



EAA CHAPTER 206 NEWS

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From The President

Wow, it seems like we met just a few days ago on a hot August night to see Steve's Lightning. What a pretty plane that is going to be! Meanwhile, fall is in the air, the Central Washington State Fair is coming, and students (and this teacher) are back in the classroom. With this time of year comes the BBQ hosted by Dick Pingrey and Randy Finger with help, I assume, from a number of others. I would like to publicly thank them for all the years of giving us a chance to enjoy a hamburger or hotdog with good aviation friends. Your event, work, and friendship are well appreciated.

My time as president of 206 is growing short. Officers need to be nominated in October or November and be elected in November to start after our Christmas party. Please give serving the club in some capacity a serious thought.

We hope to see more of you on Saturday mornings for coffee and doughnuts, especially as hangar flying replaces the real thing. Also, I will probably be calling some members for help with the pancake feed we are running on October 10th and expect to see many of you there to eat Bill White's carefully prepared pancakes!

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Upcoming Events

Moving into the fall season we still have many EAA activities to look forward to. Among these are: Pingrey/Finger BBQ on Thursday, Sept. 10 beginning at 6:00 p.m. This takes the place of our regular monthly meeting for September. Details for two Young Eagles events will be presented at the Sept. BBQ.

October 10 EAA206 will be sponsoring our fall pancake feed and fly-in at the Yakima Airpark, hanger #1. The regular club meeting will take place on October 15. Those who attended Oshkosh this year will be telling us about their experiences at AirVenture 2009

November's meeting at the Airpark will feature Scott Heppler and the progress he is making on his Aeronca Chief project.

And finally we will round out the year with our annual Christmas celebration/dinner at the Airpark on Dec. 10

(note: At one of the Oshkosh forums this year I learned of this site:

PilotWorkshops.com Check it out. It is very educational and interesting!)