

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

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NEWSLETTER

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John Duffy

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

President's Report

I just wanted to say a few words before taking office. First, I want to thank you all for giving me this opportunity to serve you as president. I would also like to wish you a happy and prosperous New Year.

For those who don't know me. I joined the chapter two years ago and have enjoyed every minute. I am a commercial pilot with multi engine land and instrument rating. I have been flying since 1969.

My wife Gail and I have two boys. Jeffrey (30) is a member of IBEW Local 103 in Boston, and Andrew (25) after graduating from West-

field State College has moved to Colorado.

Our chapter has so much going for it. We have an active membership. We have members building aircraft in various stages and types. We have a building we call home!

I hope we can increase membership this year and I encourage all EAA Chapter 279 members to come to the January 9th meeting and listen to my ideas for 2004. We need the active involvement of all members to assure our success as an EAA chapter.

See you at the meeting. Jim

Secretary's Report

The December meeting minutes were not available for publication.

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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:

Prop Wash

Due to the amount of time as well as club expense incurred by this Editor, this January Newsletter will begin a departure from the current preparation and delivery of the "hard copy". Paper printing, mailing cover sheets, stapling, postage and delivery to the post office have been taking much too much time considering the net gain disseminating Club information which can be found on our Web page.

All members by this time know that 279 meets every second Friday of the month at the Club House. There will be available several printed hard copies of that months Newsletter available for browsing at the meeting night for those members who do not log onto the club website. WWW.EAA279.ORG to get their latest club Newsletter.

Expenses incurred cover approximately \$8.00 postage per month plus paper supplies and several ink cartridges per year as well as adding 3 to 4 hours onto my time to complete each months Newsletter.

As explained above all current activities as published in the Newsletter are available at the Web site. If a hard copy is needed before Friday's monthly meeting it can be printed from the Web site by any member, for any other member, with access to a Personal Computer.

Thank you, Current Editor, John Duffy

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

For Sale: Jay Fabian of the UL Chapter 62 Club has a nice N3-PUP J3 look alike for sale. I did take a look at it recently and it looks real good. Here is Jay's write-up.

N3-PUP:

Single seat, $\frac{3}{4}$ scale Cub look alike. 35 hrs on new Hirth 40hp duel ignition, Electric Starter, single carb motor. Just installed this summer, Ivo 3-blade ground adjustable prop. Bungee gear, Hydraulic disk brakes, aluminum spars, aluminum ribs, thicker control cables, wing covers, New throttle quadrant, new tires, strut fairings, fiberglass wingtips, full instruments. Ready to Fly. Have 2 planes, one has to go! Buying new truck soon. Will include new EAA leather JKT, size large-long, (never worn) \$8,500 or BO or trade for a 16'-18' foot long landscape/equipment trailer plus cash.

Call Jay Fabian

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