

**Experimental Aircraft Association
Chapter 701 – Mansfield, Massachusetts**



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Newsletter**

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Secretary's Report *by Barbara Beech*

EAA Chapter 701 Meeting Notes – Friday, August 18, 2006

- A cook-out was enjoyed by the members prior to the meeting.
- The meeting was brought to order at 7:30pm by President Mike Vidal with 21 members in attendance.
- The July minutes were accepted as published in the August Newsletter.
- The Treasurer's report was accepted as read by Treasurer Joe Kelly.
- Tony Correia presented the July Airport Commission Meeting Notes:
 - The Commission discussed a change from gas heat to oil heat for the main building.
 - The repair or replacement of the electric box for the trailer was discussed. Paul LaFratta is in the process of making the repair.
 - The Commission requested that drivers using the gate for entry wait beyond the gate for it to close behind them before proceeding further onto the airport grounds.
- Mike Vidal showed members the new sign for the trailer, which will be attached to the building soon.
- Fly-In Chairman Doug Mowry discussed the arrangements for the Fly-In. Doug has notified the Atlantic Flyer, EAA Chapters and has posted notices in most of the area airports. Al and Edna Meserve plan to distribute notices to airports also.
Fly-In assignments include:
 - Dale Fox will be in charge of food. Home baked goodies such as brownies, cookies, etc. are needed. Please wrap them in plastic or baggies. Avoid items that will melt in the sun.
 - Tony Correia will be in charge of the sound system.

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2006 Fly-In – 'Teaser'

The 2006 Fly-In was a resounding success with dozens of aircraft and hundreds of people attending.

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO VOLUNTEERED!

The particulars will be documented in the October newsletter, but below you will find a teaser of pictures from this year's event to hold you until next month's issue:



Notes of Interest:

- To obtain a replacement sealed in plastic copy of your **pilot's license**, go to:
http://www.faa.gov/licenses_certificates/airmen_certification/airmen_services/
For a \$2 charge, they will mail you a permanent (almost) replacement.
- To have your handheld radio battery pack rebuilt with new increased capacity NiMH battery's instead of Nicads, send to **PRIME CELL, 9343 US Rte 220, Bedford, PA 15522. Cost about \$32. Works with old charger, too.**

Thanks Jim!

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NO SEPTEMBER MEETING!!!

There will not be a regular chapter meeting for September.

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on Friday, October 20th. Details will be include in next month's newsletter.