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Regular Monthly Meeting

Dinner and a Movie

A movie under the stars, or at least under the pavilion of the Flyers' Roost, along with a succulent rotisserie chicken sounds like a perfect picnic night out. And as pilots, we should especially enjoy an aviation-themed movie. Cinema impresario Mike Sehl will be providing the entertainment, and don't be surprised if it involves the Duke. That's what's in store for PAOP members, guests, and other aviation enthusiasts on June 30.

Enjoy a half chicken, accompanied by traditional sides. Or, if you prefer, you can have a steak—grilled to your preference by your favorite chef. The price is only \$15. As always, we appreciate any appetizers, sides, or desserts you would like to bring. Generally we enjoy a refreshing beverage and fellowship as we gather, starting around 1800, with dinner starting about 1830.

At 1930, we'll have a special recognition ceremony to honor the volunteers who made the recent Boy Scout Aviation Camporee the smashing success that it was. Then, it's movie time. Maybe there will even be popcorn.

Reservations are important. Please R.S.V.P. to Gene Poppel (610-647-1332 or genepoppel@comcast.net) by Tuesday, June 28. We also need helpers to wipe the dust off the picnic tables, set up the bar, set up the food station, make coffee...the list goes on and on.

Flyout

Grass on our wheels, crabs on the table

One of the highlights of the summer flyout season is a flight to Kentmorr in Stevensville,

MD for a bayside crab lunch. It's grass field adventure. Of course, the flight is always dependent on the mowing and mud status of the grass field. On June 26 we'll exercise those rusty(?) soft field/short field takeoff and landing skills at 3W3 on our way to the Kentmorr Marina restaurant. It serves varied tastes, even for cheeseburger lovers, but the big attraction is things that scuttle around the bottom of the Bay with a bad attitude. The spicy steamed Maryland blue crab, with the meat picked by your own hand, is a specialty. There are also outstanding crab cakes. Start off with a salad, or with Maryland crab soup, and finish with their wide selection of dessert specialties.

Kentmorr Marina, a residential airpark development on Kent Island, MD, features an airport, a beach, and the restaurant. At the restaurant we can enjoy comfortable, air-conditioned indoor service or an outdoor deck. Check it out at www.kentmorr.com.

The restaurant is just a short walk from our flight destination at Kentmorr Airpark (3W3), on the Eastern Shore's Kent Island, a few miles south of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge. This delightful spot is served by a 2,400 foot (displaced thresholds make it 2,200 feet for landing), well-tended grass airport. On the likely warm day, you will want to be current on density altitude, and on short and soft field procedures. We'll be in contact with the airport manager and checking NOTAMs for a last minute update on the condition of the field.

Take a look at www.3w3.us for airport details, including local procedures (the Washington Special Flight Rules Area is nearby) and photos of some PAOP planes on a past visit. It's an easy trip down the east side of the Bay. However, you must not stray across the bay,

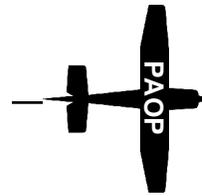
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lest you get a close-up view of some Coast Guard helicopters. **IMPORTANT** As this flight takes you within 60 nm of the DCA VORTAC, pilots are required to have taken the special online course, available on the FAA web site.

We'll gather at Penn Airways at 1030 for 1100 takeoff to arrive in time for lunch. All are welcome—introduce a friend to the fun of general aviation. Contact Tim Drager at 484-999-0060 or tdrager@yahoo.com to let him know you're coming, if you want a ride, or have an available seat in your plane.

From the Prez

How we make people feel by Tim Drager
I recently attended my son Joey's high school graduation ceremony. The Salutatorian gave a speech that cut to the core of life: What defines us?

We are not a number, an airplane, airspeed, or altitude. We are not a bank account, type of vehicle, house, a label, education or career. These things are useful tools that fullfill our lives.

However, we ARE how we make people feel. The feeling of connection we have with others and how we are perceived by others is the most important thing in life. Helping others by welcoming a diversity of opinions and taking the time to listen are key.

Actively participating in PAOP activities gives us a chance to share in the awe-inspiring realm of aviation and make people feel excited about the past, present and future of exploring the universe.

Tim Drager



We are pleased my son Joey graduated from Pottsgrove High, setting a course to the future. Don't worry, that ugly hat is from Oshkosh.

Board Minutes

PAOP Executive Board

June 1, 2016

Attendees: Tim Drager, John Green, Gene Poppel, Bob Nesspor, Barbara Zeigler, Dennis Galvin

Minutes from April 27, 2016, meeting were read. Motion made and carried to approve the minutes.

