



**Next Meeting: Thursday, October 16, 2008
7:30 PM at the EAA 113 Aviation Center**

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CHAPTER 113

"The Backyard Eagles"

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Mettetal Airport (1D2), Canton, Michigan



EAA 384 Aeronca Champ 7AC Project

Our Web Site: www.eaa113.org

Meetings: 7:30 p.m. the 3rd Thursday of each month at the

EAA113 AVIATION EDUCATION CENTER!

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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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October 2008 Newsletter Article

Have you seen the new bench around the flagpole at the EAA 113 Aviation Center? It looks great! Thanks to Pete Waters for building it, and to Lou Lambert for providing the base. Additional thanks to all who helped lift it over the flagpole.

The Chapter is having a number of *Young Eagles* events coming up, along with a *Dinner Theatre Night*, and a *Chili Fly-in*. We need your help to make these successful. Volunteer and join the fun. Details are located in this newsletter and also on our website. www.eaa113.org

We need to replace several of the pedestrian doors on the hangar as the old ones are rusting out. The *Dinner Theatre Night* is planned as a fun way to help fund the doors. Help support the Backyard Eagles; bring along your family, friends, neighbors, and a generous donation for the dinner theatre.

Included with this newsletter is a calendar of chapter events. As with all events they are subject to change. The master calendar is located on the *yahoo site* and is kept updated. Be sure to double-check that calendar for changes or additions. If you want to add or change a calendar event please send me an e-mail or call. Our website, www.eaa113.org is also kept updated with any schedule changes.

Note that the November board meeting has been changed to Thursday, November 6th at 7:00 PM to avoid schedule conflicts.

Our Speakers for the October meeting will be Pam Palmeri, and Cindy Kerr. They are returning to discuss their participation in the *Air Race Classic 2008*. Also Steve Zel will be updating us on his Michigan Private Airstrip project.

Thought for the month: "If at first you don't succeed, skydiving is probably not for you."

Dave Buck

Calendar of Events

Saturday Morning Breakfast

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

Dinner Theater Night

November 7, 2008
Spaghetti Dinner 6:00 pm
Movie 7:30 pm

Chilli-Flyin

November 22, 2008
Noon-3 pm

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 Donna Monson for further information.

PAULSON LIBRARY

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We're still moving our items around to get like things together. We've found new categories of books to catalog.

We've set up a shelf for Mark Freeland to find AIR RACING books. And there is now a shelf for Peter Waters and other aircraft modelers to read about RC & MODEL AIRCRAFT.

We have also moved all three HOMEBUILDERS & AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE shelves to 629.134

If you are working on your Private or Advanced pilot training, we have many training manuals you can borrow. Books, Tapes, and DVD. Books are in 629.132 52 -629.132 5219.

Look for the magnetic signs on the edge of shelves for Dewey numbers and SUBJECTS.

Young Eagles Events

What a busy schedule for Young Eagles this Fall! Please take a look at your calendars and reserve these dates: October 11th, October 18th, November 8th and November 22nd. We have the need for **many** volunteers. The jobs that are required to make these events happen include:

- ➔ Pilots—the more the better to ease the financial burden of only a few.
- ➔ Instructors for classes in Aerodynamics, Careers, Navigation, and Preflight (lesson plans are on file for all these areas).
- ➔ Public Relations—to provide information about our Chapter and give tours to parents while they are waiting.
- ➔ Ground Support—to assist with loading and unloading of children and also keep visitors in safe areas.
- ➔ Registration—assist with assigning young eagles to pilots (requires loud voice to get their attention!).

None of these jobs require a great deal of skill (well, with the exception of the Pilots!!!) but rather just involves just a couple hours of your time. Can you remember dreaming about airplanes where you were twelve? Please consider helping out with this worthwhile program to help with making a child's dream come true.

Please let Debbie know if you are able to help: (734) 397-3452 or youngeagles113@wowway.com. If you are interested in being a pilot, please contact Dave James (734) 721-4213, as he can better explain the requirements necessary

EAA 384 is announcing a series of skill-building workshops and work dates for the Aeronca Champ restoration project. The first four workshops are: Aircraft Hardware, Workshop Tools, Hand Propping, Riveting. Everybody is invited to attend the skill-building workshops being organized by EAA 384 at Brighton Airport. These 1-hour to 2-hour workshops are intended to increase your skills, knowledge and interest in aircraft restoration and aircraft homebuilding. The selected workshop topics are a good primer for somebody new to aircraft restoring/building and a great refresher for the rest of us. Everybody is encouraged to attend. These workshops are a natural extension to the EAA Aeronca Champ restoration project currently in progress at Brighton Airport. Bring a friend, fellow aviator, or youngster.

