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## From the Pres...

Page 3 of this month's *Shorelines* marks the reinstatement of the Secretary's meeting minutes. This is a welcome addition to our newsletter, and will benefit those who could not make the previous month's meeting. Thank you, Mike, for your efforts to make this a regular feature!

On page 4 of this month's *Shorelines* is the first official release of this year's Chapter Events calendar. Young Eagle rally dates have been assigned, as well as other significant Chapter events. As always, the dates are subject to change. The calendar will be revised when that occurs, and will be re-issued to all members. It will be posted on the [EAA414.org](http://EAA414.org) website as well.

Monthly Chapter programs have not been determined beyond this month's meeting. We are looking for your input on what you would like to see and hear at our meetings. If you have ideas, let us know. Speak, text, or e-mail any one of the leadership team and tell us what you want! See contact information on page 4, and/or bring up your suggestions at the next meeting. After all, this is your Chapter.

Seems like everyone is getting into improving education of our youth. We have been flying Young Eagles for a long time. The Chapter has sponsored students to the EAA Youth Academy in Oshkosh. We recently formed an alliance with McCall Elementary school to assist in their curriculum planning by providing educational materials and guidance for using aviation related materials to bolster their science and math programs. Recently, we were approached by the NE Illinois Boy Scout Council to support the formation of a local Aviation Exploring Post.

The purpose of the post is to provide a defined program for young people interested in aviation in order to foster skills and aptitudes in careers that involve Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM). Mark Hislop, from EAA Chapter

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579 (Aurora), will be attending our next meeting to present his views and experience with the program. If you are interested in the program, or think it might have a place in our chapter, I recommend you attend this information session. If there is sufficient support for the program within our Chapter, we will consider starting a Post.

**D**iscussion continues on our first every fly-in. Our intent remains to keep it simple this first year. Kind of like your first solo. Stick to the basics and concentrate on doing it well. There is plenty of time to expand the envelope later.

We have selected a couple of tentative dates. This will allow us to focus on determining what other fly-ins we will be competing with, what prior commitments Warbird Heritage Foundation might have, and any concerns the Airport or Tower might have. At this time, we are looking at the weekend of June 14 – 15. Our initial preference is for Sunday, June 15 (Father's Day). If it looks like we are not in direct competition with another local Chapter for that weekend, we will follow up with discussions with Paul Wood, the airport, and the tower.

Our thoughts continue to be to have a "luncheon" fly in. We could "open the doors" at 10 AM, with lunch being served 11 – 2. It would be over by 3 PM. Volunteers would be needed for publicity, set-up, cooking, aircraft movements and parking, hosting our guests (tour guides), and clean-up. If you have an artistic bent, we also need design help with a "killer" poster we can distribute to local airports. There is certainly a lot of potential subject matter here. Show us your ideas!

With enough help, this should be a fun afternoon. Members are invited to bring their family out to help, as this should be fun for all ages. Contact Jim Coskey to volunteer your help (before you are drafted!).

**B**e sure to check out the EAA webinars at

<http://www.eaa.org/webinars/>

for the latest schedule. I have found these to be quite informative. In most cases, there is a Q&A period after the webinar where you can ask the presenter for more information on the presentation.

On Feb. 19, Steve Krog and Max Platts will be presenting "**Vintage Aircraft: Your Gateway to Affordable Flying**". Many of you will remember Steve's presentation on taildragger transition training in a chapter meeting 2 years ago. Also brings to mind our own Dale Sever's presentation on his approach to affordable flying.

Future webinars include Bob Mackey's "**Aircraft Insurance: Stop Wasting Your Money**" on March 4, "**Advanced iPad Flying**" on March 12, and many more webinars scheduled throughout the year. Most are held in the evening, although some are earlier in the day.

If you miss a webinar, there is also a link to previous webinars that you can watch on your schedule. These are a great EAA resource.

See you at the meeting....

*Blue Skies !*

*Jim*

## EAA Chapter 414 Meeting Minutes – January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2014

7:45 Meeting called to order by President Jim Hull. Jim opened with a New Year's greeting. We had 3 prospective members attending the meeting so they could get an idea of what our chapter is about and meet more of the members. We started off with introductions of all the members attending the meeting.

Jim proposed the idea of holding a Chapter 414 Fly-in for some time this summer. For our first chapter fly-in the membership discussed the value to chapter and the necessary logistics involved. Everyone was in agreement that the WHF was a great venue to hold the event as this would be an ideal facility and having the outstanding collection of aircraft would be a great draw for those interested in aviation. To not overwhelm ourselves for the first event it was discussed that we should keep the event simple to reduce costs and logistics we may encounter. For food a "Maxwell Street" theme was suggested and would include brats and dog and such. Membership Chairman Jim Coskey agreed to lead a team to explore the idea further.

A 50/50 raffle was announced for the members attending this evening.

8:10 Jim queued up a EAA Chapter video: Jack Pelton message, restoration of the GB-2.

8:40 Jim Coskey provided a membership update. Jim is currently reviewing the membership records to ensure we have the required information for each of our members.

8:45 Jim Coskey presented several more ideas regarding the proposed 414 fly-in.

