



CHAPTER
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LUCK is defined in Webster's Dictionary as:
Good fortune, success, prosperity, advantage, etc.
Marge Butterfield sure has some or all of these !!!!!!!



April Minutes

By Marge Butterfield

There was a great turnout for the last pancake breakfast of the season on Sunday, April 28th at the Franklin County State Airport. **Donald Taylor** and **Don Nowakowski** treated us all to a gourmet breakfast of blueberry pancakes served with blueberry sauce and/or maple syrup and sausages cooked to perfection. These guys are creative!



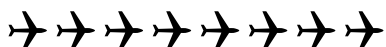
Much appreciation and thanks to **Donald Taylor** for transporting the stove to and from Shelburne, doing all the shopping for the breakfasts at Franklin County, orchestrating the set-up each time. It's the behind the scene action that usually gets overlooked and taken for granted. Thanks again Don!

The meeting was called to order by President, **Terry Griffin**, at 10:20 a.m. Following are the minutes of the meeting:

- Thanks were extended to **Donald Taylor, Don Nowakowski, Joe Gardner** and **Ellen** for setting up for the pancake breakfast.
- Thanks were also extended to **Don Nowakowski** and **Donald Taylor** for the fantastic job they did in preparing a breakfast that tantalized our taste buds.
- The pancake breakfasts will start up again in the Fall at the Shelburne Airpark.
- The Treasurer's Report was presented by **Dave Harrison**, which covered the period from March 24, 2002 through April 28, 2002. There is a current balance of \$7,475.73 in the general account and a balance of \$578.08 in the Edmando Roberti Scholarship Fund. Special thanks, as always, to **Mary Roberti** for her annual contribution of \$300.00. The present market value of the Mary J. McGrath Scholarship Fund is \$29,874.71. The Treasurer's Report was accepted as presented.
- The Secretary's Minutes were accepted as published in the March newsletter.
- **Frank Gibney** mentioned that when flying down to Sun 'n Fun at 10,500', he encountered a lot of traffic around the Albany area. Terry Griffin said this was due to the fact that the airway between Albany and LaGuardia is busy with traffic at 11,000'. Keep this in mind if you are traveling down the Hudson River at these altitudes.
- **Terry Griffin** announced that we would have to get together for some summer activities. Sugarbush, Basin Harbor, Montpelier and Rutland were mentioned. Activities Director, John Butterfield advised he would have a plan of events published in the next newsletter. Since such events are often affected by the weather, we are going to try to communicate last minute updates via e-mail. (Also, since the last meeting, we found that the Beacon Restaurant at the Rutland Airport has closed).
- Newsletter Editor, **Bill Morelli**, announced that he has 41 e-mail addresses out of 90 members. To save money, he suggested e-mailing the newsletters to members. Please let Bill know if you would like him to do this. (billvt@together.net) It would save postage and copying costs for the Chapter.
- If anyone would like to add anything to the Chapter website, please feel free to do so. It's also a great way to write about or announce any activities. You'll see the website address on the front page of each newsletter.
- The seaplane fly-in at Speculator, New York, is June 1st and 2nd.
- Young Eagles Coordinator, **Donald Taylor**, announced that there would be a Young Eagles Rally at the Franklin County Airport on Saturday, June 8th, with a rain date of June 9th. (June 8th is the official national Young Eagles Day). There will also be a

Young Eagles Rally at the Springfield, Vermont Airport on Friday, June 28th. Pilots and ground support crews are needed! See Don's article on page 4 of the newsletter.

- The Young Eagles Rally at the Dean Memorial Airport for "Airport Awareness Day" is all set for May 18th with a rain date of May 19th. The Young Eagles Rally is sponsored by EAA Chapter 740; however all rides given by our members will be applicable to Chapter 613. If there are any other pilots who wish to participate, please contact **Marge Butterfield** at 878-6336. So far, **John Butterfield, Bill Morelli, Donald Taylor and Bill Yendrzski** have signed up to give rides.
- The topic of "Shelburne Airport Day" was brought up for discussion. **Frank Gibney** advised he would head up the event. He will check with **Ray McGee** at the Shelburne Airpark to see if this can be arranged for the Fall. **Donald Taylor** brought up that we should raise the price for the suggested donation for adult rides. Everyone was in agreement on this.
- **Marge Butterfield** was the lucky winner (again... amidst a myriad of groans from fellow members!) of the 50/50 raffle, bringing home a total of \$13.50.

