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2006 CALENDAR

June 18, 2006	Mishawaka Pilots Club Fly In Breakfast
June 23,24.25,2006	SAA Fly In – Urbana, Illinois
June 25, 2006	Niles EAA Chapter Fly In Breakfast
June 29, 2006	EAA Meeting – Chapter House – 7:00 PM – “Hot Dog & Ice Cream Night”
July 1, 2006	Goshen Air Show and Fireworks – Goshen Airport
July 8, 2006	Work Shop – Lycoming Engine – with Lowell Farrand
July 14, 15, & 16,2006	Oshkosh Work Week end
July 24-30, 2006	AirVenture – Oshkosh WI.
August 5, 2006	RC show – Elkhart Airport – Lunch by Chapter 132
August 20, 2006	Duck’s Picnic
August 27, 2006	L. Turners Picnic –
September 14, 2006	Board Meeting – Chapter House – 7:00 PM
September 16, 2006	Nappanee Apple Fest. – Nappanee Airport – Breakfast by Chapter 132
September 28, 2006	EAA Meeting – Chapter House – 7:00 PM
October 12, 2006	Board Meeting – Chapter House – 7:00 PM
October 26, 2006	EAA Meeting – Chapter House – 7:00 PM
November 9, 2006	Board Meeting – Chapter House – 7:00 PM
December 2, 2006	Christmas Party

If you have any other dates for the calendar, I will be glad to print them

Saturday’s – “Chef Tom” has the griddle going for Pancakes on Saturday morning from 7:30 to 9:00. He will even add an egg if you would like. Come try them out.

Thursday’s – You will usually find some one at the Chapter House or Sam’s Hanger working on the airplanes – Check it out!

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**SAA FLY IN
JUNE 23, 24, & 25
URBANA, ILLINOIS**

Don't forget the Fly In at Urbana, IL on June 23, 24, & 25. It is a small and enjoyable fly in. There is also camping there for anyone wanting to take a camper.

**"HOT DOG & ICE CREAM PARTY"
JUNE 29, 2006 at 6:00 PM**

Our regular meeting will be a party night on June 29th. We have our beautiful landscaped yard around the club house we want to show it off. COME and have supper with us. Bring a Salad or a side dish, the hot dogs, buns, and ice cream will be furnished. PLEASE wear your EAA Blue shirt for a group picture for our web site. Bring your lawn chair to sit and chat for an evening. "See you on the 29th".
P.S. If you have a ice cream maker Please let Sam know if we can use it – the plan is to make home made ice cream for dessert.

**GOSHEN AIR SHOW and FIREWORKS
JULY 1, 2006**

There will be an airshow at Goshen and Fireworks in the evening. They have a large line up for the show which includes the F-15 ACC Demo team, the F-18 Navy Demo team, the Texan II Demo, Gene Soucy Wing Walk, and Klein Tool Extra. Also the Yankee B-17 will be there and will selling rides. If anyone is interested in a ride you may call Scott Duck at 269 699-7725 for more information.

**WORK SATURDAY
JULY 8, 2006**

On Saturday, July 8th, Lowell will be demonstrating on the tear down of a Lycoming Engine. Breakfast will be at 7:30 to 9:00 at the club house, and then the demonstration will be down at Sam's hanger.

**OSKOSH WORK WEEK END
JULY 14, 15, AND 16**

"Are you going up to the work party??" It is some work and also a lot of fun. Usually on Saturday nite you get to tour the Museum.
Sam needs to know as soon as possible, who is going up for the week end so we can arrange for transportation and reservations. The "Duck Mobile" is going up on Friday but is staying until the end of the convention.

AIRVENTURE CAMPING

Jerry Hostetler is taking care of the camping and laying out the area. If you plan on camping in the Woods with Chapter 132 please let Jerry know. He will also need \$252.00 to reserve your spot. Jerry will be leaving to go there on Friday July 14th, so let him know before that Friday.
CHANGE: This year we will have the Chapter dinner on Wednesday Nite, July 26th!! Everyone is invited for Steak and Corn. If you can bring a dish to pass, please do. There will be a charge for the meal, depending on the cost of the steaks. Come around to our Campsite before Wednesday and sign up if you will be attending the supper.

" A BIG THANKS"

Bob Edgin wants to Thank everyone who helped with the Young Eagles Day! 46 Young Eagles were flown, we had 10 pilots, and lots of ground crew. The day went very smoothly, even the weather cooperated.
At Noon we had the dedication of the "Steve Linton Memorial Sod Runway". If you haven't been by the club house to see the monument that Joe Linton engraved for his Father – do stop. It is beautiful, and looks really good with "Bill's" landscaping. Our club house has a "new look", come see.

EAA Chapter 132 Board Meeting, 6/8/06

The board meeting was opened by Pres. Sam Pavel.

The next chapter meeting will be held June 29th at the chapter house. Sam says come and enjoy the mystery program. Come early for hot dogs and home made ice cream. Please wear your chapter shirt for a group photo. Planning for the upcoming trips to Oshkosh will be on the meeting agenda. On Saturday July 8th Lowell Farrand will conduct a Lycoming engine workshop. Lowell will tear down and inspect an engine and will also answer engine related questions. Pancakes at the chapter house at 8:00 Lowell's engine program at 9:00. Mark your calendars for the Duck picnic

on August 20th. More picnic information in the Vortex. Saturday August 5th Chapter 132 will provide Breakfast and lunch for the

model airplane show at the Elkhart Airport. Last years show was huge, lets all turn out to help this year.

Forty Six Young Eagles flew on Saturday, June 3rd. A big thanks to Bob Edgin and all the pilots and ground crew that helped make the day a success.

More than thirty people attended the Steve Linton Memorial Sod Runway dedication at the Elkhart Airport. After remarks by Sam Pavel and prayer by Ernie Culp, Ted Woodill and Don Duck flew the Linton Family from the sod runway. After the dedication lunch was served in the chapter house.

The chapter board meeting was adjourned for a nourishing trip to Culvers.

Tom Fields, Secretary

CHAPTER / MEMBER PROJECTS

Wrote by Jim Butler

Don's Piper Cub;

Covering the ailerons is next.

It's been a busy spring but with Lowell's help, we should be able to get these done quickly.

Tarek's RV-6;

The fuselage is getting skinned.

It's starting to look like an upside down metal boat.

Aloha Bob's Sonex;

His wings are pretty much finished.

Ask him how long it takes to install push rods.

Next will be the fuselage.

Mike's Sonex;

The ribs are almost all installed on one of the spars.

Progress is being made.

Phil's RV-7A;

Some very nice wing tip lights / lenses are being installed.

Painstaking work, but will look very sharp when finished.

Steve's RV-4;

Nothing has happened with this project.

With all the other projects being worked on in Sam's hanger, there is not much interest in attacking this one. If there is anyone who is interested in taking on this project, let us know.

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MEETINGS

Board Meetings: 2nd Thursday of each month
7:00 at the Chaperhouse

Building Meetings: Wednesday and Thursday s
7:00 at the Chapterhouse

Regular Meetings: Last Thursday of the month
7:00 at the Chapter house or
Other planned events

No regular meetings in November or December.

GUESTS AND NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME

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**"HAVE A SAFE
HAPPY 4TH OF JULY"**