

Experimental Aircraft Association CHAPTER 393

Concord, California

August, 1988

CHAPTER MEETING

August 24, 1988 Wed. 7:30 PM
Buchanan Field BRING CHAIRS
Terminal Building BRING CHAIRS

PROGRAM

Doing It Down Under

We will have a video on Australian Aviation with an emphasis on homebuilding. Also a short video on Molt Taylor's Air Car and the complete run-down on Oshkosh.

MINUTES OF JULY PICNIC

The weather was great, very warm, and we had a big turn-out. Special thanks go to Sasha for everything. Thanks to all the chile cookers and John McCombs for bringing his good friend Bud Wiser. Unfortunately Bud passed away about 1:00 AM. Thanks to whoever returned his remains the next day.

Thanks to everyone for helping to make the Big Chile a success.

DEAD STICK

On August 9th the Powells were flying in their Glasair near Placerville, CA when about half of one prop blade left the plane with a "BANG." Lyle was able to slow down, stop the engine and make a deadstick landing at Placerville.

It took several hours to reconnect everything that shook loose in the few seconds it took to shut down the engine. With a new prop installed they were home safe later that evening.

We are all thankful for their safe return.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Welcome aboard to Bruce Baumrucker our new member this month.

DUES ARE DUE

If your last name begins with any of the letters from L-Z your dues are currently due. The following may help determine if this includes you:

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

Starting this month you will also notice your dues due date on your mailing label. Please check it out so that we will not have to drop you after the ninety (90) day grace period.

AVIATION GROUP NEWS

The AAC "noise task force" is trying some underhanded tactics in getting the noise ordinance passed. More from our political correspondents at the meeting.

VIEWPOINT

Due to a total lack of interest in this opportunity to express yourselves this column is being canceled until further notice. So if you have an opinion or something to say about aviation please keep it to yourself. Do not send it type-written, single-spaced to Jordan Coonrad, P.O. Box 2878, Alameda, CA 94501.

NASA CALLBACK NUGGETS

The nicest VFR is just as dangerous as the worst IFR.

Federal Aviation Regulations were not meant to replace common sense.

... while returning from a pleasure flight, experienced an engine problem that caused a loss of power...After checking the engine instruments, engine and propeller controls, fuel gauge and selector valve, the pilot decided to land the airplane immediately. A suitable roadway was selected... Upon touching down the pilot saw a small automobile pull out of a side street and proceed down the road ahead of him. To avoid hitting the auto, the pilot veered to the left...where the left wing encountered three small mailboxes. At this point, the aircraft...passed the small car and ...the right wing went up and over the full length of the automobile. Both aircraft and automobile stopped. The driver of the car jumped out, chastised the pilot for not using his "horn," looked to see if there was any damage done to the car, which there was not, got back into the car, and promptly drove away.

THE LOST LOGO

Anyone with information on the newsletter logo please contact Jordan Coonrad, immediately.

CALENDAR

Aug. 20-21
Madera Warbirds

Aug. 24
Chapter 393 meeting

Sept. 13
Glasair meeting

Sept. 14 Chap. 393 Board meeting

Sept. 15-18 Reno Air Races

UNCLASSIFIED

1947 Ercoupe 415CD project. Fuselage inspected and chromated, wings need inspection & cover. No firewall forward. Many extra interior parts. All logs and registration. \$750 O.B.O. (916)624-0109.

1978 Acro Sport (single seat, built by Garry Grover) \$9500. Call Fred Kros (415)399-3716.

Glasair windshield 3/16". Make offer. Steve Macica (415)792-7510.

Glasair kit. \$10,750. Norm Alumbaugh, P.O. Box 200, Pope Valley, CA 94567. (707)965-2709.

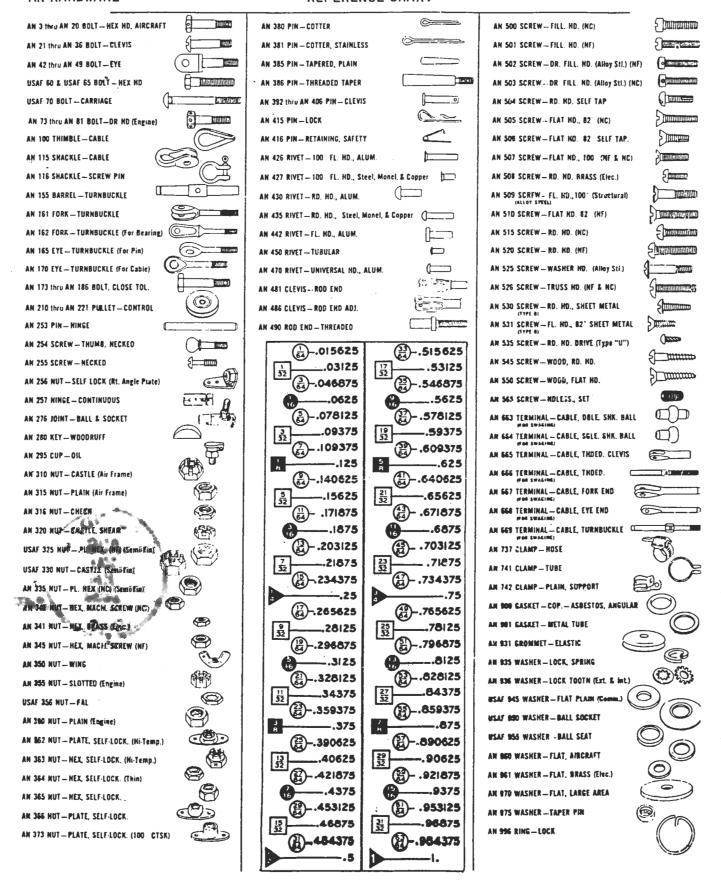
Precision welding. Aluminum, stainless, 4130. Eric Schuldt, 1820. Baldwin Dr., Concord, CA 94519. (415)827-0259.

Telex Headsets w/dynamic mikes, Exec. cond. & work great, 2 sets Larry Laughlin (415)758-3532.

Wanted: Cessna 170 A or B model also Lyc. 0-360 A1A or similar. Jordan Coonrad (415)769-9766.

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