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The EAA Chapter of Modern Explorers

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**Next regular membership meeting is
February 2nd**

Membership meeting at 7 pm.

Social hour starts at 6 pm.

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EAA Chapter 1093 members:

Our Chapter has awarded many Scholarships in the past for flight training and/or ground school and we plan to continue to do so in 2012. A member may nominate anyone, any age, to receive a Scholarship for primary training or advanced training. Attached is the form to do this plus the form to be given to the person(s) you have nominated. The deadline for applications is March 31, 2012.

Scholarship Committee
Dot Hornsby, Chr.
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Courtesy Car?



A number of years ago, someone wanted to donate a van to the airport for use as a courtesy car. The offer was declined by the City. That was very unfortunate because a courtesy car is very important to any active successful airport. Over 5 years ago we placed our own minivan into service as a courtesy car. It is tired, but has served faithfully. Now it has a loud knock in the engine, and we are worried that it is not trustworthy to send visitors out in. We are looking for a reliable inexpensive vehicle. Perhaps someone has one that they would like to donate? Perhaps someone knows of a reliable vehicle that we could purchase for very low cost. If you have any ideas, please contact JT or Janine at the airport terminal office, 835-3231.

The Flight Surgeon

This time of year we frequently need to “self-treat” symptoms with over the counter (OTC) medications due to colds, flu or even the remains of seasonal allergies. Most of us know that many of these medications can cause drowsiness. The most common “relief” medication is Benadryl which is an antihistamine. It is often forgotten that the effects of this drug can last 4 hours and can take over 8 hours to get half of it out of your system. It is always best to wait till all the symptoms are gone and you have been off the OTC’s for at least 24 hours before flying. Fly safe!

Gregory Pinnell, MD
Senior AME/Flight Surgeon USAFR
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Michigan Ultralights

Many of our fellow 1093 Chapter members also enjoy other forms of aviation such as ballooning, RC modeling and Ultralight aviation. Malcolm Brubaker invites all 1093 chapter members to view the local ultralight chapter newsletter “*Flying Wires*”. Their newsletter can be read at:

WWW.MICHIGANULTRALIGHT.COM

Classifieds

Please submit your ads by the 24th of each month. You can reach me at:

jcsorg@att.net or 989-941-7704

If you have anything you would like included in the next newsletter, please get it to me by the 25 of the month to ensure it will be included. Please note, my new e-mail address is: jcsorg@att.net

Reoccurring chapter events

- First Thursday of each month is the regular membership meeting at 7 pm. Social hour starts at 6 pm.
- Second Saturday of each month is Young Eagles flights starting at 9am.

About our chapter

The Midland Chapter 1093 was organized in 1995 and presently has approximately 80 members. As a chapter, we support homebuilding, aviation in general and, a special emphasis on aviation education.

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