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The Hernando Flyer

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The June 1st Chapter meeting will be held on the first **Wednesday** of the month, and will be continued on that day for the foreseeable future. Meetings are open to anyone with an interest in building, restoring, and flying airplanes. The meeting will be held at the CAP Building on Air Commerce Rd., starting at 7:00 PM. There should be ample parking in front of the of the CAP building.

President's Corner: Greetings fellow chapter members. The month of May could best be described as a low activity time. A few of us flew up to Tallahassee for the local EAA Chapter's Air Fest. A nice flight up and back. The organization of the event was quite good. They had about 4 L-39s, a few T-6s and a bunch of experimental aircraft that flew in from all over Florida and Georgia. Overall, it was a fun day.

Our last meeting had sparse attendance. On the afternoon of the meeting it was raining but it had cleared up by meeting time. Sadly, only ten members showed up for a quite interesting meeting..

Following the business portion of the meeting, a movie was shown titled, "Flying right seat" by Tony Spicer. Tony, a Soxex builder and former back seater in an F4 provided history on his project and then with the camera locked, looking forward we went flying. Some of the footage looked a bit like the footage from the movie "Bullet" in the scenes of the car chase.

Our next meeting will be June 1st. Regrettably I will be out of town during the next two weeks and will not be present but Lloyd will do a great job.

Bernie

Chapter Meeting Minutes:

This month's meeting which was held on May 4, 2005, began at 7:10 p.m. Lloyd Gross was acting as moderator. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, Edgar presented the secretary's report and Jim Doan read the treasurer's report. The chapter currently has a balance of \$1350.05 in the kitty. Both reports were accepted as read.

The group then discussed the Bald Eagle Flight, which the Chapter held in April. It was a big success, and after most of the initial expenses were paid we made a profit of approximately \$600.00. Another flight will be scheduled sometime during the fall. **BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!**

Nine members and one guest watched a movie about Sonex Light Sport Airplanes. The group found it to be very interesting.

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 1, 2005, at 7:00 p.m. in the usual place.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

REMINDER TO ALL MEMBERS: THERE WILL BE NO MEETINGS DURING THE MONTHS OF JULY AND AUGUST.

Fly-outs:

There is a group at the Leesburg airport, which plans a fly-out almost every week. Last week several planes left Leesburg and flew to Charlotte Co. (Punta Gorda). It seems that everyone enjoyed the outing and had a good time. Some of the planes that flew were from airports in the vicinity of Leesburg. This is a good type of activity that our Chapter could emulate. We could join the group at Leesburg for their fly-outs or we could start our own. We should discuss this subject at the June meeting and maybe come up with a fly-out plan.

Overheard:

Over Philly on a gorgeous CAVU Sunday... Cessna XXX: Philly approach, Cessna XXX with you at 4,500. Philly Approach: Cessna XXX, Roger, Altimeter 30.69 and numerous targets in your vicinity. Cessna XXX: Could you be more specific about the targets? Philly Approach: OK, 12 o'clock, 1 o'clock, 2 o'clock, 3 o'clock, 4 o'clock, 5 o'clock - would you like me to continue? Cessna XXX: Negative, we get the picture...