All workshops locations are in Todd Trainor's hangar on the south west side of the airport, except for the Hand-Propping workshop which will be at the 45G house.

Aircraft Skill Workshops

28-Sep-2008 1:00 pm (Sun)- Aircraft Hardware
12-Oct-2008 1:00 pm (Sun)- Aircraft Workshop Tools
18-Oct-2008 10:00 am (Sat) - Hand propping and airplane.
01-Nov-2008 10:00 am (Sat) - Aircraft Riveting

Additionally, you are welcome to drop in during any EAA Aeronca Champ restoration work days. Typically 8 to 15 people show up each time. Even if you cannot attend, you are welcome to follow our progress at www.aeronca.com/n2737e.

Aeronca Champ Work Dates

28-Sep-2008 1:00 pm (Sun)
02-Oct-2008 6:00 pm (Thurs)
07-Oct-2008 6:00 pm (Tues)
12-Oct-2008 1:00 pm (Sun)
; 17-Oct-2008 6:00 pm (Fri)
22-Oct-2008 6:00 pm (Wed)
27-Oct-2008 6:00 pm (Mon)
01-Nov-2008 10:00 am (Sat)

Address-2285 Ore Creek Lane, Brighton, MI 48114
Todd Trainor, 810-599-4035, ttad@aol.com



EAA 113 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

October 2008



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
			7:00 pm Midwest RC Meeting	7:30 pm Homebuilders Project Corner		8:30 am Breakfast at Canton Concy 9:30 am EAA Board Meeting
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For the most current calendar, please check out EAA113@yahoogroups.com.



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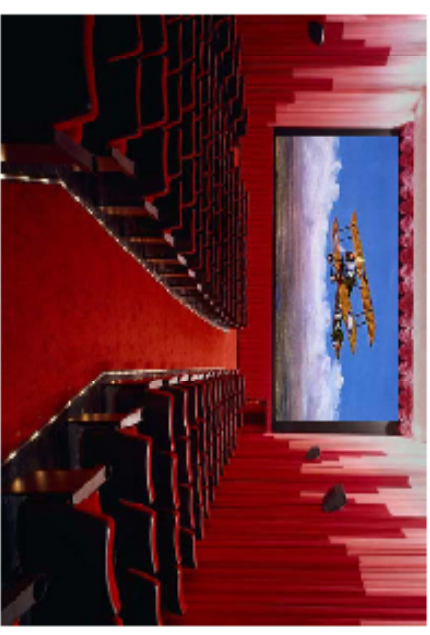


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						Newsletter Deadline

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Join EAA 113 for

Dinner Theater Night



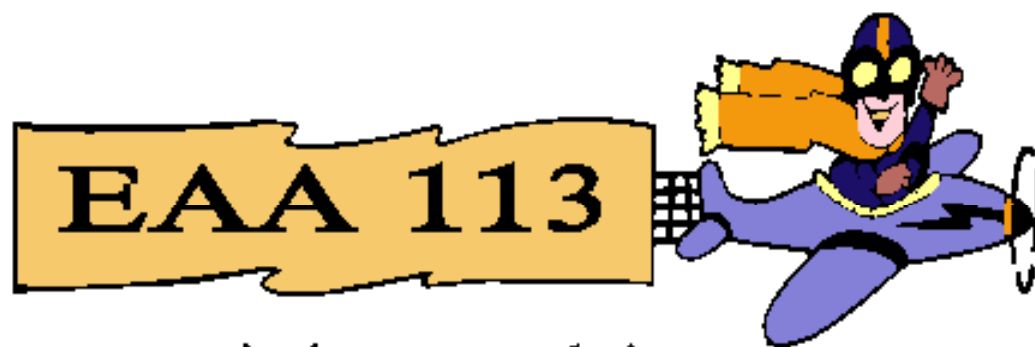
The new season of EAA Friday Night
at the Movies takes off soaring
HIGH!

Join us for a fun evening, beginning
with a Spaghetti Dinner and
concluding with the Aviation-themed
feature film, "Always".

*Spiegelberg delivers something for everyone in this PG
comedy/drama/romance movie starring Richard
Dreyfuss, Holly Hunter and John Goodman.*

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7TH, 2008
Dinner: 6:00 p.m.
Generous Donations
Movie: 7:30 p.m.

To help with planning: Please RSVP to Debbie at
(734) 397-3452 or young eagles113@wowway.com.



invites you to their:

CHILI DRIVE-IN/ FLY-IN



Saturday, November 22nd, 2008

Noon-3:00 p.m.

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Mettetal Airport (1D2)

For more information visit our website: www.eaa113.org

