



Experimental Aircraft Association

Chapter 66 Ft. Myers, Fl. Page Field



# 66 SQUAWK SHEET

## P I C Briefing

When Was The Last Time You Checked Our Website?

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

My goodness, has it been six months already? Six down and six to go till the events of the winter season. We hope to have a number of occasions to bring our chapter closer together. We are thinking of a picnic in the Fall, a Christmas Party and one or two events after the 1<sup>st</sup> of the year. If anyone has a theme or wants to volunteer on helping to organize an event, contact me or any officer in EAA 66.

In keeping with our basic organization of grass roots aviation, we have a few items to announce.

- (1) **Frances Freeman** has achieved her Basic Wings Certificate. Congratulations Frances on a great job and keep up the good work.
- (2) **Paul Thomas** has made his flight instructor proud by passing his Instrument Rating check ride on June 26. Paul can now exercise the privileges of an instrument pilot within the Air Traffic Control system. Congratulations Paul for all the hard work and effort.
- (3) **David Harning** is the winner of the stand-up aviation/automotive tool box. The drawing was held on June 9<sup>th</sup> at our regular meeting. The raffle generated \$310 to EAA chap 66. Congratulations David and the next time you ding your airplane, you can repair it yourself.

We have sent out letters of invitation to perspective chapter members who live in the Ft. Myers area. This mailing ties in with a national effort to grant 6 month trial memberships. We will grant these trial memberships to those who accept our invitation to attend one of our pancake breakfasts.

We have already signed on three new members. They are **Dominic Skinner**, **Tim Parker** and **Jim McGhee**. If you see these gents or other new faces, please accord them the EAA chapter 66 hospitality. This is another reason to acquire name tags. As we add more members, it is beneficial that we greet people by name, and name tags add a sense of community. Look in the upper right hand column of this page to find out how to order name tags from Fred's Trophies.

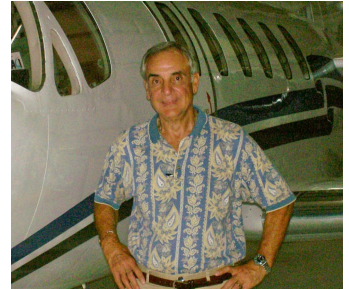
Next Sunday is our pancake breakfast on July 5<sup>th</sup>. Let's all try to attend, as this caps off the July 4<sup>th</sup> weekend. We will try to have our own birthday party for the U.S.A. Looking forward to seeing all and let me be the first to say

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA!!!**

Len DeNardo - President

Remember: Man has a perfect record in aviation; we've never left one up there!

**JULY 2009**



## NAME TAGS

**Fred's Trophies**  
3512 Palm Beach Blvd.  
332-0360  
Ask For: Theresa

Pin Type = \$6.50  
Magnet Type = \$8.50

Next Breakfast **July 5th**

Next Board Meeting **July 7th**

Next Meeting **July 14th**

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!

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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## Flight Plan

Regular Meeting  
July 14th - 7:30pm

## 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/)

## 2009 EAA Event Dates

Brodhead 34th Annual Pietenpol Reunion

EAA Chapter 431, Brodhead, WI  
Thurs, July 23rd - Sat, July 25th, 2009

<http://www.eaa431.org/>

<http://pietenpols.tripod.com/>

EAA AirVenture

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

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

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## Prop Wash

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



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# EAA Chapter 66 Homebuilder's Corner

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## Bill Princell's Pietenpol (GN-1) Rebuild Project



**Rebuild Project Started:** Spring of 2006 ... **Total Hours to Date:** 1785 ... **Engine:** Corvair 100hp ...  
**Construction Materials:** Wood/Fabric Plan to Cover Using Stewart System's Waterborne Process ... **Completed to Date:**  
Right Wing - Wing Center Section - Engine Mount (New) - Landing Gear (New) - Corvair Engine Rebuilt to WW Specs.  
Fuselage Damage Repaired - Fuselage Updating and Modifications Approx. 75% Completed

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The eNewsletter Requires Your Input!

Send email To [weprincell@gmail.com](mailto:weprincell@gmail.com) To Have Your Plane or Project Featured

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Corvair Powered Sonex  
<http://www.flycleanex.com/>

**Seminole-Lake Gliderport**  
Clermont, Florida  
<http://www.soarfl.com/main.htm>

