



# SKYWRITER

*The Official Newsletter of EAA Dalworth Chapter 34*

*Arlington, Texas*

<http://www.eaa34.org>

July 2011

**See You There! Chapter 34 Monthly Membership Meeting – July 12, 2011**

**Presenter: Matt Doody - Hummel Bird Project**

## First Solo!

by Mark Tresnicky

After a week of waiting for the winds to slow down, I had the opportunity to complete my first solo flight. On Thursday, June 23 I arrived at KFWS – Spinks in Burleson at 6:15am to meet my CFI - Patrick Mojsak at Robert Shulko's hanger. The wind was calm and it was a perfect day to fly. I did three touch and go landings then headed to the ramp on the West side to let Patrick out. There was no traffic up till this point so I figured I had the airport all to myself. This all changed with the addition of coyotes, a helicopter and two other planes. As I started my taxi there was another plane that was ahead of me. As he was taking off, a plane was approaching for a straight in landing. Then a helicopter called in to land immediately following that. As the helicopter flew low over the runway he spotted 3 coyotes on the runway and called me on the radio to say he would chase them away since he saw I was ready to take off. He hovered just a few feet off the ground chasing coyotes for a bit. After he left, I took off and entered the pattern. I completed my three touch and go landings. The first two were probably the best landings I have ever done. The last one had a little harder touchdown, but no bounce or anything to keep me from smiling. On one hand I didn't have Patrick there to tell me "good landing" each time, on the other hand he wasn't there suggesting any corrections along the way which made me feel like everything I did was great flying. As we arrived back at the hanger, Robert was there to prepare for another flight. We cut a T-shirt back and wrote my First Solo information on it for Robert to hang on the hanger wall next to the rest he has collected. Now I am ready for some cross country planning to Cleburne, Benbrook Lake, and Waco.



**August Article Deadline:  
July 29th, 2011**

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION:  
Membership Meeting  
Location Change  
July / August 2011 Only!!!  
Details Inside**

## President's Notes



**SUMMER** Whew! It has been hot lately! I hope all of you are enjoying your summer activities in the air conditioning or in the water! We had a hot time this month on our Saturday get together as we met in the hangar of Tom Peters for a bring your own lunch with the RC group. We had a little wind that day so no flying occurred unless you count from our seats as we enjoyed some great food and some great aviation stories! We got to see some projects and we all got to see Matt Doody's Hummel bird. I for one can't wait to see that little plane take flight. I want to thank Tom for allowing us into his hangar and hosting. We had a great time!

We have a few more hot months as we move through summer and then this fall if you haven't heard we are once again hosting the B-17 tour stop for "Aluminum Overcast"! This year due to some team represented by a blue star playing some sort of game with a oddly shaped ball we are unable to host the great plane at the Arlington airport, however we are going to host it at what is home away from home for many of us, Fort Worth Spinks! We are very excited and grateful to Harrison Aviation for allowing us a place to put Aluminum Overcast as we offer folks a chance to experience this awesome plane. November 4-6 mark your calendars we need lots of volunteers and you will have fun doing it! Also if you get a chance give a pat on the back to John Taylor who has agreed to be our B-17 Tour Stop Coordinator! Thanks a ton John!

Keep a close look at the website as we plan upcoming events! Have a great summer and here is wishing you all some nice air conditioning!

Blue Skies,  
Elissa

## Upcoming Activities:

**July 16th:** Breakfast at Cracker Barrel by Spinks Airport. 9 AM. 13301 South Fwy, Burleson, TX

**July 16th: Air Salvage of Dallas SUMMER SALE**  
\*\* 8AM TO 4PM\*\*. Everything is on Sale. 10 to 50% OFF. Fly-In to the Lancaster Airport. Transportation will be provided. Also enjoy eating at the "Lancaster Runway Cafe." They will be serving breakfast and lunch!

**July 22-24th: DFW Summer Balloon Classic and AirFest.** MidWay Regional Airport. Aviation Extravaganza featuring 40 magnificent Hot Air Balloons. "Lite the Nite" balloon glow at sunset on Saturday. Airplanes, helicopters, military aircraft, skydivers, powered parachutes, RC aircraft and more in flight and display. Free admission (\$10 parking). <http://www.summerballoonclassic.com> Contact: Debby Standefer; 469-371-9218

**\*\*All CHAPTER ACTIVITIES AND DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. VERIFY EACH MONTH \*\***  
Call Elissa HUGGINS (972) 602-9692.

## Membership Notes

By Joachim Saupe, Membership Coordinator

We currently have 58 members. No change from last month.