8:50 Break for refreshments

9:10 Jim queued up videos of the Valdez, Alaska - STOL celebrations in May

9:25 Winner of the 50/50 Raffle was John Tierney – took home \$30.

9:30 Closing remarks by Jim Hull.

Financial report received from Dave Smith on 1/10/14:

BALANCES AS OF 1/9/14

Treasurer's Report:

Checking \$3,458

CD \$2,563

Cash \$50

During the 1/9 meeting the Treasurer lifted the cash drawer and discovered \$63 and was confirmed later that this was proceeds from the B17 concessions.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Fazio, Secretary

1/21/14

# EAA 414 2014 EVENT CALENDAR

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- 09 Chapter meeting
- 30 Board meeting

- 04 *Independence Day*
- 06 Wings 'N Wheels
- 10 Chapter meeting
- 28-31 AirVenture

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- 27 Board meeting

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- 28 Board meeting

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- 13 Chapter meeting
- 27 Board meeting

- 01 *Labor Day*
- 11 Chapter meeting
- 13 Waukegan Airshow, Young Eagles Rally
- 25 Board meeting

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- 10 Chapter meeting
- 18 *Good Friday*
- 20 *Easter Sunday*
- 24 Board meeting

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- 09 Chapter meeting ?
- 11 Young Eagles Rally
- 30 Board meeting
- 31 *Halloween*

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- 08 Chapter meeting
- 11 *Mother's Day*
- 17 Builder's tour - ENW
- 24 Young Eagles Rally
- 26 *Memorial Day*
- 30 Board meeting

- 11 *Veterans Day*
- 13 Chapter meeting
- 27 *Thanksgiving Day*

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- 12 Chapter meeting
- 15 *Father's Day*
- 21 Young Eagles Rally
- 30 Board meeting

- 04 Board meeting
- 13 Holiday party
- 25 *Christmas Day*

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# 414 Contacts & Information

## *Warbird Heritage Foundation*

Monthly meetings are held at the Warbird Heritage Foundation on the second Thursday of the month. Meetings start at 7:30 PM. The foundation is located on the west side to Waukegan airport. To get there, take Green Bay Road to Beach Road. Then take Beach Road east, where it turns into Corporate Drive.

Once past the gate, the meeting will be in the building on the right (closest to the taxiway). Gate opens about 15 minutes prior to meeting.

See map on the last page of this newsletter.

## Membership

**All dues are payable in January** for the calendar year. Members that join in mid-year should contact the treasurer to determine the pro-rated dues for their first year. To pay your dues, only \$24 per year, see Dave Smith at the next meeting or mail your check made out to "EAA Chapter 414" to:

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**2010 Forest Creek Lane**  
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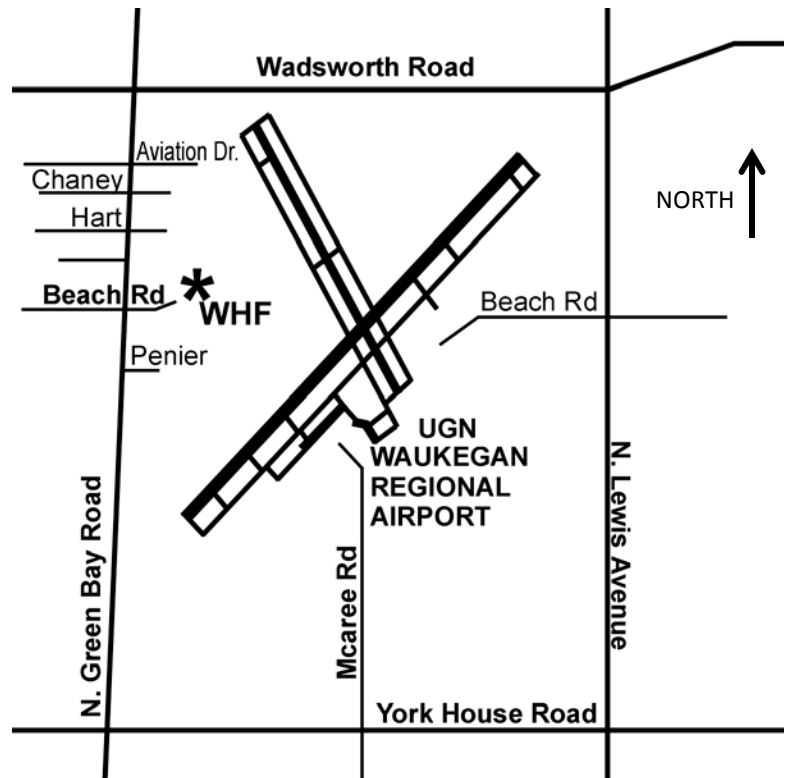
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**27** Board meeting – 7:30

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### WARBIRD HERITAGE FOUNDATION 3000 CORPORATE DRIVE

Take Green Bay Road to Beach. Follow Beach through security gate to end of road. Go to last building on the right.

Shorelines  
Jim Hull  
35110 69<sup>th</sup> Street  
Burlington, WI 53105

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**Renew your dues this month! See page 5.**