

INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF WOMEN PILOTS

ALL-OHIO 99 NEWS



Top L: Congrats to Esther Kotyk for soloing at the beginning of August! Middle: It's a girl! Peg Ballou got a beautiful new (to her) baby: Cessna 172 N8262H on August 8; only 410 on the engine, great paint, manly interior, and good avionics: autopilot, HSI, and a Garmin 430 GPS. Pictured with Peg is the former owner, an airline pilot. R: Kathy Samuelson and Linda Blodgett shared a funny moment at the August meeting and swim party, which was rained out. Blub blub. LowerL: We made sure there were plenty of chairs around the pool, but there was a shortage inside where we took shelter from the pouring rain. L-R: Lily, guest of Lisa Blair, Lisa, Claire Gerber, Esther Kotyk, and Samantha Rogers had hard but dry seats. Lower R: Don Harding, retired ATC, Kay Johnson, Roberta Jones, and Cherry Harding took part in the meeting. R: Looking a bit wet after grilling in the rain were Margaret Hazlett, Jane Holbrook, and Chris Creamer. Jane, the daughter of our late members Barb and Buck Ewing, reported that her parents were laid to rest in a moving military ceremony at Arlington National Cemetery in March. Jane brought her lab, Gus, to swim with Margaret's lab, Klaus. The brothers came from Peg's kennel and hadn't seen each other since they were five weeks old. They had the pool to themselves and were having so much fun that they didn't want to get out of the water when it was time to go. As they were towed off, the sun came out.



MEETINGS

The September 11 meeting at Newark-Heath Airport is to be hosted by Kay Johnson and will feature speaker John Graham. He is an experienced bush pilot who just returned from Alaska. Deb Henrichs will host on October 9th at Findley Airport. We may meet on November 13 at Mansfield. There is a new aviation museum opening there in the fall. Kay Johnson suggested we meet at Ruby Tuesday's in Mount Vernon in December. It was discussed that we would use ZOOM for the January and February meetings. Photographs courtesy of Kathy Samuelson, Official All-Ohio Chapter Photographer.

NOTAMS

Please inform your editor of any news in your life, aviation, or of interest that you would like to share with your sister members. This is YOUR newsletter!

On August 18th Peg Ballou had two students earn their Private Pilot Certificates: Caleb in Peg's Cessna 150 N8938S (below left) and Paul with his own plane (below right). The airport was a confusing mess of construction with taxiway striping and lighting work that day. Despite that, the conclusion was a happy one. Caleb is in the Bowling Green State University aviation program and a classmate of our member Claire Gerber. Claire and Caleb recently connected on Facebook and they are now in the same program together. Peg has another student scheduled for a checkride on October 6 and two more for the 18th. Peg's son James in March became a captain for Republic Airlines, and her daughter Rachel and husband fly for a government contractor on various interesting missions.



And there's more action from our chapter members: Gayle Gorman Freeman flew 24 Young Eagles at Mansfield Lahm Airport on August 27th and her husband Rich, USAF retired, flew 16. (Gayle has unique flying experience, as our much-missed late member Marge Gorman once told me she took Gayle on air races and long trips before Gayle was born.) Peg Ballou flew 22 young eagles. Two other pilots flew 18 young people each, for a total of 100 flown. What a great day for encouraging youth interest in flying!

Here's an example of text correction gone wrong: a pilot we know was returning from a trip and texted, "Yes, I am back. The plane isn't marrying."

(Actually, a plane is celebrate and not the marrying kind.) The intended message: "The plane is in Marion." LOL!

Agenda for the meeting on September 11, 2022

Approve Minutes of August 14, 2022

Treasurer's Report

NIFA Award of Achievement

Membership Report

Mentor Updates – Student members needing mentors:

Wendy Stiver - Dayton

Krista Zimmer - Greenville

Brittany Jackson - North Olmstead

Members on Standby – Claire Gerber, Sandra Gordley and Susan LeMaitre

Members on Hold – Linda Blodgett, Anne Greenberg, Holly Harper, Leota Lane, Nancy Royer, Christina Schutte

Meetings

September 11 – Newark-Heath Airport hosted by Kay Johnson

October 9 – Findlay Airport hosted by Deb Henrichs. Speaker will be Nick Herridge, a recent first officer for Republic Airlines. He will take about his experience getting into the airlines.

November 13 – Mansfield?

December 11 – Ruby Tuesdays, Mt. Vernon hosted by Kay Johnson

Committee Chair Reports

Scholarships – Betty Huck

Web Site – Val Palazzolo

Public Relations – Claire Gerber

Old Business

Member Biographies – Peg Ballou and Lisa Blair

Poker Run – Abigail Burdue

Announcements

Fall Section Meeting – Sept 30 – Oct 2, 2022 in Porter, IN hosted by Indiana Dunes. For registration information please see email from Deb McGee, NCS Governor date August 31. Deb Henrichs is attending with Paula Rumbaugh (Scioto Valley) and has one more seat in her plane. If you are interested, let Deb know. Section meetings are always educational, fun, and a great way to meet other members.

Invitation from Scioto Valley – The Scioto Valley Chapter will be having a fly out to Auglaize Airport on Sept. 17 (rain date Sept 14). It is a potluck with burgers and brats provided. Arrive at the airport as close to 12:30 as possible.

**SUNDAY SEPT 11TH MEETING AT (VTA) NEWARK-HEATH AIRPORT
529 Heath Road, Heath**

ARRIVE: 11:30-11:45

HOSTESS: Kay Johnson 614-330-8874

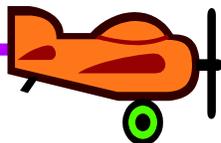
NOON: The speaker John Graham, a member of the Ohio Bush Pilots Club, will speak about his many adventures in Alaska. He flies regularly as a bush pilot. This should be a great program!

Do NOT go to the FBO where there is construction. Instead go along Heath Road where the airport fence is. There is a break in the fence where a white building with a big EAA sign on it is. You can enter the building from Heath Road without using the airport entrance.

AFTER THE SPEAKER will be lunch provided by Kay for \$5 and it's always a treat. Afterwards we will have the and then meeting.

Please text or phone Kay to RSVP if you can, so she can plan the amount of food to prepare. If you can't RSVP, come anyway. We'd love to see ya!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY





In the absence of photos from other members, here are more of my garden.
L: Jewel weed. Years ago at a nursery there were hummingbirds all over this plant and I asked the attendant to sell me some. She laughed and said it was a wild flower. Now that I live near the woods I have lots of it.
R: Asclepias and Echinacea.