Treasurer Report: May 2016

Starting balance	\$7,082.51
Expenses	\$ -429.91
Income	\$1,504.55
Ending Balance	\$8,157.15
Gain (Loss)	\$1,074.64

Motion made and carried to accept the report.

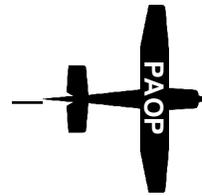
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Monthly dinner netted ~ \$260.

Old Business:

- Mike Sehl and Gene Poppel to work on combining mailing lists as we currently have several members on different email lists. DUE 3/2/16
 - Making progress in combining lists, including culling the Yahoo News group list
- John Green working on formatting address list into booklet form. Reformatted into Excel, next step to reformat into mailing lists, then into booklet form. DONE Create booklet DUE 6/1/16
 - John Green to provide logo to Gene for use in laying out the cover page for the booklet. OPEN
- Following or changing Constitution and By-Laws: Suggestions for changes should be submitted to Gene Poppel.
 - A few suggestions have already been submitted.
- General discussion on replacing concrete under the pavilion.
- Next month's meeting we will vote for priorities on the TASK LIST
- Discussion on replacing Yahoo Groups with Google Groups as a better method of reaching out on social media. Gene to find out more on using Google Groups.
- Discussion on the use of Roost facilities by the group sponsoring the Saucony Mile run down the runway. Tim to talk to Penn Airways over use of the facilities we lease from Penn Airways

and the need for notification to PAOP prior to the use of the facilities.

- Gene has set up a calendar of events using Google Calendar. He will share the calendar login information with the board.
- Gene Poppel spoke with the insurance agent, Charlie Bilelli. It would cost about ~ \$600 annually to get additional liability insurance for airplane event coverage. We are targeting getting the coverage before the Gyro Fly-In in August. Tim Drager to talk to C. Jordan regarding integrating our insurance with the Penn Airways policy.

New Business:

- Recap of Aviation Camporee: 300 people attended. Mostly positive feedback, except for the number of porta-potties. Discussion on holding the event again next year and allow for up to 350 scouts. The time frame seemed to work, but we need to ensure it does not conflict with the 99s Pennies-a-Pound event.
- Recap of May 26 meeting: A success by all accounts. Tim sent a thank you letter to Bill Van Artsdalen.
- EAA using the facilities on June 11th.
- Plan for June 30 meeting: Dinner and a movie, possibly a John Wayne flying movie.
- July dinner...Open mike with flying stories by members.
- June 26th Fly-Out to Kentmoor (3W3) 10:00 meet for a 10:30 launch.

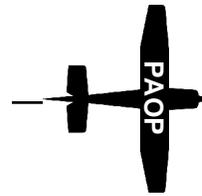
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- Gyro copter Fly-In to charge \$10/tent space and donate the money to PAOP.
- Long range plan for Fly-In Breakfast: Laura beginning to research cooperative efforts with local businesses and restaurants on purchasing and storing food for the event.
- Dennis gave a presentation on logo stickers and magnets he priced for sale. Minimum order is for 60 of either stickers or magnets. Motion made and carried to order 60 magnets.
- Dennis proposed buying a propane CO mosquito trap.
- John saw a griddle just like we bought last year at Lowe's for \$300.

Motion made and carried to adjourn at

Respectfully submitted,

John Green

From Mike

Flying And Carrying, continued

This is a continuation and ends the article from the May 2016 PAOP Newsletter. The Article is intended to be informational to our flying members and public, and is written by Mike Sehl for that purpose.

It is sad that at the time of this newlsetter, the Country is still reeling from the criminal act of one individual in Orlando Florida. We all grieve for the victims of this senseless act.

Below is the black letter of the Federal Act to protect individuals from the interference by law enforcement in certain states from infringing on constitutional rights. Consult

with your attorney for it's meaning and the required measures to insure it applies to you.

“18 USC§926A. Interstate transportation of firearms

Notwithstanding any other provision of any law or any rule or regulation of a State or any political subdivision thereof, any person who is not otherwise prohibited by this chapter from transporting, shipping, or receiving a firearm shall be entitled to transport a firearm for any lawful purpose from any place where he may lawfully possess and carry such firearm to any other place where he may lawfully possess and carry such firearm if, during such transportation the firearm is unloaded, and neither the firearm nor any ammunition being transported is readily accessible or is directly accessible from the passenger compartment of such transporting vehicle: *Provided*, That in the case of a vehicle without a compartment separate from the driver's compartment the firearm or ammunition shall be contained in a locked container other than the glove compartment or console. (Added Pub. L. 99-360, §1(a), July 8, 1986, 100 Stat. 766.)”



