

Chapter 279 Newsletter



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

Dear Friends and Members.

We finally got a stretch of good flying weather. I hope you've all been getting your fill. I

can't believe the year is half-way gone.

In June, we didn't do as well for the Father's day fly-in as we had hoped, but it wasn't a total wash either.

Hoping for a better turn out at the July fly-in.

I want to thank our Young Eagles committee for planning and organizing a successful YE flight event last June.

In total, we flew 28 kids. The following weekend, I managed to add two more YE flights while up in NH. So now the chapter has 30 credited. Thanks to the Plymouth Aero club as well as all of the pilots who participated in flying kids.

Thanks for reading and hope to see you at the July fly-in! Mike

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

The Kitlog site is now up to date. And if you have photos to share, please send them to paul.paquin@umb.edu.

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EAA 279 – Cranland Airport (28M)

Minutes of the June 14, 2019 meeting

11 members present, 1 guest

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:

• Ray Scholarship of \$10,000 for our chosen student pilot is still going well and on schedule.

- Young Eagles Rally is scheduled for June 23 rd , Sunday. 9-2pm at Plymouth Airport; rain date June 29 a Saturday. We are expecting about 50 young people. It is sponsored by EAA279 with assistance from others.
- The Sonex project has slowed down, and Greg L has updated the instrument panel.

New business:

- We had on update on the new building at Plymouth.
- Sunday is our Father's Day Fly-in, and as usual we hope for a great turnout.
- The FAA will put on a Safety Seminar on Aug 9 th at our regularly scheduled meeting; "Safety with home-built aircraft.
- From our Operation Calendar "Odd number years are election years. In an odd numbered year then June is the deadline for appointing a Nominating Committee for elections by the BODs." Therefor Greg L, John R and Charlie L volunteered to serve on this committee. Thanks guys! * The secretary promised to come back to the group with details regarding BODs.
- Paul B mentioned that there is an excellent PiperCub event happening for a week in PA.
- Greg L mentioned that he has sold his Cardinal, and purchased a Cessna 210.

Our google members group. https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/eaa279/join Check out the Sonex project at https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/eaa279/join Check out the Sonex project at https://www.mykitlog.com/EAA279.

* NOTE; Unfortunately the website is out of date, and I have not had time to update it.

Please take photos for me, and send them to me to lend a hand; paul.paquin@umb.edu.

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Calendar

Friday July 12 7:00 PM Cranland Airport (28M) Sunday July 21 7:00 PM Cranland Airport (28M) Friday August 9 7:00 PM Cranland Airport (28M) Sunday August 18 7:00 PM Cranland Airport (28M) EAA Chapter 279 Monthly Meeting EAA Chapter 279 Fly-In Breakfast EAA Chapter 279 Monthly Meeting 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

Father's Day Fly-In

It was a bit of a shame that the weather was not as bad as the forecast which appears to have kept many people away. Not a bad morning at Cranland though.





