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EAA VINTAGE CHAPTER 37

Dear Chapter 37 Member:

November 10, 2009

October 18th was our annual Chili Fest at the club house and we were blessed with fine flying weather, lots of good Chili, and an excellent turnout of members. I counted at least 8 or 9 planes on the flight line in front of the hangar. It was great to see the clubhouse full of people enjoying time together and to listen to the talk around the planes in the hangar and on the flight line.

Progress on the addition to the hangar was also very evident and Geoff has organized two or three work weekends since the Chili Fest. Progress is steady and encouraging. Thanks very much to the volunteers who are pushing this big job forward to completion. Think how good it is going to be to not have to use the porta-john out back in mid-winter!

This Month's Meeting – Aging Aircraft Update by Phil Riter

Chapter 37 technical advisor, Phil Riter, will present an update on current developments and ongoing issues in the area of maintaining our vintage aircraft in flightworthy status. This is a focus area for EAA and VAA, and is, of course, of special interest to us vintage enthusiasts. Come on out to our meeting for an update on the care and upkeep of Aging Aircraft.

Note that due to the Thanksgiving holiday being on the fourth Thursday of November we are moving our November chapter meeting to the third Thursday, November 19.

Our regular chapter get-together this month will be held at 7:00PM on Thursday, November 19th at our chapter clubhouse in Hangar A at DeKalb County Airport.

Check out our updated Chapter 37 Website at www.vaa37.org. Thank you Brad Hartz!

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Upcoming Events!

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| Nov | 19: Chapter Meeting |
| Nov | 20: Movie Night! |
| Dec | 4: Movie Night! |
| Dec | 17: Chapter Meeting |
| Dec | 18: Movie Night! |
| Jan | 28: Chapter Meeting |

Meeting Update – Come Hungry!

Our meeting this month features a presentation by Phil Riter on current developments in maintaining aging aircraft. **But not only that** - Phil and Dee are providing BBQ Pork Sandwiches, Scalloped Potatoes, and Dessert.

If you would like to bring your favorite evening snack to share, please feel free to do so.

Come on out on Thursday evening for an informative and tasty get-together!

Ballard Leins shows exemplary technique as he cranks up Brad's Champ on the VAA flight line. Brad is in command at the controls.
(Missed him again!)

