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MEMBERSHIP MEETING CHANGED TO 4th WEDNESDAYS

MEETING NOTICE-September and August membership meetings will be held on fourth Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. at the hangar. When the airshow season ends we'll consider Saturdays.

A BIG SUCCESS *Wings of Victory Airshow*

The airshow was a success in terms of the show for the public and also as a financial success. All the bills are not in but at this time the squadron will make in the neighborhood of \$20,000.00. This is the first time the show actually made money. That is what we've needed to grow the organization and to do the things that we have been hoping to do.

This was the first year that we sold water and ice cream and that was a contributing factor to our financial success.



BIG THANKS TO Fred Kaiser who is this month's newsletter sponsor. This kind of help from generous members helps the Squadron succeed.

THANKS FRED.

If you'd like to sponsor a newsletter call Bob at 614-846-2876. It's only \$65 and will allow you to dedicate the issue to family or friend.

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However all of this depended on the many volunteers who made it possible. There is no way of thanking those who contributed so much hard work. They were marvelous and gave everything they could for no pay. We are very indebted to their efforts.

A spectacular array of aircraft were featured at the show along with the military encampments and parachute demonstrations. The crowds seemed pleased with all of the activity available for their enjoyment.

Bob and Bruce along with the two other A-6 pilots put on a fantastic show for the spectators with their aerial demonstrations of precision flying formations and smoke demonstrations. We had good media coverage. Everyone is looking forward to next years show. Incidentally we are already at work booking planes for next year.

Last but not least we all owe a big thanks to the show committee who spent endless hours and days putting the show together.

DON'T FORGET THE GAHANNA FLEA MARKET Call Diane McDaniel to make arrangements for donated items and to sign-up and to volunteer. 614- 885-2122. LET'S CONTINUE OUR RECORD BREAKING YEAR !

SPECIAL THANKS TO MIKE LORENZI Mike sold one of the radials for us and thus increased our treasury. Thanks Mike.

IN MEMORIAM - THE HISTORICAL AIRCRAFT SQUADRON sends it's sympathies to Steve Clapper and family upon the recent passing of Steve's father.

As the days

WINGS OF VICTORY AIRSHOW



WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

Robert W. Barnett, Guylyn J. John" Bowling, Ted Cook, Matt Kiefer, Jim Loudenslager, Peggy Loudenslager, Mark A. Martin, Neil E. Paulus, Scott D. Rochardson, Warren Roberts, Don Swick, Robert G. Wilkins.

RENEWALS: Jim Gordon, Michael Japack, Dan Krumlauf.

Left- Diane and Robb working the booths . Right- Bob and Bruce turn into the south end of Buckeye lake for a low level pass over the water for a 5 plane formation as photographers click away. Look for some spectacular photos in aviation publications in the future. All together there were 7 planes in the groupe before returning to the airshow to perform for the show. photos- B. DeLay

Below= A-26 from North Carolina. Right HAS member Bruce Bridzinski navigates on the TBM Avenger. Photo- Bob DeLay



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GO RECRUIT A NEW MEMBER !!
Campaign for new members !!!!

Thanks for your continued support.
NOTE: without paid dues the newsletter will not continue to you.

HANGAR DANCE IS SATURDAY SEPT. 21 AT 7:00pm

2nd Annual Hangar dance is planned for Saturday Sept. 21 7pm to 11pm. Again featuring the Steve Samuelson Band. Tickets to the dance includes a light buffet dinner. All tickets must be purchased in advance by contacting Kathy Ridgeway at 614-899-9690. \$40 per couple. Mark your calendar and call Kathy now. **TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE**



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ATTENTION

PX Schedule to date

Volunteers needed to work at the Squadron tables at other airshows. Call Kathy Ridgeway 614-899-9690. All shows are 9 a.m. through 5 p.m. Sat. and 9 a.m. through 4 p.m. Sun.

Indianapolis Airshow 2002 at Mt. Comfort airport. Gathering of Corsairs-sponsored by Chance Vought Alumnae Sept. 7,8 Set up Fri. the 6th H.A.S. PX 16 Corsairs scheduled to date.

Gananna Flea Market Sept. 15 starts 9 am to 5 pm. H.A.S. PX call Diane with donations.

Mark your calendar for October 14th to attend a County Planning commission meeting at our hangar to discuss zoning which could adversely affect airport operations and HAS.

Other shows with no PX participation Cinn. Airshow 2002 Sept. 21-22
Toledo Air Show Sept. 7-8 Toledo Airport Blue Angels

New date is Sept. 21st 2002 for the Hangar Dance. 7pm to 11pm

NEXT YEARS WINGS OF VICTORY AIRSHOW AUGUST 16,17, 2003

NEXT YEAR'S HANGAR DANCE SEPTEMBER 20, 2003



This Month in History

September 2, 1910- First American woman pilot, Blance Scott,, soloed over Keuka Lake front field of the Curtiss Company, Hammondsport, N.Y., but did not receive an FAI certificate.

Sept. 23,1911 Earle Ovington became America's first airmail carrier. Was named airmail pilot number 1.

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