by Grace and John Weber:

Tavares Middle School (TMS) has been the recipient of a Gates Foundation grant. In order to make the most of the grant and get all students connected and operational in a digital setting safely within bounds of the classroom, Grace and John are seeking donations of Wi-Fi enabled smartphones, tablets or other devices so that in each classroom each group of students at TMS can connect as a to interact on homework class assignments, calendars, quizzes and many other issues using a software tool called "Edmodo". Description of this software is too large for this document please http://www.educatorstechnology.com/ 2013/06/a-handy-guide-to-everythingteachers.html for a more detailed explanation of what it is and how it works. The Weber's are asking for charitable donations of these inexpensive or surplus devices to EAA Chapter 534. They can be new or used and will be given to TMS to make sure every student has use of a connected device when in their classroom. They are not gaming or internet surfing but used for information to and from students concerning their classwork. They will not be taken home or assigned to any particular student as their own. Chapter 534 is a 501(c)3 tax exempt entity and a receipt for the value of your donation will be issued by the Chapter if requested. Please provide your name, mailing address and value of your donation as you would for any organization. charitable Arnold Holmes started off by donation of \$171 owed to him by the Chapter for some work done at the EAA hanger. Thanks Arnold for your support.



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Computer tablets donated to Tavares Middle School

TAVARES — A local business and a community group have responded to the need for more computer access in schools by donating RCA 7 Voyager computer tablets this month for student use at Tavares Middle School.

The first donation of tablets came from the Lake Veterinary Clinic, courtesy of Dr. Felix Pryor and Patti Mosteller.

The second donation was made through the efforts of Jon Weber and the Experimental Aircraft Association,

Chapter 534, in Leesburg, after a Tavares Middle School teacher mentioned the need to her husband, who is a member of the association.



Tavares Middle School Principal Trella Mott with members of the Experimental Aircraft Association, chapter 534. The group donated several computer tablets for student use

"She told him how great it would be if every student had a simple device," said Principal Trella Mott. "The next thing I know, computers start showing up!"

So far, 28 tablets have been received and 20 more are on order and coming soon.

As we seek to expand the use of technology in our schools to help our students become College and Career Ready, we greatly appreciate community support through donations such as these. In fact, Lake County Schools has launched a C2 Ready Technology Campaign specifically for this purpose. <u>Click here</u> to learn more or to make a contribution.

Lake County Schools is the 18th largest public school district in the state of Florida, serving about 42,000 students across 48 learning sites. Our mission is to provide every student with individual opportunities to excel. For more information, visit www.lake.k12,fl.us. Follow us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/LakeSchools



Hi All,

I wanted to say thank you very much to the members of the chapter. We delivered 28 tablets to Miss Mott (principal of Tavares Middle School) today. I know of 16 more tablets on order and know of more funds coming in. I have been overwhelmed by the generosity of the chapter! I was originally hoping for maybe 10 tablets and think that we will be close to 50. Thanks again everybody.

John

YOUNG EAGLES

SAT SEPT 19TH, 2015

Thanks to all who volunteered, the following pictures speak a thousand words.









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