

EAA Chapter 376

General Membership Meeting Minutes February 24, 2015

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- I. 7:40 p.m. Called to order EAA376 Aviation Center 4344 W Spaatz Ave, Fresno CA 93722
- II. Guest introductions
- III. Minutes approved for January by consensus
- IV. Treasurer's Report: Total \$_, BBQ +\$_, Dep \$_, Disb \$_. Report not available.
- V. Communications and Announcements:
 - A. Young Eagles Rallies: Mar 14, Apr 11, May 9, Jun 13, Oct 10, Nov 14, 2015, Feb 13 2016.
 - B. CART Interns Update by Doug Betts
- VI. People and Project News (^m current EAA Chapter 376 member)
 - A. 2015 New Members: 2/15 Aaron Bartels^m.
 - B. Aircraft Projects: Bruce McElhoe^m Bearhawk, Brian Riffel^m Thatcher CX4, Ed Lowder^m Lancair, Phil Barnett^m RV-7, Cuco Mendoza^m RV-8a, Dean Maloni^m RV-9a, Ed Bell^m Monnett Sonerai II, David Finke^m Lancair IV-P, Jason Trupkin DragonFly, Phil Cantrell^m Thorpe, David Hedgecock^m RV10, Jorge Lizarraga Pietenpol, Steve Shaw^m Fokker Tri-Wing, Rick Duncan RV-8. Restoration: Larry Powell 1929 Fleet BiPlane, Mike Hoffrage Stearman.
- VII. Old Business:
 - A. Hangar Storage containers IPO Rick Emerian for cleaning and paint.
 - B. Hangar utilization committee, nothing to report
 - C. Other Old Business - None
- VIII. New Business:
 - A. Cub Scouts Twilight Camp June 22-26 M-F 3pm-8pm \$400, approved by board, no further action from general membership on this.
 - B. Aviation Summer Camp June 15-19 M-F 8am-12pm 6 x \$500 FUSD ends 6/11, CUSD 6/12, Ctrl 6/10. Doug Betts announced intention to ask for board approval.
 - C. Other New Business - None
- IX. Program: " Early Aviation in Fresno and Reedley Area"

Kevin Gazarian presented the story of aviation in days of old in the Fresno and Reedley area. Much of the content was credited to Bob Lock's book "Aviation History: Reedley and the Central San Joaquin Valley." Kevin Gazarian is a frequent PIC with John Pugliese and has an extensive aviation background of his own. Bob Lock became a pilot in 1956 and served as an aviation mechanics instructor at Reedley College from 1967 until his retirement in 1998. Lock is one of the few people in the nation to receive both the Charles Taylor Master Mechanics award and the Wright Brothers Master Pilot Award.
- X. Adjournment 8:55 p.m. Minutes Submitted by Doug Betts in Secretary's absence.

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