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EXPERIMENTAL AIRCRAFT ASSOCIATION CHAPTER 429

Jefferson City Bluebirds

President's Message

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I hope this newsletter finds you happy, healthy, and DRY. We were forced to cancel the May meeting at JEF due to flooding. I know several of you were impacted by the river level, I hope things are back to normal for you now.

Tim Boos has been wanting to host a Chapter meeting for quite some time...so let's give it a shot for our June meeting. It looks like the stars are all in alignment for a Saturday morning meeting on 9 June 2007 at 1030 at Tim's hangar at Fulton. I have already put in my order for good weather, so I hope many of you will be able to fly to the meeting. We will hold a very short meeting and then have Tim talk to us about his RV that will soon be ready to fly. Thanks for inviting us Tim!!

Hope to see you at the meeting on 9 June.

Jeff

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429 Chapter Member has passed away.

I wanted to inform you that Larry Schell passed away Tuesday morning the 22nd of May.

As you probably know, Larry was a 429 charter member, and was among the most loyal members we have had over the years. Even though he was not a pilot, he appreciated general aviation and the fine aircraft with the best among us, and enjoyed hanging around the airport in the true "airport bum" spirit. He will be missed by many of us.

His body is being donated to the U of MO medical center. Poe is planning to have a memorial service in a couple of weeks, there are issues with the priest being out of the country, and Larry's brother dealing with a recent death of an in-law. I will keep you up to date on what will happen.

-jm

This was received from Merciel on the 24th of May.

May Meeting Minutes

There were no minutes for May due to the meeting being canceled.

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for the latest information on
chapter events.

REQUEST FOR HELP:

The following e-mail was received from Stan Mehroff in reference to the Air Race.

Chet,

I will need 3 people to serve as timers and 2 or 3 to park aircraft, take fuel orders, and transport pilots to race headquarters on the 19th of June. I will need 2 shifts of 3 people as timers, 2 people to park aircraft and take fuel orders, and 2 people to transport pilots on the 20th. Show time on the 20th will be 0600 and end time will be when the last aircraft lands or official sunset. Bob Lynch will be the head timer.

It would be very helpful if anyone could loan us a golf cart to use for transportation from ramp to race headquarters. Also if anyone can donate bottled water or soft drinks for the volunteers and pilots it would be appreciated. They can drop them off at my hanger or race headquarters. I will cook for the volunteers and there will be adult beverages for the volunteers after the last plane is put to bed.

I will have a list at the meeting for people to sign up on or they can call me at 690-0078 or e-mail me at N188rv@yahoo.com and use the subject Air Race Classic.

For information on the race go to www.airraceclassic.com.

There is a charity air race stopping for fuel in JEF later this summer. We will probably help with that one also.

Thanks,

Stan

Upcoming Events

9 June Chapter Meeting 10:30 pm	Fulton Airport
19 / 20 June Race Classic	Jefferson City Airport
EAA AirVenture Oshkosh www.airventure.org	Oshkosh, Wisconsin

