

EAA CHAPTER 1128

Two Harbors Helgeson Airport

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We are trying something new this month. In addition to chapter members this newsletter will be sent to every hangar renter or owner at TWM. In an effort to get to know our neighbors we are inviting them all to dinner at the airport on **Thursday, June 7th, at 6:00**. The grills will be hot, the drinks will be cold and the hangar flying will be nonstop. If the weather is good the radio control guys will give us an airshow and hangars will be open for casual tours. I hope everyone reading this will come out if only for a quick bite and a chat. We'd like to meet you, we have a lot in common.

LAST MEETING

At the May meeting we went over the plan for our Oshkosh booth. Seth has rounded up donations from Superior Shores, Blackwoods and Sonju to make up an excellent weekend getaway for our raffle grand prize. Second prize will be a Garmin GPS and third prize will be a case of aviation oil. We are still looking for more volunteers to man the booth for a short shift or two. The treasurer reported \$1139.92 in chapter coffers and no banking activity this month. We talked about ordering ball caps with an embroidered chapter logo. There are many colors to choose from and Seth said he would check to see if we could get a mixed order. Mike asked the members about getting name tags for meetings and the idea flew. Bill told us he had sent notices for our July pancake fly-in to the Minnesota Flyer and the Midwest Flyer and was about to call Midwest because it hadn't yet been published there. Mike told us he had been to the funeral for Orville Dahl along with a couple hundred other good friends. He also said EAA's grass roots tour will bring Jeff Skiles to Duluth on August 28. This was a result of the three local chapters (1221 in Cloquet, 272 in Duluth and us) working together and we are all invited to the event. We also discussed the upcoming (now done) Young Eagles day for the Duluth Aviation Institute. A number of members elected to receive future newsletters on email to cut down on postage costs. After we adjourned a few of us checked out Dave Hildre's electric powered Extra 300 R/C model'

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Chapter 1221 continued their busy fly-out schedule last Saturday and the Saturday before that they showed up in force to volunteer at the Young Eagles event at Sky Harbor. Their summer meetings are the second Sunday of the month at 7:00pm and if the weather is good they start an hour early with a barbeque.

Chapter 272 was the driving force behind the recent Young Eagles success as they continue to lead the way in this important program. Next they will be hosting 16 students from Harbor City High School on May 24th and then a bunch of Boy Scouts on June 9th. Volunteers are always welcome at to help and are well paid by the smiles on the kid's faces. Chapter 272 members also spent a recent weekend in Oshkosh helping to prepare the grounds for Airventure.

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Since we will be mailing over 50 letters this month I will forgo my usual editorial and keep this message to one page. Hope to see you all on the 7th. Happy Landings!