



Experimental Aircraft Association

Chapter 66 Ft. Myers, Fl. Page Field



# 66 SQUAWK SHEET

## PI C Briefing

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When was the last time you checked our web site

January 2008

With the New Year comes a "new" slate of officers. After a hard fought campaign, the following individuals took office on Jan. 1, 2008: Len DeNardo, President; Jim McClain, Vice-President; Paul Preston, Treasurer; and David Harning, Secretary. We wish these officers much success in 2008.

As your newly elected president, I will work to emphasize the three pillars of our organization. These are the monthly Pancake Breakfast, the young eagles program and the construction of our homebuilt aircraft. It is upon these three programs that our Chapter has its foundation and from which we can grow in other areas.

We will be emphasizing a "back to basics" program in aviation fundamentals this year with a series of DVD's by Barry Schiff. We also want to try to get some outside speakers to come and talk to us on aviation subjects. For February, Tom Irlbeck will present a full-length, feature film about Dieter Dengler, a Navy pilot shot down in the fall of 1965 and who escaped and evaded capture for some three months before being rescued by the U.S. military.

We will also be working towards getting our 501(c) (3) status. This will enable us to become a charitable organization so annual dues and donations will be tax deductible. We also want to have some breakfast/lunch fly-outs to local airports to generate a sense of an aviation organization.

At this time I would like to acknowledge the excellent work that Paul Yocum has done for EAA Chapter 66. Paul has been a member for over nine years and President for the past three years. His contributions to the Chapter have been many. Including but not limited to the update of the Chapter by-laws, the continuation of the pancake breakfast, the Homebuilt Aircraft Corral and food stand at Aviation Days, his contribution to the building of the homebuilt aircraft and his general pro-aviation attitude have all contributed to the goodwill of the Chapter. Thanks for a job well done Paul.

If anyone has ideas that they want to share with the Chapter, please feel free to do so.

And remember; Keep the Shiny Side Up.

Len DeNardo



## Notam's

**U.S. SPORT  
AVIATION EXPO  
2008  
JANUARY 17-20,  
2008**

**Sebring Regional  
Airport, Fl.**

<http://www.sport-aviation-expo.com/>

Check Flying In instructions

Next Meeting Jan. 8  
Next Breakfast Feb. 3  
Next Board Mtg. Feb. 5

Operation  
**"LAMB"**  
Leave **A** Magazine **B**ehind

PGD Breakfast 2nd Saturday

APF Breakfast 2nd Sunday

**EAA is about participation: Be a member! Be a volunteer!**

## Links

**Chapter 66 mtg.**  
2nd. Tues. of each Month  
7:30 PM

**Ch 66 Board Mtg.**  
1st. Tues. of mth.  
7:15 PM

**Pancake Breakfast**  
1st Sunday of each Month

**Airplane Builders**  
Thurs' 7:00 PM

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## Florida Fly-in's

[www.funplacestofly.com/events/events.asp?Event\\_State=FL](http://www.funplacestofly.com/events/events.asp?Event_State=FL)  
[www.placestofly.com/florida.htm](http://www.placestofly.com/florida.htm)

## Fuel Stop 100LL

[www.airnav.com/fuel/](http://www.airnav.com/fuel/)  
[www.100ll.com/](http://www.100ll.com/)

## Web Sites to Check

[http://quickiebuilders.org/QBA05/o200\\_resources.htm#Links](http://quickiebuilders.org/QBA05/o200_resources.htm#Links)  
<http://www.airteamimages.com/>

## Touch and Go

Bob and Dot Haas wish to thank everyone for the cards and flowers.

Those who remember Dean Berger will be sadden to hear that he was in a terrible motorcycle accident in Costa Rica and is not expected to survive it.

## Flight Plan

We will be starting a series of DVD's by Barry Schiff on Aviation Fundamentals.