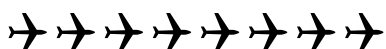


**Below is a note I received from
John Elgert**

Way to go John !!!!!

I earned my instrument rating on April 30th, Nick Santo of North Ramp Aviation was my primary Instructor. I would also like to thank Len LeClair for the time he spent as safety pilot, and of course Terry Griffen for the time he spent flying with me when the wind was 25knots+. Thanks for all the input from everyone that helped me.

John Elgert



Views and News

By Bill Morelli

May 5, 2002 was a beautiful Sunday. One of the few we have had this year so far. Carol and I decided to fly to Portsmouth, NH for the day. We landed at Pease Tradeport (PSM) just outside of Portsmouth.

Pease is an extinct Air Force Base and I was stationed there in 1965 when I worked on B-47 bombers and KC-97 tankers as an Airborne Navigation Technician. We had 100 or so bombers, many loaded with nuclear weapons and on alert 24 hours a day.

After we landed, a follow me truck was sent out to lead us to the FBO ramp. The FBO is PAN AM Services. They were excellent. We asked to have a taxi called for the trip to town but instead they offered us a courtesy van to use for the day. There was no landing or ramp charge, no charge for the use of the van and fuel was \$2.30 for 100 LL.

Portsmouth is a pleasant city to visit and a great walk around town. There are many restaurants, specialty shops, old architecture and numerous things to see.

The picture below is our Zodiac on the ramp in front of some hangars that once housed the alert bombers. The last time I stood on that ramp I was 17 years old. Very strange feeling!!!!





YOUNG EAGLES

by
Donald Taylor

To date we have the following members reporting Young Eagle Flights.

George Godin	-	2
George Coy	-	1
John Butterfield	-	1
Donald Taylor	-	1

Young Eagle rides should be picking up if we get some good weather. We have a couple of things coming up for the chapter.

1. Awareness day at Dean Memorial Airport, Haverhill, NH (5B9)
Saturday – May 18, 2002 10 AM till 3 PM
Rain Date: Sunday – May 19

Four Chapter 613 pilots are going to Haverhill.

John Butterfield Donald Taylor
Bill Yendzieski Bill Morelli

2. International Young Eagles Day – Franklin County Airport, Highgate, VT (FSO)
Saturday – June 8 9 AM till 5 PM
Rain Date: Sunday – June 9 9 AM till 5 PM

- A. Free plane rides for kids between ages 8-17. A parent or guardian must attend.
- B. A tour of the airport and airplanes
- C. There will be a barbecue at noon
- D. An Airguard helicopter will be on display
- E. A display of radio controlled model airplanes
- F. Scouts may qualify for their aviation merit badge

NEED HELP!! Don Nowakowski and I can handle the pancake breakfast but, this is bigger than the both of us. We need pilots, paperwork, parking, tour guides and safety officers.

Let me know – 868 – 3809 or
Marge Butterfield – 878 – 6337

3. Got a call from Tami Stagner from Springfield, VT (VSF). Would like us to come down again this year. She has about 70 kids.

Friday – June 28, 2002

Need pilots and people for paperwork. Please let me know if you can make it.

Call Don Taylor or Marge Butterfield
(numbers above)

4. Shelburne Day – Shelburne Airpark (25VT) Shelburne, VT
Young Eagle rides, adult rides and a barbecue.
Date to be announced later.

