



*Next Meeting is Thursday August 17, 2006 *
Splash-in at Whitmore Lake
See details inside this issue!

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CHAPTER 113

"The Backyard Eagles"

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Mettetal Airport (1D2), Canton, Michigan



The Ford Trimotor!

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Mission Statements Chapter

"EAA Chapter 113's major focus is on the relationships with people who have diverse aviation interests, centered around their love of flight, fellowship, learning and fun. Chapter members have a passion for flying and are willing to share it with others. Chapter 113 provides the opportunity for exchange of information as well as the interaction that leads to friendships that last a lifetime."

Board

"The Board of Directors are to provide both advice and assistance to the chapter officers on an ongoing basis."

President's Podium



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Summer is going by swiftly and the chapter still has a busy schedule ahead. This month instead of the regular meeting we are having a *Picnic/Splash-in* at Whitmore Lake. McKenzie's Landing is hosting a *Fly-in/Drive-in Corn Roast* on the following Saturday. Be sure to attend both for some great food, good friends, and lots of hangar flying.

The Backyard Eagles will be the host chapter for the *EAA Tri-Motor Tour* on Labor Day weekend, Friday, Sept 1st to Monday, Sept 4th at Oakland Pontiac Airport. This aviation event provides us the opportunity to raise funds for the chapter, and work with a fabulous old airplane (perhaps even a few free rides).

We need volunteers to help load and unload passengers for the four days the plane will be here. There will be two shifts each day, one from 8:30 AM to 1:30 PM, and a second shift from 1:00 PM to 6:00 PM. At least four volunteers need to be on hand for each shift. If you know anyone who loves aviation bring him or her along to lend a hand.

We also need support in the weeks before to distribute posters and contact the media. Can you pass out some posters; post a notice on your employer's bulletin board or

intranet; contact a local paper or TV station? Printed and video materials are available; they only need to get out before the public. Please give me a call to get your name on the volunteer list (734-223-2675).

The *Fly-in/Drive-in Texas Hold'em Tournament* is scheduled for Sept 23rd in the EAA 113 Aviation Center. This is also a fundraiser for the chapter. Can you deal cards, sell soft drinks, or help with parking? Have you ever wanted to be a pit boss? This may be your only chance. Call me at the above number to assist, and make sure to bring your eyeshades and sleeve garters.

The Backyard Eagles are one of the best chapters around because of the participation of the members. Be an active member and come out and join the fun.

Dave Buck



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Calendar of Events

Saturday Morning Breakfast

Every Saturday 8:30am at the Coney Island on Lilley Rd. across the street from Mettetal airport.

EAA Chapter 113 Spash-in & Picnic

Aug. 17, 2006, 6:00 pm Details in this issue of *Eagles Propwash*
Contact Randy Hebron (734) 326-7659

McKenzie's Cornroast

Aug. 19, 2006, 1:30 pm Details in this issue of *Eagles Propwash*
Contact Dave McKenzie (517) 545-8888

EAA Mid-Eastern Regional Fly-In

August 25-27, 2006, Marion Municipal Airport (MNN), Marion OH. Friday night starts off with an evening airshow and concert. The Sat.& Sun. airshows feature: Patty Wagstaff (Extra 300S), John Mohr (Stearman PT-17), Manfred Radius (sailplane aerobatics), Jim Maroney (DeHavilland Super Chipmunk), Kyle Franklin & Matt Younkin, Aeroshell Aerobatic Team (North American T-6's). Admission is \$5 per day for Sat & Sun. Children under 10 are free.

Michigan Air Tour

SEPTEMBER, 7-10
Sault Ste. Marie
2006 Michigan Air Tour, the
"Upper Peninsula
Wilderness Tour," will
highlight the U.P.

The tour begins with a Thursday evening Soo locks sunset dinner cruise and concludes on Sunday with a pasty lunch at Sawyer International Airport.
Contact Air Tour Director, John Lewis at
906-482-7335 or jhlewis@up.net.

The Fly-in/Drive-in Texas Hold'em Tournament
September 23, 2006 at the EAA 113 Aviation Center

The EAA Tri-Motor Tour

Labor Day weekend, **Friday, Sept 1st to Monday, Sept 4th**
at Oakland Pontiac Airport (PTK).

Contact Dave Buck (734) 453-5375

EAA 113 Annual Picnic / Splash-in

Instead of a regular meeting on August 17, 2006, Chapter 113's annual picnic will be Hosted by John Maurer & Susan Christensen Maurer at their Whitmore Lake home at 11609 North Shore Road, Whitmore Lake, MI. Plan to arrive 5-5:30 pm with the eating to commence between 6-6:30 pm. Bring your families! Activities include swimming (bring your own suits and towels - no skinny dipping, please), paddle boating, canoeing, rafting, and seaplane rides - weather permitting.

