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**MEETING NOTICE!**

**October 2009**

EAA Chapter 919 Monthly Meeting. 10-09-09 at 7:00 PM at the Rushford Airport (55Y).

**FAA PRIVATE PILOT QUESTION OF THE MONTH....**

\* = 2009 Paid

\* = 2010 Paid

Membership (single or family!)  
(\$15.00 annually)

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With respect to the certification of airmen, which is a category of aircraft?

**A:** Single Engine Land & Sea, Multi Engine Land & Sea.

**B:** Airplane, Rotor-Craft, Glider, Lighter Than Air.

**C:** Gyroplane, Helicopter, Airship, Free Balloon.

(Answer is on the next page...)

**What aircraft is this?**



# THE BUSINESS PAGE

## Thanks Keith!

At the Annual Hot Dog Social held at the "Hangar 8 Company" we were pleased to have two special guests. Winona Councilwoman Deb White and Airport Manager Keith Nelson.

EAA 919 pilot Walt Kelly took Ms. White up for a nice evening flight around the Winona area and then later, Mr. Nelson was our guest speaker.

Keith spoke of the upcoming airport improvements, one of them being the construction of a new six unit hangar!

This is the third year that Keith has been our guest speaker at the Hot Dog Social and it is great. Keith gets to hear of our (EAA 919's) questions and suggestions while we all get to hear what projects have been approved, put on hold, or cancelled.

I hope that we continue to have a good turn-out at this event and I further hope that Keith will meet with the EAA 919 group annually so that this strong relationship between him, the City of Winona, and EAA 919 continues to grow!

## "DUES ARE DUE!!!"

The 2010 dues are now due. Just \$15.00 gets you a membership into this outstanding and very active EAA chapter!

This chapter holds events such as it's annual Chili Feed, the Rushford Days Fly-In, the Fall Color PPC/Experimental Fly-In, Poker Runs, Young Eagles events, and much, much more! Your \$15.00 membership also helps to cover the costs of this monthly newsletter!

Any \$15.00 dues received now will be for 2010 so come on...**HELP OUT EAA 919 NOW!** Oh, and by the way...your \$15.00 is considered a family membership!

Please send your membership dues to:

**EAA 919 Treasurer Helen Marsolek,  
1176 West 5th. Street, Winona, MN  
55987**

Thanks in advance for your help!



The correct answer to the **QUESTION OF THE MONTH** is "B"

## Winona MN. Weather Almanac.

October average high temp 61°. October average low 42°. Record High 93° in 1997. Record Low 13° in 1972.



# Congratulations!



Congratulations are in store for Lowell Finseth and Mike Thern. Both of these EAA 919 pilots just obtained their Seaplane ratings!

I might need to start looking for a set of Puddle Jumpers now too!



## **RUNWAY SAFETY TIP NOTICE NUMBER: NOTC1879**

When landing at night, remember that aircraft holding on an active runway are very difficult for approaching aircraft to see. Research has shown that even large aircraft holding on a runway may not be seen by an approaching pilot until he or she is on very short final. Sometimes the only cue is the "missing" runway lights located under the holding aircraft. Always perform a final runway scan to insure your landing runway is clear.

## *A New Young Eagle!*



On Sept 4th 2009, Mariah McCorquodale earned her Young Eagles Certificate. "Grandfather" Dave McCorquodale was the pilot that took her up in his Esqual aircraft. And if the smile is any indication, she really loved the flight! This is really what it is all about!

Congratulations Mariah!



# The 7th Annual PPC / Experimental Aircraft Fall Color Fly-In!



**When:** October 9th, 10th and 11th. 2009.

**Where:** Rushford MN Airport (55Y).

**Contact:** Russell Marsolek at 507-452-6888.

**Events:** Breakfast Saturday morning, and a Taco Bar Saturday evening. Games (Spot Landings and more) during the day on Saturday. PPC'ers will start either early or later due to the breezes! Local Cross-Country flights will be scheduled too!



The fall colors here in SE Minnesota should be at "peak" that weekend! Plenty of colors to see as you fly around in an area of the state that is truly, "God's Country"! Oh, by the way...camp right at the airport too!

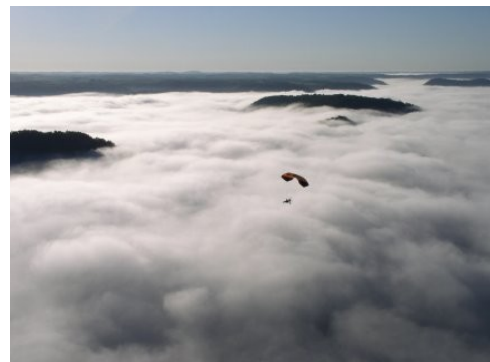


Cool crisp air, a wonderful little airport, and great friendships abound! Not to mention a big...no let me make that HUGE bon-fire on Saturday night!



This year we continue to include an invitation to experimental aircraft to the normal PPC's that arrive also. The more the merrier!

And "55Y" is just 2 miles from the famous Root River Bike Trail. So bring your bikes as well. Perfect for an afternoon ride with the family!



Hope to see you all here, **AND DON'T FORGET THE CAMERAS!!!!**