6th Annual DEAN MEMORIAL AIRPORT AWARENESS DAY

Saturday-May 18, 2002 10am till 3pm

Rain Date: Sunday-May 19

Dean Memorial Airport-Airport Rd., N. Haverhill, NH

- Visit the Airport, view aircraft, new hangar, etc.
- Find out about Civil Air Patrol(CAP) Upper Valley Squadron
- Chat with People involved in Aviation, some over 60 Years
- View radio control model aircraft & chat with their 'pilots'
- While you stroll around, get something to eat and drink
- Participate in Young Eagles Flight Rally

Free Airplane Rides for Youngsters

Registered youngsters 8 -17 years of age will experience the thrill and excitement of taking a FREE Introductory flight with a licensed pilot. You will receive a certificate signed by your pilot and Chuck Yeager, and your name will be entered into the "World's Largest Logbook" located at the EAA Air Museum and on the internet. There is no cost or obligation to you.

The Young Eagles program has a goal to fly 1 million youngsters by the year 2003, the 100th anniversary of the Wright Brothers first flight. More than 30,000 volunteer pilots have flown nearly 770,000 Young Eagles so far; with over 400 at Dean Memorial Airport.

Register early on 'the day' to ensure you will receive the flight
A parent or guardian **MUST** attend.

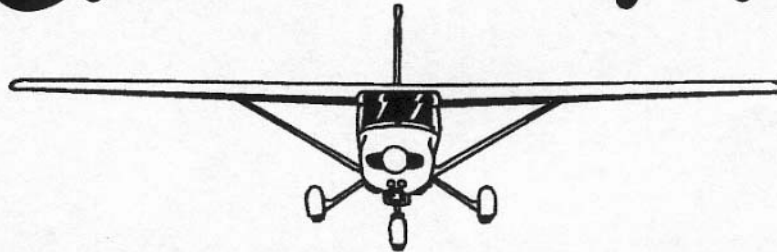
For more information call:

Joel or Annemarie Godston (603) 787-6771

Dean Memorial Airport Awareness Day is Sponsored by:
Experimental Aircraft Association (EAA)
Haverhill Airport Commission

Town of Haverhill

Kids Fly Free



International Young Eagles Day

Franklin County Airport, Highgate, VT (FSO)
(I-89 Exit 21, East on Rte. 78, 1 mile, Airport across from John Deere Dealer)

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Rain Date: Sunday – June 9th - 9 AM till 5 PM

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- A display of radio controlled model airplanes.
- Scouts may qualify for their aviation merit badge.
Merit badge counselor on staff.

Sponsored By:
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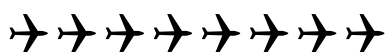
For more information contact: Donald Taylor 868-3809 or
Franklin County Airport 868-2822

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Scholarships

Below is a summary of the scholarships Chapter 613 offers. It may be too late this year for applying but if you have someone in mind, contact John Elgert to be sure at 863 6445 or kjpr@msn.com for details and eligibility.

Mary Jane McGrath Scholarship—\$1000 dollars toward a CFI Rating, i.e. Instrument, Commercial, Must have at least a Private Pilot Certificate.

Edmando A Roberti Scholarship—\$300 dollars toward the completion of you Private Pilot Certificate, most have already soloed but not completed the rating.

EAA Air Academy (Leadership Camp)—Vermont resident age of 16-18, we will pay for the camp the recipient must pay travel.

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Coming Events

May 18, 2002 10 AM till 3 PM

Rain Date: May 19

Awareness day at Dean Memorial Airport, Haverhill, NH (5B9)

May 18 Old Airplane Fly-In, Cooperstown, NY, K23. 7:30-noon. 607-547-2526

June 1st and 2nd - The seaplane fly-in at Speculator, New York, is

June 1 Chapter 740 Fly-In Springfield, VT VSF 10:30-2:00 Fly-In BBQ 802-685-3182 or 802-436-2868

June 1 – Saturday – Rain Date June 2 - Danbury EAA Chapter 130 FLY-IN – Danbury Municipal Airport (DXR) – Contact 203-799-1273 or 203-267-7964

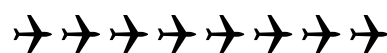
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June 19-22 Sentimental Journey Lockhaven, PA LHV 570-893-4200

July 23rd-29th Airventure 2002 Oshkosh, WI EAA Fly-In www.airventure.org



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