



Chapter 279 Newsletter



Club Officers

President

Mike Lupo
978-902-9002

Vice President

Andy Baker
- -

Treasurer

Gerry Scampoli
508-477-0303

Secretary

Paul Paquin
617-201-1816

Technical Counselor

Tom Hassie
781-848-4899

Newsletter Editor

Greg Lutz
617-877-6029
ethergreg@gmail.com

Information must be in the hands of the Newsletter Editor by the first of the month for that month's issue.

December 2019

Volume 2019, Issue 12

www.eaa279.org

Chapter Monthly Meeting: Second Friday of the month at 7:00 PM
Breakfast Fly-in: Third Sunday April through October

Dear Friends and Members,

This will be the last time I address you all as president of EAA Chapter 279. At the last election, a new president was elected. As of January 2020, Andy Baker will be your new president. I have no doubt that under Andy's direction, the chapter will continue to grow and thrive. Andy is organized and methodical. He has most recently completed the building of a Sling. Please join me in welcoming Andy as your new president!

So this is it for me. It's been a great ride. We have had some highs and lows through my tenure, but all in all, our little chapter is thriving.

The Sonex project is in that last 20% of the work remaining. Isn't there some sort of saying about that? We have added new members along the way and folks have been involved in building and serving at our chapter fly-ins.

From the bottom of my heart, I want to thank each one of our members and friends. It's great folks like you who make this chapter tick.

Thank you!

See you around,
Mike

Calendar

Friday Dec 13 7:00 PM Cranland Airport (28M)

EAA Chapter 279 Monthly Meeting

Friday Jan 10 7:00 PM Cranland Airport (28M)

EAA Chapter 279 Monthly Meeting

Next year

EAA Chapter 279 Fly-In Breakfast

Every Wednesday evening is Sonex night. Stop by and help us put it together.

www.eaa279.org/279breakfast/breakfast.htm

Check out the Sonex project at <http://www.mykitlog.com/EAA279> .

Our google members group. <https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/ea279/join>

Note from your humble editor: The officers listed on the front page are no longer valid. I will try my best at the next meeting to gather all the information I need.

EAA 279 – Cranland Airport (28M)

Minutes of the November 8, 2019 meeting

9 members present, 3 guests

Officers present; Mike Lupo - President, Andy Baker -Vice President, Gerry Scampoli - Treasurer, Paul Paquin – Secretary

Secretary's report: Accepted as reported in the newsletter.

Treasurer's report: A favorable treasurer's report was accepted as read.

Old Business:

- Annual dues are due on January 1 st , 2020 and are \$50.
- A request was made by our Treasurer asking if anyone had a copy of our Not-For-Profit Mass State letter.
- A member requested a copy of the Hangar Policy.
- The transition meeting with the newly elected officers was scheduled for December 4th , at 1530. (As of this publishing, the meeting was canceled to be rescheduled at the next monthly meeting, December 13 th .)
- Regarding the Christmas Party, it was thought that it might be on January 12,

2020, 1200 at the Meadowbrook and cost would be \$30/person.

New Business:

- A desire was expressed that we do something to raise money. A brief discussion led to a desire to adjourn. So moved.

Following the meeting was a MOGAS meeting.

November Fly-in

Not!

Here's a shot I took off one of the Nest cameras as I was writing the newsletter.



A couple teasers while you wait for the next flying season



A different sort of gratuitous shot of your humble editor's 210. This was flying back from Dayton. You can see 9500ft and about 160mph (140kts) indicated which trues out to around 177mph (154kts). This shows a pretty good tailwind. I never saw less than 180kts over the ground and made it from I19 to 1B9 in 3:24.

