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#### 2015 CALENDAR

August 28, 2015	Fly in Drive In Movie night – Elkhart Airport
September 10, 2015	RC Event
September 10, 2015	Chapter Board Meeting 7:00 PM
September 24, 2015	Chapter Meeting 6:30 PM - Marty King speaking
September 26, 2015	Young Eagles
October 03, 2015	Warbird Event
October 08, 2015	Chapter Board Meeting 7:00 PM
October 29, 2015	Chapter Meeting 6:30 PM - Sam Heeter, at the City Hanger (Blue Hanger)
November 12, 2015	Chapter Board Meeting 7:00 PM
December 05, 2015	EAA Christmas Party
January 01, 2016	Nappanee Hanger Over Party

*Saturday Morning: The EAA Kitchen will reopen on September 5, 2015. We will be asking for help in the kitchen, doing some of the breakfasts and help with the cooking. I have a schedule made out for you to sign up for a Saturday to cook. If everyone takes their turn and share the load then a couple of people won't have to do it all. There will be a list of what has to be done, but YOU can make up your own Menu of what you want to fix. PLEASE HELP US OUT. Let me know which Saturday you would like.*

*Notes of Interest:*  
MOVIE NIGHT  
ELKHART AIRPORT

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Board Meeting 8/13/15

Jerry, Vic, Jim, Cindy, Doug, Ted, Eleanor, Steve, Karen, Don

Meeting called to order by Ted at 7:00.

Doug discussed the September Young Eagles event. He is continuing to work with Andy on logistics and how best to make use of assets provided by both the airport and the city of Elkhart.

Hanger Lease; Sam has been paid and is up to date. We would like to finalize the new lease before the next city election. Jerry has agreed to get with Andy to hammer out the details. Doug agreed to assist.

Our October membership meeting program will be provided by Sam Heater who will give a FAAST seminar. The public will be invited and instead of our normal pre-meeting meal Jim & Cindy will bring snacks for all to enjoy.

Our Chapter House is in need of some tender loving care. Both exterior signs need repainted; the grass needs cut and the bushes trimmed. Any and all help with these tasks would be greatly appreciated.

Our original plan was and still is to start the Saturday morning breakfasts back up in September. However, we still need the members to step up and volunteer to prep, cook and clean up afterwards. A sign up sheet will be posted at the upcoming Duck picnic to start the ball rolling. If the members wish to keep this Saturday morning tradition going we will all need to chip in and each take on a couple of Saturdays.

We have a great Chapter with lots of great Members. If everyone would chip in just a little of their time we can make great things happen. Please consider what you can do to contribute to your Chapter.

The meeting was adjourned to Culvers where we discussed how the country should be run. Ice Cream and politics; see what you're missing.

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Board Meetings: **2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month**

Building Meetings: **Thursdays at 7:00 at the Hangar**

Regular Meetings: **Last Thursday of the month unless  
Other Plans are made  
7:00 PM at Chapter House Chapter**

**GUESTS AND NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME**

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