

# WING FLAP

EAA Chapter 52 Sacramento, California



The California Capital Airshow was held at Mather Airport September 6-7, 2014. and featured top performers like the Patriots six-ship team of L-39 jets, as well as other performers doing aerobatics with musical choreography, barnstorming, pyrotechnics, vintage aircraft, and dozens of planes and warbirds on display.

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## FROM THE LEFT SEAT



by  
**Rick Stockton**  
Chapter President

It's been a while since I have written an article for the Wing Flap. A number of things have happen that caused the non-publication of the Wing Flap, but one member has stepped forward and has offered to help Thom, Joe Farrelly! Thanks Joe. He needs some help in getting articles together. If you can take a few minutes and maybe, write out what you have seen over the summer that other EAA member's might be interest in.

We have a full month ahead of us. The last Pancake Breakfast will be on the 12th. We have a Pot Luck dinner coming up on the 28th. More on at later this month. Once the board meets I'll have an idea on want we will need for food.

We also have elections coming up. Gill Wright is looking for a VP candidate. We have four members of the board that their position needs to be filled.

Iris Taggart has asked to return.

Thom Taylor has asked to return

Gill Wright has asked to return.

Dennis Willerton's position maybe open.

We need your input on the board, so please talk to Gill about coming aboard.

The board voted in the spring to spent three thousand dollars to send Young Eagles to Camp this coming summer 2015. We have asked the neighboring EAA Chapters to help identify a good candidate. If you know of a Young Eagle drop me a line or have them write up an assay as to why Chapter 52 should sent them to OSH. By inviting the other Chapters to help identify a Young Eagle candidate we can also enlist their aid in using their

Young Eagle miles. That way we can send a few more candidates.

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## PANCAKES & PLANES

On Sunday, September 14th, Chapter 52 held another of its Fly-n-Drive-In pancake breakfast at our Yolo hanger. We had several members of our EAA chapter fly in to join us. Hap Pischke and his crew of volunteers prepared about 50 pancake breakfasts for members and guests. The day was bright and sunny, with light winds, perfect for flying. The homemade cobbler was a big hit.



Some of the planes that flew in to the Pancake Breakfast on September 14.

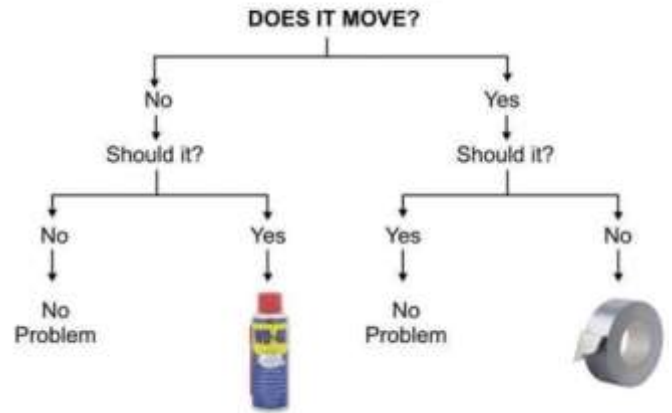
# No More

by Thom Taylor

One day in the near future old men and women will stop coming to relive the days of their youth when the great warbirds took to the skies. The B-17s, the Lancaster's, the B-29s, the Mustangs and more. The women who built, the men who flew the great warbirds will be no more. But the engines and motors those great aircraft will not be silenced, they will live on every time a young person looks up in the sky, and dreams of flight.



# Aircraft Mechanic Troubleshooting Chart



Pilot's rule #16: With a can of WD-40 and a roll of duct tape, you can repair anything.

# Student Pilot



What my friends think I do.



What my mom thinks I do.



What my instructor thinks I do.



What society thinks I do.



What I think I do.



What I actually do.

## BOB LESSMAN'S AT-6 ON DISPLAY

Bob Lessman brought his AT-6 'Anytime II' to our general meeting on September 30 and shared what it is like to fly formation in this unique aircraft of our aviation heritage. Bob has built and flown two of these birds over the last 25+ years, and has a wealth of knowledge to share.



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**MEETINGS:** The general membership meetings are held on the last Tuesday of each month at 1930 (potlucks at 1830) in the meeting room off the main lobby in the tower building at Executive Airport (KSAC), 6151 Freepoint Blvd., Sacramento, California.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, and COMMITTEE CHAIR:** The board meets on the second Tuesday of each month. Board meetings start promptly at 1900 for social time & 1930 for business meeting and are held in the same room as the general membership meetings.

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EAA National Membership is required for all Chapter 52 members. Chapter 52 dues are \$20 per year (January - December). A late charge of \$5 after the February meeting will be assessed all past due members.

For more information on National and Chapter 52 memberships, please call Chapter 52 Membership Chairman Hap Pischke at 916-966-1346.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### OCTOBER

- 7: 7:30 Board Meeting @ Executive Airport
- 12: 9:00 AM, Last Pancake Breakfast- Yolo Airport
- 18: Lincoln Airport Open House 8- 12 - display old planes and Pancake breakfast.
- 18 : Mustang Round-up @ Nut Tree Airport
- 28: 6:30 Pot Luck/General Meeting @ Executive Airport/VOTING & Elections
- 31 thru 11/2 Aviation Expo in Palm Springs CA

### NOVEMBER

- 4 : 7:30 Board Meeting @ Executive Airport
- 28: 6:30 General Meeting @ Executive Airport

### DECEMBER

- 2: 7:30 Board Meeting @ Executive Airport
- 13 Holiday dinner

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## AVIATION EXPO, PALM SPRINGS

Sponsored by Flying Magazine, **Aviation Expo** 2014 is expected to be a world class three-day event held in **Palm Springs** October 31 - November 2. The event is open to the public and will host a wide array of planes on display starting Thursday October 30th. . The convention hall will host over 50 workshops and sessions to accelerate pilots' knowledge and safety. The latest and greatest technology from Aviation experts and businesses will be on display. Registration fees run from \$35 early bird to about \$250.

## MUSTANGS & MORE COMING TO NUT TREE AIRPORT AGAIN THIS YEAR

VACAVILLE — Not only will two-winged and three-wheeled Mustang fighters be on hand at this year's Mustangs & More gathering at the Nut Tree Airport on Saturday, Oct. 18 but there will be "oodles" of Mustangs with four wheels, too. The annual event is now a tradition for the Vacaville airport and honors one of the World war II's most successful fighters. .