The Chapter will provide hot dogs, buns, condiments, plastic eating utensils and paper plates. (Ample grill space will be available if you prefer to bring your own pound of flesh.) Please bring your own chairs, beverage of choice, and a salad or dessert to pass.

Driving instructions and map are as follows:

Northbound US 23, take exit #53 - Eight Mile Road
Turn Right on Eight Mile - go less than 0.1 mile (more like a jog in the road)
Left on Main Street - go 0.6 mile
Take the first 90° Right onto Todds Lane - go 0.2 mile to the white mailboxes and guard rail; then turn left on North Shore Road - in 50 feet, turn Right into driveway - go 150 feet down the hill, it's the brownish/yellow brick house is on the Right.

*Please note: Follow written directions from Todds Lane, as the star shown on the map is not quite accurate in placement. The map is meant to be used as a visual aide to get you to the general vicinity. If you get lost, call Randy Hebron at cell phone #734-716-3945

Splash-in at Whitmore Lake



11609 North Shore Road, Whitmore Lake, MI

EAA 113 – YAHOO! To access our YAHOO Group Site, go to <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/EAA113/> New users click “SIGN UP.” Already a member of a YAHOO Group? Click “JOIN THIS GROUP” You’ll have to sign in every time to access all the features. Contact John Maxfield for further information.

McKenzie's Corn Roast

In cooperation with EAA Chapters 384 and IAC 88, Dave and Nancy McKenzie will be hosting their Annual Corn Roast, which will be held at their airfield "McKenzie's Landing" at 152 Gulley Rd., Howell, Michigan. This event will take place on **Saturday August 19th, 2006**. Festivities will start at **1:00pm**. Dave notes you are welcomed to arrive at 12:00 noon to help set up. As Dave would say, "No AI-Key-hol". Please bring a comfortable chair and a dish to pass. Dave also recommends you bring your own liquid refreshments such as pop for the ice bucket. Please park on the north side of the driveway or on the road. No motor vehicles on the runway! Call Dave McKenzie at 517-545-8888 should you have any questions. If you're flying in, the coordinates are N42 36.120 W83 51.490 and the field elevation is 955' MSL. The airport identifier is 1MI5. Use a south traffic pattern: left traffic for Runway 27 and right traffic for Runway 09. No flying during the peanut drop.

1. Take **I-96**
2. Take exit #141 toward **HOWELL** - go **0.2** mi
3. Turn **L** on **E GRAND RIVER AVE** - go **1.0** mi
4. Turn **R** on **S LATSON RD** - go **1.0** mi
5. Turn **R** on **GOLF CLUB RD** - go **0.5** mi
6. Turn **L** on **GULLEY RD** - go **0.1** mi
7. Arrive at **152 GULLEY RD, HOWELL**, on the **R**

McKenzie's Corn Roast



152 Gulley Rd., Howell, MI

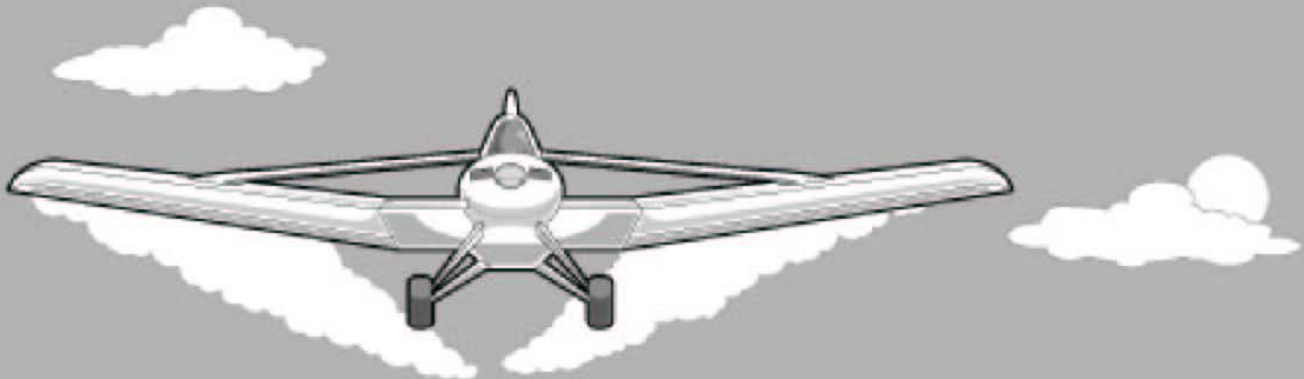
Annual Corn Roast at McKenzie's Landing

1MI5

152 Gulley Road - Howell

517-545-8888

Located: 42°36'12" North Latitude • 83°51'49" West Longitude



Saturday, August 19th

Start/Arrival: 1:00pm

Eat: 3:00pm

Peanut Drop: 4:30

Provided: Corn, Chicken, Burgers & Dogs
Bring: A dish to share, non-alcoholic beverages for the tub,
and a chair to sit on.

50/50 Raffle!

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