## Classified Ads *(Free for Members)*

### Aircraft for Sale:

#### 1968 Piper Super Cub (N4368Z)



#### Note: ICOM Radio & Narco Trans/Encoder

A/C 2200 TT. 1350 SMOH. 150 STOP with New ECI cylinders. New Borer Prop, New Cleveland Brakes and Wheels, New Tires, New Bungee Chords, Lifetime struts, ICOM com radio, Narco AT150 Transponder, Blind Encoder, Most Alaska Mods, F. Atlee Dodge welded float fittings -- however has never been on floats. Annual completed October, 2008. Asking \$69,500. Call 817-721-2227 or 623-297-8678. **Flown from Fairbanks, AK to Texas in October 2007....it only took 10 days!! Flown to its present location in Glendale, AZ in March 2000**

#### Engine for Sale

I have a complete Revmaster 2100 engine for sale. It is lightly used. I bought it from a gentleman that only taxied the engine around on his project before he sold it to me. I am selling it because I have another project I am now working on. Engine has been preserved in pristine condition and includes everything you will need except a propeller. I am asking \$4200 and will assist with shipping

cost. Sam Ajayi. soajay@hotmail.com



#### Sonex for Sale



N257SX Sonex is for sale for the price of the materials of \$27,000. This plane has been inspected and has its registration. The plane has never flown as I have had three surgeries and unable to fly anymore. The plane is now at home with the wings off. If you would like to see it then give me a call at 817-283-2557. Don Owens

#### Hangar / Home for Sale

Granbury Texas Airpark Home/Hanger For Sale \$269,900 - 3509 Nassau Ct., 76049 (Nassau Bay) Great home with large hanger on Nassau Bay Airpark. Two story home with enclosed upstairs patio, two separate living areas, iron / brick fenced, covered RV parking. Hanger is 50x34 and has 2 electric automatic doors with direct access to hanger from house. Well maintained and move in ready. Website with pictures:

<http://mysite.verizon.net/resy4wnc/index.html>

Contact bob\_myrick@me.com or 214-729-2260.  
Realtor: Pam Knieper at 817-243-8345  
or pam@knieperteam.com

## Chapter Information

### Chapter 34 Purpose

In the year 2000 Chapter 34 initiated a change in tax exempt status from 501(c)(7) Recreational to 501(c)(3) Educational. The purpose was to permit donors to give large donations to the Chapter 34 and be accepted by the IRS as a donation. Also it makes the Chapter eligible for government grants.

Chapter members approved the change in the Articles of Incorporation on February 8, 2000. Secretary of State of The State of Texas approved the changes July 6, 2000. These emphasize education and are in effect today.

#### Article Three now reads:

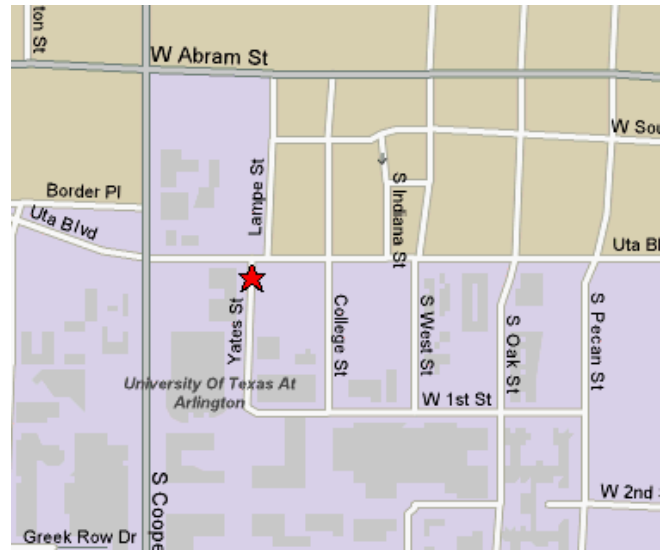
**"The purposes for which the Corporation is organized are:**

- a. To promote and encourage education and safety in operation of general aviation aircraft.**
- b. To promote and encourage positive public awareness of all aspects of general aviation.**
- c. To operate as a local chapter of the Experimental Aircraft Association.**
- d. Form together a group of people with an Experimental Aircraft Association common interest in experimental, antique and general aviation aircraft and to exchange ideas relating to flying and aircraft and all things necessary and incident thereto.**

Chapter 34 received approval of 501(c)(3) status on June 7, 2002. (EAA Chapter 34 is a Texas Corporation and the legal name is "Experimental Aircraft Association, Chapter Thirty-Four, Inc.")

### Meeting Time / Location

**Chapter 34 meetings are on the second Tuesday at of each month at 7:30 PM in Room 100 of Nedderman Hall, 416 Yates Street on the UT Arlington campus.**



### Monthly Meeting Minutes

By Matt Doody

*No Report.*

### Monthly Board Meeting Minutes

By Matt Doody.

