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**Remember: The Chapter will not
be meeting in July or August**

President's Corner:

Our last fly out was to Vero Beach. We had three planes, seven people. Two members had to back out, for various reasons. Lunch was good and the flight over was great.

We are planning another fly out in July. If you have any suggestions, please let me know. A couple of places for consideration could be to Lakeland (Tony's), Ocala (Ah, Sam's), Venice (Sharky's on the pier), Cannon Creek (Brunch), and Bartow (Brunch). Bartow you say??? Yes, Bartow has a new terminal and a restaurant that serves up a decent Brunch on the weekends. I was told recently that Cannon Creek, near Lake City, which had closed up, is now up and running and offering a decent brunch,.

Doc Bob is finally converting his GlaStar to a tricycle landing gear as all good airplanes should be, Ha! A visit to his hanger the other day showed that he has the only four wheel landing gear airplane on the field. I wished I had my camera with me... I think that the GlasStar is a pretty plane especially when it is sitting on tricycle gear (editorial comment)

A week ago the airport hosted several bus loads of elementary school students and their teachers. American Aviation gave them a quick tour of their facilities. I was asked if I would bring my plane over to the ramp. I called Harris Sullivan and asked if he would put his plane on display which he graciously did. The Sheriff's dept joined us. Due to the Sheriff's regulations, the children could not sit in the helicopter but Harris and I spent the next 90 minutes lifting the little people in and out of our planes and answering their questions. Perhaps one of these students will be a future Chapter member. I had to take my seat cushion covers home to wash off little foot prints.

Watch for our next fly out notice.

Stay safe and remember to keep the blue side up.

Bernie