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Presidents Corner...

Hello again.. 2019 already and I'm back as President of our TXAAA Chapter.

I would like to thank the following members for their service last year, Joel Meanor - President (Joel will continue doing an excellent job as Fly-in Chairman) Jack Fulford -VP, and Joetta Reetz - Treasurer . Welcome to our new board members, Bo Case - VP, Doug Green - Secretary, and Laurie Mitchell - Treasurer. (See the complete list on page 8 of this issue).

We had a great meeting at the Vintage Flying Museum last month. Thanks to Chuckie Hospers for her hospitality and use of the meeting room. The museum has opened another hangar with easy viewing of their aircraft and It's well worth a visit.

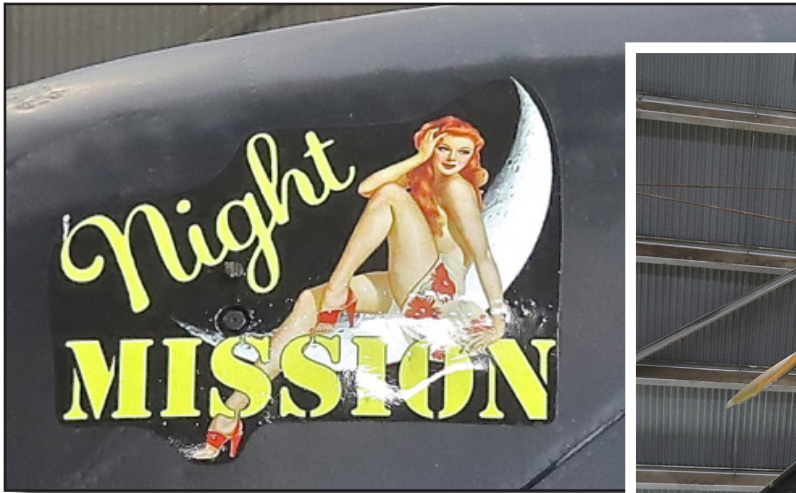
There were about 40 members in attendance. Mr. Wayne R. Maynard was our guest speaker and he gave an interesting talk about his solo flight to the North Pole.

Well, I'm hoping for good weather this year for our meetings, I hope to see more smiling faces and member's aircraft.

Our next meeting will be at the Denton Enterprise Airport in the Nebrig & Associates hangar on the 16th of this month.

Hope to see you all there.
Terry







"Boeing Wonderland"



▲ During WWII, the U.S Army designed a whole neighborhood to throw off possible air attacks.



▲ At first glance, this looks like an ordinary day in a small village with people enjoying the sun outside.



▲ Suzette Lamoureux and Vern Manion examine one of the miniature bungalows in the "Boeing Wonderland."



▲ On the roof of Boeing Plant 2, camouflage trees and structures were shorter than a person.



▲ An aerial view of the camouflage on top of Boeing Plant 2 shows that the "streets" were aligned with real residential neighborhoods nearby.



▲ *But underneath this peaceful town was a big military secret: a Boeing factory.*



▲ *Boeing Plant 2. 500th celebrations.*



▲ *Trees were made of chicken wire and feathers.*

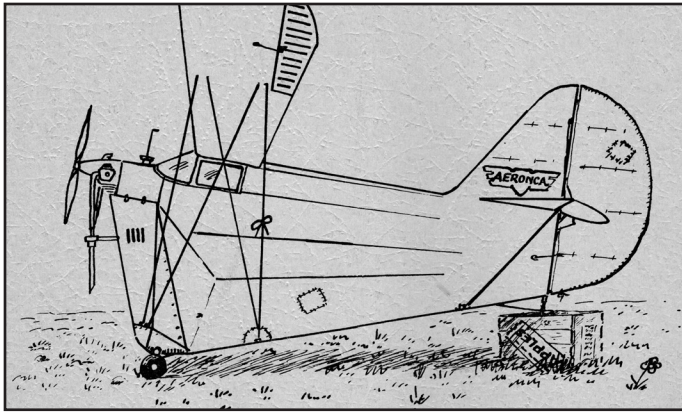
*From Jack Millaway in our band.
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Thanks Phil



▼ *Thousands of Boeing workers
gather in front of Boeing Plant
2 for ceremonies marking the
changeover from B-17 to B-29
production on April 10, 1945.*

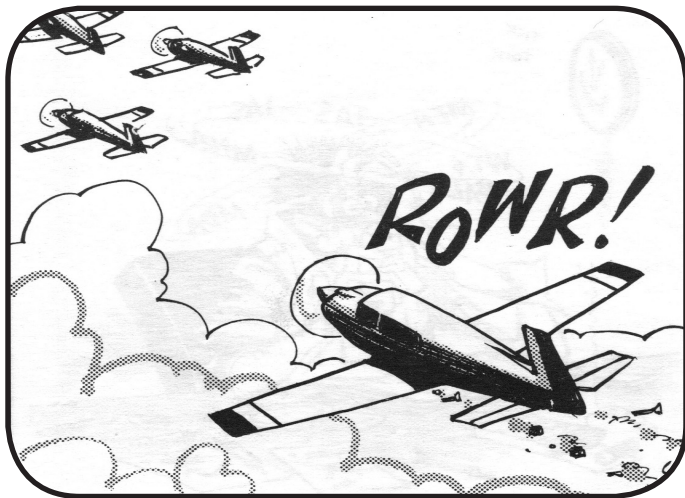




It's your newsletter!

