



Experimental Aircraft Association

Chapter 66 Ft. Myers, Fl. Page Field



# 66 SQUAWK SHEET

## PI C Briefing

When Was The Last Time You Checked Our Website?

<http://www.eaa66.org/>

Members will want to attend the January 13<sup>th</sup> monthly meeting. Our guest speaker is Dr. Wayne Burr, MD. Dr. Burr is an Aviation Medical Examiner and is familiar with F.A.A. physicals. He will discuss a number of topics including OTC medicines, common pilot problems and the use of the FAA pre-file form. This is one meeting you will want to attend.

And now some comments about the Christmas Party. It was a blast with 45 people attending and everyone having a great time. When I left at 9:00pm, the party was still going strong. A special thanks to Chef Bill Bresnan who grilled 45 steaks and did a great job. The new gas grill works as advertised. Thanks also to all the ladies who brought hot dishes, salads and desserts. A good time was had by all.

A word about our new tile floor. It now appears that it will be done in January. We will keep you advised on the actual date. We will have a field day to clear out the building to prepare for the tile installation. A second day will be required to bring everything back into the building. The new tile will really enhance our building.

Looking at fly-in events for Florida it appears that Avon Park Executive A/P, AVO, has a buffet breakfast the second Sunday of each month from October thru May. What fair weather folks? Why not plan on a fly-out to AVO on Sunday, Jan. 11. It will be a chance to show off out aircraft and to see how the other organizations are doing with monthly breakfasts/buffets. Maybe pick up some new ideas. We can discuss this at the January 4<sup>th</sup> pancake breakfast.

Heads up Young Eagle flyers. I understand five families and their children will show up on January 4<sup>th</sup>. I guess we will be doing some flying that Sunday.

I just read an EAA SportAir Workshop brochure that came across my desk. It is a two day affair on Feb. 14-15, 2009 at Sun n' Fun Campus at Lakeland -Linder A/P. It covers topics from "fabric covering" to "what's involved in kit building". For the home builder working in his garage, this sounds like a must attend workshop. Reservations can be made online at [www.sportair.com](http://www.sportair.com) or by calling 1-800-967-5746.

Well it appears wonders never cease. We have finally talked someone into publishing the monthly news letter. Allow me to introduce Bill Princell. Bill lives in the Indianapolis area and winters in Ft. Myers Beach. He is a long time EAA member and also knows the Micro-soft Publisher program. The January news letter will be Bill's third edition and he is doing a fine job. A well deserved thanks to Bill Princell for taking on this task.

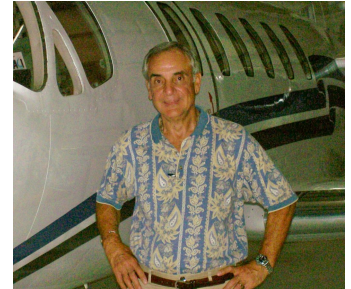
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Well, that's a wrap. See you at the pancake breakfast.

Len DeNardo -

**You know your landing gear is up and locked when it takes full power to taxi to the terminal.**

## JANUARY 2009



## NOTAM'S

**EAA 66 Chapter Dues**

**Due January 1st, 2009**

**\$25.00**

**See or Mail to:  
Paul Preston - Treasurer**

Next Breakfast Jan 4th

Next Board Meeting Jan 6th

Next Meeting Jan 13th

Operation  
**"LAMB"**

**Leave A Magazine Behind**

**PGD Breakfast 2nd Saturday**  
8:30 am - 11:00 am

**APF Breakfast 2nd Sunday**  
8am -11:00am

**AVO Buffet Breakfast**  
2nd Sunday Oct - May  
8:30 - 11:00

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## Links

### Check Out These FAA Web Sites

[http://prepartotest.com/faa/sport\\_pilot.php](http://prepartotest.com/faa/sport_pilot.php)

[http://www.faa.gov/licenses\\_certificates/aircraft\\_certification/aircraft\\_registry/](http://www.faa.gov/licenses_certificates/aircraft_certification/aircraft_registry/)

## Flight Plan

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## 2009 EAA Event Dates

U.S. Sport Aviation Expo, Sebring Regional Airport  
January 17 - 20, 2008

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

Sun 'n Fun Fly-In,  
Lakeland Linder Regional Airport, Lakeland, FL  
April 21 - 26, 2009

<http://www.sun-n-fun.org/content/>

EAA AirVenture Oshkosh Wittman  
Regional Airport, Oshkosh, WI  
July 27 - August 2, 2009

<http://www.airventure.org/>

Chapter 66 Meeting  
Second Tuesday - Each Month  
7:30 PM

Chapter 66 Board Meeting  
First Tuesday - Each Month  
7:15 PM

Chapter 66 Pancake Breakfast  
First Sunday - Each Month

Airplane Builders  
Every Thursday  
7:00 PM

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## Prop Wash



## - More Aviation Links Below -

### KOLB FIREFLY ON FLOATS

<http://www.skyshops.org/FLOATSHOME/floats%20kob%20firefly.htm>

### SR-71 BLACKBIRD

<http://www.greatdanepromilitary.com/SR-71/index.htm>



President Len DeNardo at the December 2008 meeting, presenting Don Black a certificate for his Aviation Fuel presentation and an award for serving as the chapter's Tech Counselor.

## AIRCRAFT HARDWARE

### *What You Need To Know*

By Ron Alexander

<http://www.zenithair.com/kit-data/ra/hardware.html>

### We Need A Volunteer

We need a photographer/public relations person. Someone who likes to take pictures and has the ability to have the photos developed. There are several locations in the area which will take the photos and put them in an album for a minimum cost. This would give us a picture record of each chapter event throughout the year.

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