

# **LOUD AND CLEAR**

## **EAA CAPTER 319**

**February 2008**

EAA chapter 319 meets the 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Thursday of each month at the  
Aerospace Center, 5060 Cirrus  
Dr. Medford, Join us!

### **NEXT MEETING**

**March 13, 2008**

Board of Directors will meet at  
6:30 PM



## **OUR PROGRAM**

This month our program will be provided by Paul Martin. He has achieved much in altering the display plane and its trailer. There is still much to be done before the July 4<sup>th</sup> parade. Come see what has been done and what areas still need attention. The project will be displayed in the parking lot at front of the EAA building. Remembering that it is March, bring a jacket, as part of our program is outside.

## **FROM THE LEFT SEAT**

Paul Martin has made progress on the modified VariEze, and Doug Dunn has assembled a trailer for the modified VariEze. The combination is going to make a great modified entry for the Central Point 4th of July parade. Paul will be showing the VariEze at our meeting this month. Be sure to wear warm clothes as we will have to have to view it outside.

Linda Ross has asked Don Karpen to organize the FAA Safety Seminar on April 23rd, but we will be providing all the support activities such as cookies and coffee, etc. Linda has done a great job organizing the seminar for several years for which we are very grateful. She, like many of us, sometimes find ourselves in overload. We do appreciate what you've done, Linda.

The EAA B-17 will be here this May. The aircraft and ground crew will arrive on the 12th for a media flight at 1:00, it will be open to the public on the 13th and 14th, then depart for Hillsboro on the 15th. Twenty three people have offered to help, but we can still use more.

The Jet Center North Air Festival is scheduled for the 7th and 8th of June. We have been asked to have our Link Trainer there. In the past we have done very well with donations. They have usually covered the expenses of upkeep for the trainer. We will also have our VeriEze there.

The big event of the year, in my opinion, will be the Medford Air Service open house on September 27th and 28th. The theme for this year is "Accent on the Future." This covers an appeal to the young people to become interested in aviation and space flight. There is room on the ramp for about 50 aircraft, a good share from local owners. Flour bombing, spot landings, tethered hot air balloon rides, airplane and helicopter rides, etc., etc., etc. will be part of the program. The annual NW Regional of the American Society of Aviation Artists will be held in conjunction with the open house. Also, the Chapter 319 youth art show results will be on display along with an exhibit of aviation photography.

All of the above will be useful for EAA publicity. We want to reach out to the many people who are interested in aviation, but who don't even know that our chapter exists. They will soon know.

Keep 'em flying,  
Art Lumley, President

## FROM THE EDITOR

Dues are Due. Still only \$20. per individual or \$30. for a family membership. Please make your checks out to 'EAA 319' and bring them to the meeting on March 13<sup>th</sup>. If you cannot make the meeting please send your checks to Joan at the address below.

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We invite all of our readers to submit letters to the [editor@eaa319](mailto:editor@eaa319). We also solicit articles that are both timely and relate to general aviation. Photos relating to the article may also be published.

Please submit your articles or letters to the editor at least two weeks before the monthly meeting. Remember the Newsletter deadline is two weeks before our monthly meeting.

**Deadline for the April Newsletter is March 31, 2008**  
[Editor@eaa319.org](mailto:Editor@eaa319.org)

Doug Dunn, Editor

## Calendar

**March 13<sup>th</sup> EAA meeting at CAP hangar**

**April 23: FAA Safety Seminar**

**May 12-15: B-17 (Open to the public 13 and 14) Helpers requested.**

**July 4: Central point parade**

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