## Prop Wash

**Vice President**  
Jim McClain

**Secretary &  
Young Eagle Chmn.**  
David Harning

**Young Eagle co-chmn.**  
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**Commissary**  
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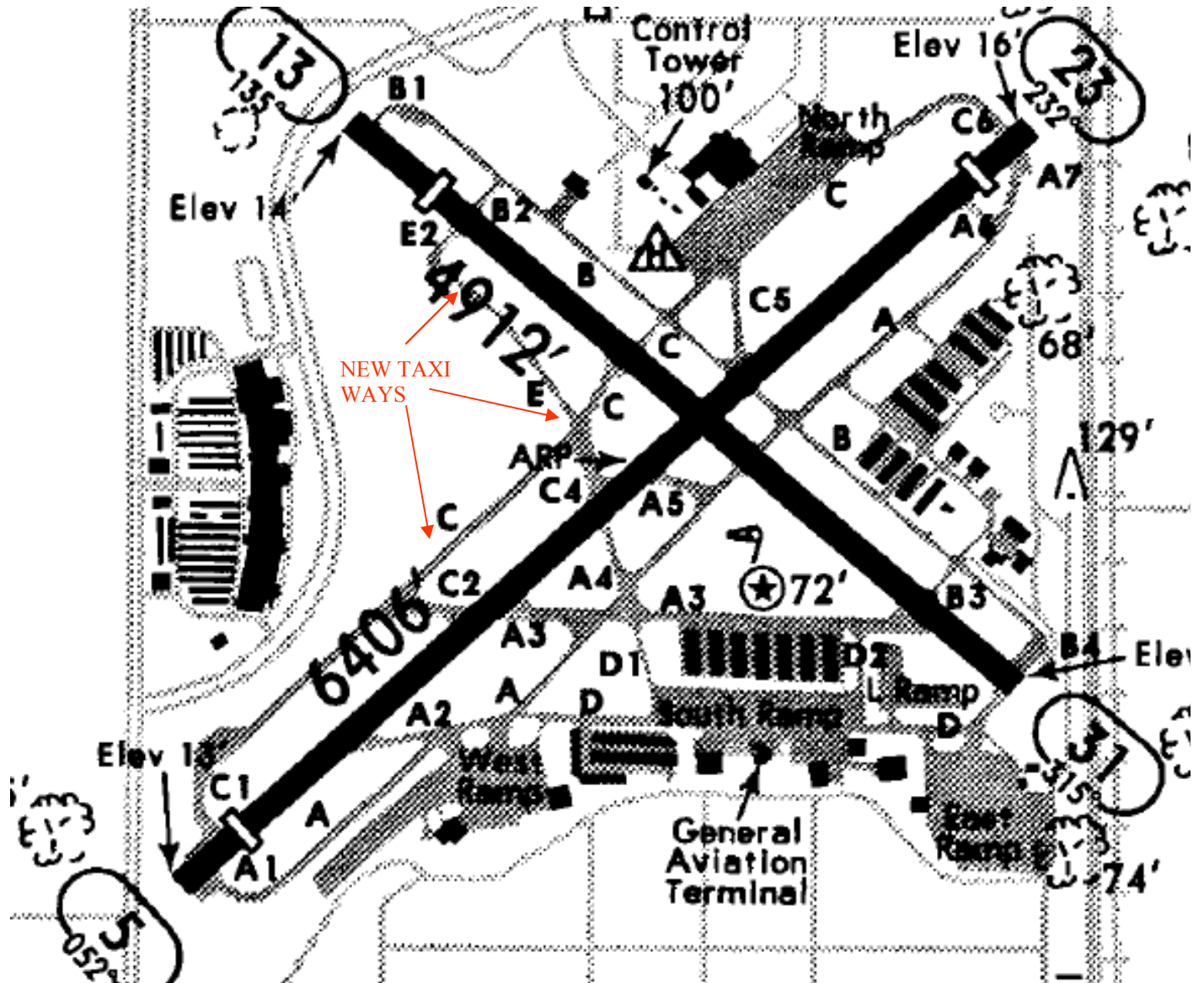
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### You Might be a Redneck Pilot If:

31. There are grass stains on the tips of your propeller.
32. You have a bumper sticker on your plane that reads "I'd rather be fishing."
33. You navigate with your ADF tuned to AM country stations.
34. You think an ultra light is a new sissy beer from Budweiser.
35. Just before the crash, everybody on the UNICOM freq heard you say, "Hey Y'all-Watch This!"

**More News Below**

Page Field New TAXI WAYS



Be careful, other taxi way designations may have changed. Check NOTAM  
A PDF file of this diagram will be posted on our [web site](#).

Charlotte County Airport, PGD, has realigned their runway 030/210 to 040/220.

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