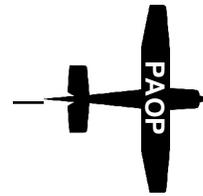
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At the Movies

Mike has selected the first Aviation Movie for showing at the June Dinner. “*Only Angels Have Wings* is a 1939 American [drama film](#) directed by [Howard Hawks](#), and starring [Cary Grant](#) and [Jean Arthur](#), based on a story written by Hawks. The film also marked the first major screen appearance of [Rita Hayworth](#). It is generally regarded as being among Hawks' finest films, particularly in its portrayal of the professionalism of the pilots of the film, its atmosphere, and the flying sequences.*”The Movie involves Old Airplanes Flying in and out of IMC. It is a love story, It shows rugged pilots with sidearms flying dangerous loads, drinking and living in the mountains of a South American Country. How can you roll all of that into one Movie? Well, It was nominated for two Oscars, Best Cinematography and Best Special Effects. So, Join Geoff, Dutchy, Bonnie Lee, Judy, Bat, Tim and Mike for a fun flying event at the Roost.

Quiz at the end of the film: 1. How many movie stars can you name (who)?, 2. What Airplanes can you identify (name)?, How many airplanes crash in the film?, Does the girl get the guy?

* description in quotes taken from Wikipedia.



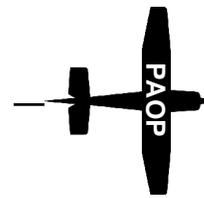
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Tentative 2016 PAOP Event Calendar

Date	Event	Comment
1/6/16	Board Meeting	
1/28/16	ANNUAL Meeting (Including Elections & Speaker)	Copperfield Inn at Lakeside
1/31/16	Flyout— Millville (KMIV) Brunch	
2/3/16	Board Meeting	
2/25/16	Monthly Meeting	Copperfield Inn at Lakeside
2/28/16	Flyout— Sky Manor, Pittstown.NJ (N40)	Brunch
3/2/16	Board Meeting	
3/20/16	Flyout—Smoketown, PA (S37)	Breakfast and Old Plane Collection
3/31/16	Monthly Meeting	Copperfield Inn at Lakeside
4/6/16	Board Meeting	
4/??/16	Cleanup	Roost 9AM
4/24/16	Flyout— Sky Acres Millbrook, NJ (44N)	Brunch
4/23/16	Monthly Meeting	AOPA Presentation
5/4/16	Board Meeting	
5/13-15/16	Scouts at PTW	Roost
5/21-22/16	99's Pennies a Pound at PTW	
5/26/16	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Steak
5/28/16 (Sat)	Flyout— Grimes, Bethel, PA (8N1)	Golden Age Museum
6/1/16	Board Meeting	
6/26/16	Flyout— Kentmorr Marina, Stevensville, MD (3W3)	Crabs!
6/30/16	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Chicken*
7/6/16	Board Meeting	
7/28/16	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Steak
7/31/16	Flyout— St. Michaels, MD (Fly to Easton, MD)	Lunch and Maritime Museum
8/3/16	Board Meeting	
8/25/16	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	
8/28/16	Flyout— Massey Aerodrome, Massey, MD (MD1)	Massey Air Museum
9/7/16	Board Meeting	
9/11/16*	Annual Fly-In/Drive-In Breakfast	
9/25/16	Flyout—Sullivan County, Monticello, NY (KMSV)	Brunch at the New Restaurant
9/29/16	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Lobster (and optional steak)
10/5/16	Board Meeting	
10/27/16	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	
10/29/16 (Sat)	Flyout— Cherry Ridge, Honesdale, PA (N30)	Brunch
11/2/16	Board Meeting	
11/27/16	Flyout— South Jersey Regional, Mt. Holly, NJ (KVAY)	Brunch and Air Victory Museum
11/17/16	Monthly Meeting	
12/7/16	Board Meeting	New Slate of Officers
12/29/16	Monthly Meeting – Christmas Party	Cuttilos
12/18/16	Flyout— Frederick, MD (KFDK)	
1/4/17	Board Meeting	New Slate of Officers
1/26/17	Monthly Meeting	Copperfield Inn at Lakeside
1/29/17	Flyout— Greenwood Lake, West Milford, NJ (4N1)	Brunch and a visit to a Constellation

* Steak is also available at these meeting

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