

Chapter Monthly
Meeting Second
Friday 7:30 PM.
Breakfast Fly-in
Third Sunday,
Starting in April.

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hands of the Newsletter
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month, for that month's
issue.

President's Report

As I write this, two inches of snow sit outside on my deck. I guess I should go out and sweep it off, but there's something fascinating about newly fallen snow with nary a footprint in it. Causes one to become contemplative.

This same weather frustrates as well. Can't fly, can't even think about it. Don't have the time right now anyway....(sour grapes). Even with the cold, rain and snow, the work is progressing well on the hangar and the Cub should be residing there very shortly. I wonder what the work crew will be able to find to keep busy once this hangar work is completed.

We will next gather at the Halifax Country Club for our annual Holiday Breakfast,

ber 8th, at

every effort to attend and bring your spouse. The Christmas breakfast is free to members and guests although, a do-nation to offset some of the breakfast expenses is encouraged. Address and directions are elsewhere in this newsletter.

On the theory that everyone eats too darn much during the holiday season anyway, there will be no dinner at the next meeting. Meeting will be December 13, 2002 at 7:30 PM. See you there. Gerry



President's Report see Page 1

Prop Wash see Page 2

Old Colony Flying Club

The Old Colony Flying Club meets directly after the regular Chapter 279 monthly meeting on the second Friday of each month.

Flying Club News

For Sale: Bob Wilkie informs me he is putting up his Kolb for sale. His asking price is \$8500.00. Bob can be reached at 781-878-4215.

Prop Wash

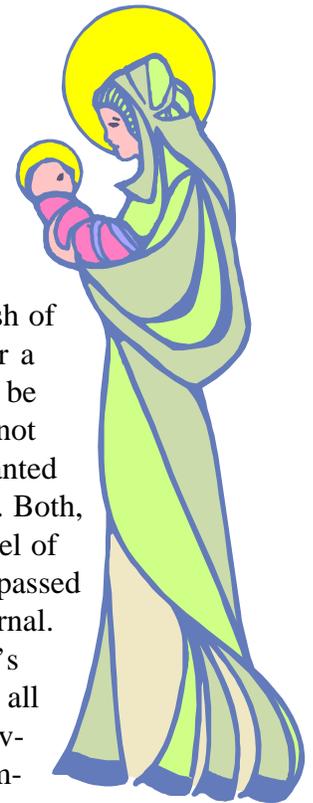
Our annual EAA Colonial Chapter 279 breakfast buffet will be served this **Sunday December 8th**, at the Halifax Country Club;

Directions to the Halifax Country Club: From Weymouth take Rt 58 to where it intersects with Rt 106 in Halifax. Turn right, drive 2/10ths of a mile, turn left at the country club marker seen shortly after the Mutual Federal Bank. From Plymouth take Rt 58 to where it intersects with Rt 106 in Halifax. Turn left, follow as above. Proceed after parking to the main front dining room entrance. A breakfast buffet will be served from 9:00am to 12:00pm.



As the editor of this Newsletter I notice I have a little empty print space left which I think I will use to pass along a thought in the way of my Christmas message to all my friends at Cranland and Chapter 279. It seems it is so easy to get caught up in the rush of merchandise purchases so as not to forget a gift for a loved one. It is right and true to give. A gift can be thought of in a spirit of renewal, given with hope, not only that it will fit or is just what your loved one wanted but, given as a ray of happiness for his or her future. Both, will begin to see each other in a new light. The model of course is the Christ child, a divine mystery yes, but passed and recorded for us to demonstrate that giving is eternal. It's a shame that others in this world have twisted it's meaning. A gift is a simple message of Love. Let us all hope and pray that the true meaning of Christmas giving in thought and deed, will last throughout the coming year and will always emerge victorious.

Happy flying and
Merry Christmas
John Duffy



Seasons Greetings to All