This space in the news letter is available for your article. Every issue we strive to bring you the latest news from our members. I know everyone is very busy these days BUT in this electronic age it should be easy for our members to submit interesting facts about their aircraft, project, histories, or antidotes that would be fun for the rest of the members to read. Don't be shy folks, send pictures of your airplanes, airports, children, cats, dogs, mice, whatever. we need input from you, our members so the newsletters are fun to read as well as informative. This space in future issues will be for your input and I hope to fill it with interesting items. Please send your articles to me at wallacete@cs.com

Thanks, Terry



CHASEPLANE - Wing man in an amateur formation fly-by.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2018

Next Meeting: February 16, Nebrig & Associates, Denton Enterprise Airport

• **For Flyers:** The Nebrig hangar is on the southeast part of the Denton airport, off Taxiway Kilo. Ground Control is familiar with "The Nebrig Hangar" and will provide directions. You can see a Nebrig & Associates sign from the main taxiway. Either find a place to park on their ramp, or in the nearby grass.

• **For Drivers:** The address is 4801 John Carrell Rd, Denton, TX 76207. From 35W, go west on Airport Road. As you approach the airport, turn left (south) on Westcourt Road. 300 yards later, turn right into the airport on John Carrell Road. It dead ends, with the Nebrig hangar and office on the left.

Upcoming Meetings 2019:

- **March 16** - Al Hilton's hangar Clark Airfield
- **April 20** - Fairview Airport Bo and Cindy Case 's hangar
- **May 18** - Open
- **June 08** - Bobby Jones hangar, Tailwheel Acres Airport
- **July 20** - Open
- **August 17** - Jim Austin's hangar, Northwest West Regional Airport
- **September 21** - Ken Robbins (Linda) hangar, Fairview Airport
- **October 11-12** - Ayers Aviation / Annual fly-in, Gainesville Airport
- **November 16** - Laurie Mitchell's hangar, Fairview Airport
- December 21 - Golden Coral Keller Texas

Fly-Ins of Interest 2019:

March 1-2: Arizona Annual Fly-In, Casa Grande, AZ

April 6 and 7: Heart of Texas Airshow, in Waco

August 28 - September 1: National AAA Fly-In, Blakesburg, IA.

October 11- 12: "Fall Festival of Flight" TXAAA Annual Fly-In, Gainesville, TX. October 24 - 27: Flying M Ranch, Reklaw, TX

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Minutes of the Wednesday January 23rd, 2019 Meeting

- At 12:00 P.M. Lynn Hearn led the Blessing before lunch.
- At 12:36 P.M. President Terry Wallace called Meeting of Members to order.
- The Chapter thanked Chuckie for the use of the meeting room at the Vintage Flight Museum.
- At 12:40 P.M. Mr. Wayne Maynard gave a presentation on his trip to the North Pole.
- After Mr. Maynard's presentation, door prize winners' names from the attendance list were called.
- No birthdays or anniversaries were noted.

Previous Meeting Minutes:

There were no minutes from the December meeting.

Old Business:

None

New Business:

President Wallace introduced the new Board Members. Treasurer Laurie Mitchell gave her financial report.

Next Meeting: February 16th at Nebrig & Associates, Denton Enterprise Airport

**A motion to adjourn was made and seconded.
The meeting ended at 13:51**

*Respectfully submitted by
Doug Green, Secretary
Texas Chapter AAA*



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Aircraft Type: _____ National
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(Ownership of an aircraft is not required)

To start or renew membership in the Texas Chapter of the Antique Airplane Association please furnish the above information and send it with \$25.00 (payable to Texas AAA) to: Treasurer, Texas Antique Airplane Association, 170 Dillavou Lane, Rhome, TX 76078

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NOTE: Membership expires on September 30 each year. Send dues and address changes to TXAAA Treasurer, 5416 Catlow Valley Rd. Fort Worth, TX 76137

The Texas Chapter supports and encourages membership in the National Antique Airplane Association.

For Information about joining the National AAA, Visit their Web site at www.antiqueairfield.com or E-mail antiqueairfield@sirisonline.com or you may write:
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