Called to order @ 7:15 pm by President Elissa.

Old business:

By-laws revisions to satisfy National.

B17; Coordinator John, Nov. 4,5,6 @ Spinks, Help for volunteers, Password approved. Need WWII Vet. Free flight to Austin for volunteers. Weather. Young Eagles @ B17 event? Weather may be a issue at that time of year?

Vistor Michael Gray to join.

Tom Peters AC operation & installation

4th of July parade, Glynn is in hospital.

New Business:

July 16 after mtng Hanger day suggestion. Meet @ Cracker Barrel @ Spinks 9 am.

Purpose? To encourage younger membership. Market on campus @ UTA. Accomplishment after meeting on Saturday.

Newsletter should contain information on local area chapters.

Library sort.

John; Thanksgiving dinner @ Lone Star Antique Shop. Reservations?

KGPM terminal Tom says, completion sometime at the end of July.

Jay applied for manager of Cleburne airport.

“FiFi” at Meachim this Saturday June 18 B-29 CAF.

IRS 501 C3 letter, E post card.

Bearhawk “Three Sigman”.

Additions for Elissa:

Brandon – Got Dean permission to put flyers @ College of Aeronautical Engineering to invite students.

Want a solid good Aviation Presentation & Activity – flyer or food the following Sat. meeting. Can also send email out to all college fo engineering. Maybe October.

Focus more energy on activities Tom Peters will get info from Lancaster Airport manager . (something?) to get.

Adjourned @ 8:12 pm

MARK YOUR CALENDAR - **SATURDAY- July 16, 2011**  
**SUMMER SALE**



**\*\* 8AM TO 4PM \*\***



*EVERYTHING IS ON SALE!! 10 TO 50% OFF*

**FLY-IN TO THE LANCASTER AIRPORT  
TRANSPORTATION WILL BE PROVIDED**

**ALSO ENJOY EATING AT THE “LANCASTER RUNWAY CAFÉ”, they will be serving  
breakfast and lunch!**



**EAA Chapter 59 in McGregor, TX is raffling off this beautiful Wag Aero Sport Trainer Cub Replica along with 50 other great prizes. Only 1500 tickets will be sold. Tickets are \$100 each. Your chance of winning a prize is 1:30.**

#### **1st Prize:**

Air Frame 0 time  
 Engine 0200 970 hours  
 New Sensenich prop  
 Hydraulic toe brakes  
 Dual 13 gallon gas tanks  
 Electric trim  
 Javalina lazer cut instrument panel  
 Sport pilot eligible  
 Fly from the front seat

#### **2-50 Prizes:**

Custom PNR headset  
 Flexible boom mic  
 Gold Plated plugs  
 Padded headband  
 Extended Comfort ear seals

Drawing to be held on 1st Saturday Event September, 2011 at the EAA Chapter 59 Hangar

You do not need to be present to win, but you must have your ticket to claim your prize

Chapter 59 reserves the right to extend the date for the drawing if all tickets are not sold and the right to move the date should tickets be sold before the first Saturday in September, 2011

Tickets can be purchased from a Chapter member, by contacting a Board member or donating via paypal on the website <http://eaa59.org>

Anyone is eligible to win including members of Chapter 59, Waco, Tx

A non involved third party shall draw the winning tickets from randomly generated numbers assigned to each ticket

