



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/>

We have two announcements to start off this month's newsletter. We are holding a **BBQ** on behalf of the Mooney Pilots Association on Saturday, February 14<sup>th</sup>. The time frame is 10:30am to 1:30pm. They hold their meetings every two years at Page Field, and look forward to our lunches. We will do our standard hamburgers, chips and drinks. We need three volunteers to help Paul and myself for the three hours.

Our February 10<sup>th</sup> meeting will be held in conjunction with the Cub Club at the RSW Training Center. The Training Center address is 15924 Air Cargo Lane, Fort Myers, FL. 33913. The program starts at 7:00pm and includes a discussion by Bob Schultz, Scott Sheets and an Approach Control Supervisor to discuss flight operations at Page Field. **All pilots are urged to attend.**

The February 10th meeting with the Cub club is a warm up for the March Poker Run Event, which is now held annually in conjunction with the Cub Club. The date is Sunday March 15<sup>th</sup>. Since March is normally a good weather month and gas prices are now relatively cheap, let's try for a record turnout for this year's Poker Run.

I am happy to report that we have had three of our members step up and volunteer to fill several needed positions. **Doug Jenkins** will be in charge of the commissary, **Bill Princell** is now the newsletter editor and **Tom Irlbeck** has agreed to be our flight advisor. I am also in high level negotiations with a potential Public Relations individual. We would still need a couple volunteers to serve as assistant to the Secretary and Treasurer. When either of these officers are absent from a meeting a lot of information is then unavailable to the other members. We think a program coordinator would be a valuable addition to our chapter meetings.

This leads me to another topic of interest. We think a Homebuilt Corner section would be a great addition to the chapter's newsletter. Bill Princell, our editor, has agreed to add a "Homebuilt Corner" section to the monthly newsletter. Builders are urged to submit digital photos along with a few brief words describing their project directly to Bill. This will give our builders a chance to show off their workmanship, while keeping the other members informed of the progress they're making with their project. Builders are also encouraged to make a presentation about their projects at our monthly meetings. Our Tech Counselor **Don Black** is available to help with any and all construction/tech questions and **Tom Irlbeck** will be available to evaluate your first flight plans. Both of these individuals have a lot of technical knowledge available for the other members of our chapter. All you need to do is ask.

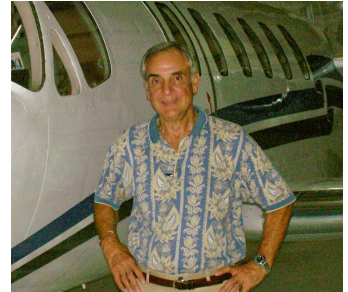
See you Sunday morning at the Pancake Breakfast.

Len DeNardo - President

Remember:

**Airspeed, Altitude and Brains. Two Are Always Needed to Complete the Flight.**

## FEBRUARY 2009



## NOTAM'S

### Regular Meeting/Cub Club

RSV Training Center  
February 10th, 2009  
7:00pm

### Mooney Pilots Association

BBQ Lunch Served  
February 14th, 2009  
10:30am - 1:30pm

Next Breakfast Feb 1st  
Next Board Meeting Feb 3rd  
Next Meeting Feb 10th

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

**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

# EAA is About Participation: Be a Member! Be a Volunteer!

## Links

### Check Out These FAA Web Sites

[http://preparetotest.com/faa/sport\\_pilot.php](http://preparetotest.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

### Directions For The RSW Training Center Meeting

From I-75 , exit 131 proceed East on Daniels Pkwy. Merge right on Chamberlin Pkwy, then Skyplex entrance road. Take first right on Air Cargo Lane before passing Private Sky bldg. Follow signs to: Airport Training and Conference Center

## 2009 EAA Event Dates

### EAA SportAir Workshop

Sun n' Fun Campus at Lakeland – Linder A/P

Feb. 14-15, 2009

[www.sportair.com](http://www.sportair.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

<http://www.chickenwingscomics.com/>



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## - More Aviation Links Below -

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**Moontown Airport**  
Making Memories On flight At A Time

[www.MoontownAirport.com](http://www.MoontownAirport.com)

**World's Smallest Twin Engine Airplane**

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PIV8WJ6N3nU&NR>

### Sebring Expo 2009



Tom Irlbeck and Bill Lund check out the Just Aircraft Highlander LSA



A Tannis Cowl Cover on display in the Thorpedo booth. Tom has more information about this product.



Tom Irlbeck and his RV-8 w/friends Bill Lund and Jon Allen.

**Welcome To The Airport Resource Center's (ARC) Aviation Fuel Base.**

On this page you can locate the lowest Aviation fuel prices from all around the country.

### Current US Fuel Prices

<http://www.globalair.com/airport/region.aspx>

### NAME TAGS

New members are joining our chapter and we may want to identify ourselves. Name tags are available at Fred's Trophies - 3512 Palm Beach Blvd. Our contact there is Theresa at 332-0360.

Cost is \$6.50 with a pin and \$8.50 with a magnet.

If You Have Trouble Printing This Newsletter, Go To Our [web site](#) and Get It From The PDF Archive.

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