

LOUD AND CLEAR

EAA CHAPTER 319

February 2010



EAA chapter 319 meets the second Thursday of each month at the Aerospace Center, 5060 Cirrus Dr Medford, Join in the fun with us!

NEXT MEETING

February 11th



Our program this month will be brought to us by Tom Williams. Tom is an Air Traffic Controller and also the manager of our Tower here in Medford. This will be a great time to come with your box of questions, and to learn what all happens in that cube perched high up on the west side of the airport. Come out, bring a guest, and join the members of EAA 319 in education, conversation, snacks, and story telling.

Awards Banquet A Big Success

Most of you already know we have made some changes at EAA 319. We decided to not have a December meeting and move our year end banquet to January. This allowed several of our members to attend that had not been able to in the past. There is a larger selection of places to hold our event and at a significantly lower price. Mostly though it allowed people to free up their schedules at the busiest time of the year.

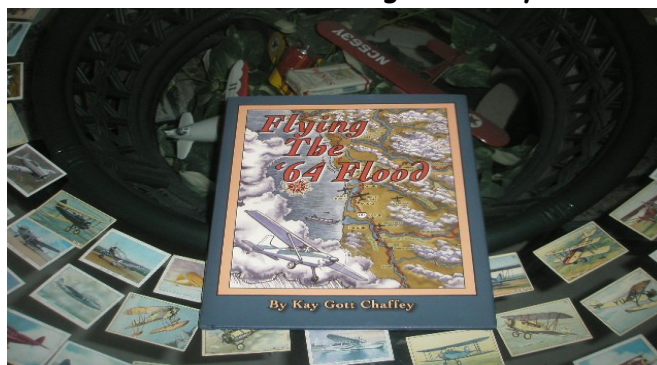
Our Banquet was held at the Black Bear in their new Banquet room.

We had a 65" Hi-def monitor on one wall. Brad Pankonin our Web Master hooked up to his laptop to this allowing us to run DVDs of Oshkosh 2009. On the other side of the room Art Lumley played keyboards throughout the evening.

Dan Pike announced the new officers for 2010 and presented the awards to those that served in 2009. The Ray Bruton award was presented to Brad Pankonin in recognition for his long and dedicated service to our chapter. The Presidents award went this year to Paul Martin for his dedication in working with the Young Eagles program. Butch Milani and Gary Edwards received EAA service awards for their work as technical counselors.

EAA 319 member Kay Gott Chaffey unveiled her new book "Flying The '64 Flood" at the banquet and I believe she sold all the copies that she brought and then some.

Sherri Shusterwitz hunted far and wide to bring us this great banquet, she and Carole Dunn conjured up some new games this year. The Flour Bombing contest was a bit more difficult than anticipated by most and was won by Gene Warner with Gary Edwards and Don Forbes as runner-ups. The second game won by Bud Liberatore was the "IFR walk" shouldn't have been difficult at all. All one needed to do was walk about 15 feet, between 2 tape lines about 30 inches apart, and not step on cutout airplanes, while blindfolded, and directed by a partner. How tough could that be? See the photos. As people arrived for the festivities Carole Dunn handed out her latest find-a-word puzzle, which people worked on throughout the evening. To those whose heads almost exploded Carole would like to apologize, The list contained 'Landing' and 'Flying Crown' but she did not incorporate them into the puzzle. We all had a wonderful time. We hope that everyone will be able to attend again next year.



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FROM THE EDITOR

We invite all of our readers to submit letters to the editor@eaa319

We also encourage articles that are both timely and aviation oriented. Photos relating to your article will also be published.

Newsletter deadline - Two weeks before a meeting. Please submit your articles or letters to the editor as early as possible. Editor@eaa319.org

Membership Dues are Due

As most of you know Art Lumley has taken over as the Membership chairman. His email is omni727@yahoo.com Please note the address below for sending in your Dues.

Dues are due on January 1st, they are one of the many things that keep EAA 319 going and green. The Dues are still only \$20. per individual or \$30. for a family membership. Please make your checks out to 'EAA 319' and bring them to next meeting or send them to

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