The purchase of five tickets receives a free EAA Chapter 59 tee shirt

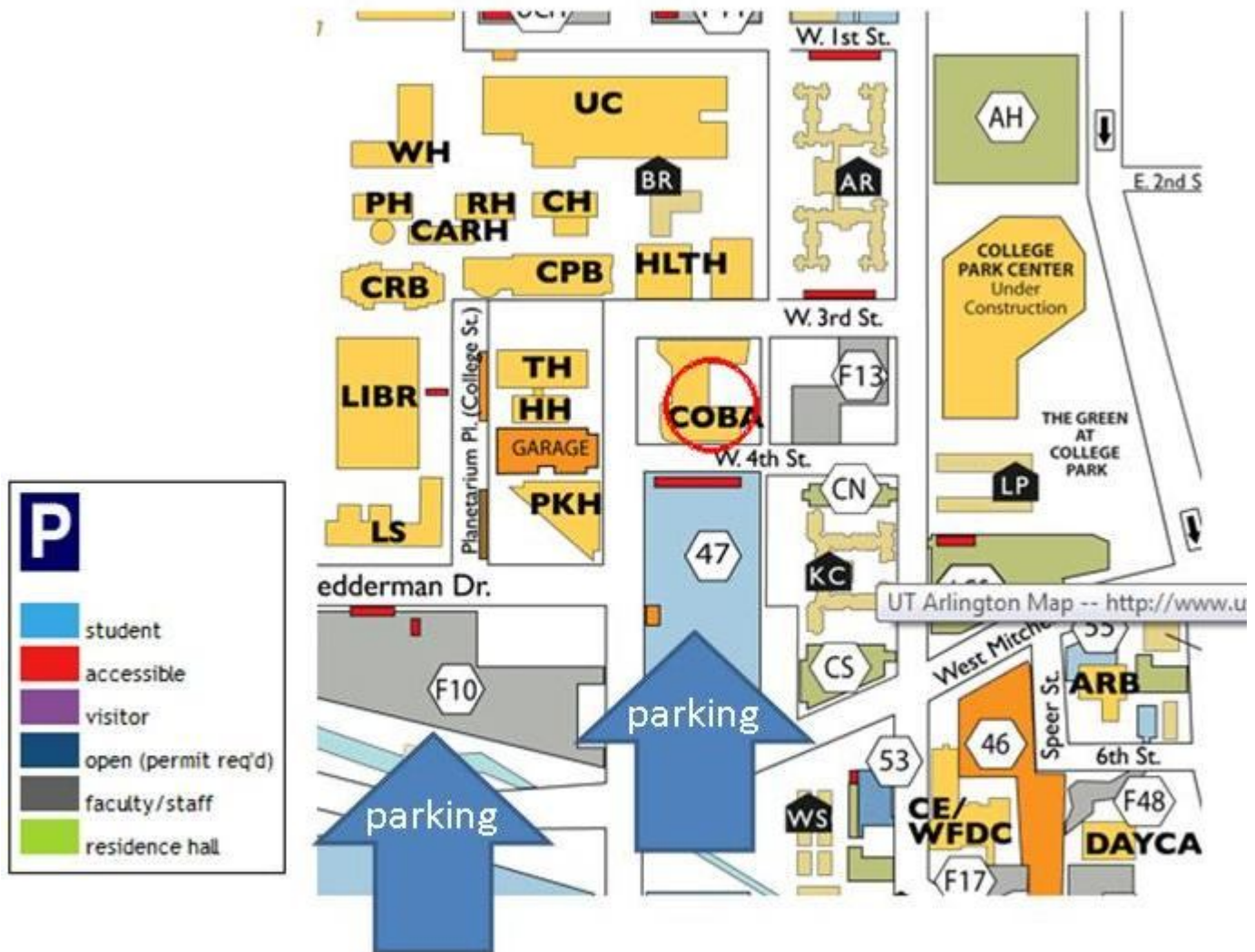
All proceeds shall be the property of EAA Chapter 59 and shall be used as determined by the Board of Directors and approved by the Chapter Membership for aviation related activities, items, or projects or any other venue deemed appropriate by the Board of Directors.

All taxes, transfers, registration fees or any other costs involved in the acceptance of any prize are the responsibility of the winner. Title must be transferred prior to the aircraft transferring hands and must be transferred and moved within 30 days of award.

# Temporary Room Change for General Meeting July & August 2011 ONLY

Building: COBA - Business Building (COBA) or (B)

701 S. West St.  
See a [Google Map](#) of this location.



The closest parking will be the lot just off of Nedderman Dr. and Cooper St.

**NOTE: For July ONLY, Room = COBA 141**  
Will still be In COBA for Aug mtg, but different room (TBD)

## Chapter Officers

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**Membership/Renewal Form**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **EAA#** \_\_\_\_\_ **Spouse** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Address** \_\_\_\_\_ **City** \_\_\_\_\_ **State** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Zip** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Email Address** \_\_\_\_\_  
**A/C owned or Projects: (make/model)** \_\_\_\_\_ **% complete** \_\_\_\_\_ **N #** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Areas of Expertise (painting, welding, avionics, etc)** \_\_\_\_\_

- ( ) *Student membership, email newsletter only.*
- ( ) *Membership renewal or new member Yearly dues - \$25.00*
- ( ) *Name Tag - \$8.00*

**Prefer newsletter via** ( ) *email* ( ) *USPS mail*

- I can help with:**
- |                                    |                                |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| ___ <i>Programs/refreshments</i>   | ___ <i>Young Eagles</i>        |
| ___ <i>Youth Air Adventure Day</i> | ___ <i>Newsletter Articles</i> |
| ___ <i>Fly-in Coordination</i>     | ___ <i>Hangar Committee</i>    |

**EAA Chapter 34 dues are payable each January.**

**A completed form must accompany all new and renewal membership applications.**

**Checks should be made payable to "EAA Chapter 34" and mailed to:**

**Joachim Saupe, 6848 Griggs St., Fort Worth, TX 76140**

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