



NEWSLETTER



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Aviation Association

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First Cookout - April 20, 2024 5:30 p.m.

We will be serving pulled pork (prepared by Robert Matthews) and whatever else you wish to be adding to the menu. We are expecting 35 to 40 to attend so put the date on your calendar and join in the festivities with good food and fellowship!

MAY BOARD MEETING May 14

Our May Board Meeting will be on May 14 at 6:30 p.m. Members are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Board Meeting March 12, 2024 – by Amy Hills

Attending were Don Hughes, Vern Sullenger, Amanda Callahan, Joelene Smith, Glen Matejcek, Wilma Winings, Darrell Arnett, Amy Hills and Allison Matthews.

Treasurer – Vern – Balance in account - \$5,106.25

- Online Banking set up to deposit checks and enable reimbursements (Zelle)
- - Not to be used for dues at this time.
- Slow money in from the flight simulator. Vern made extra keys for the donation box
- Prices increased on snack cart (club was losing money)

Joelene and Amanda – ARC – Amanda Callahan (DNV) – new partner for Joelene for 2024 ARC

- Southern IL (KMDH – Carbondale to Eastern CO (2300 NM – 8 stops)
- Asking for sponsorship again (currently 3 sponsors) to cover fuel
 - - Estimating \$2,500 for fuel
 - - Approved at a \$2,500 CAP

Fly-Out to Race Start to HCAA ???

Allison to buy one FAR AIM 2024; approved to buy second if needed.

- \$15 each. (\$10.00 to ship one; \$11.50 for two)

Wilma was asked to check with Martha's Orchard about Special Dietary Needs meals.

March Board Meeting – Contd.

Dates for HCAA events were set up for the year as follows:

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| 3/16/24 | Pi Day – Pizza Pie and Pies |
| 4/9/24 | 6:30 – Board Meeting |
| 4/20/24 | 5:30 – Pulled Pork |
| 5/14/24 | 6:30 – Board Meeting |
| 5/18/24 | 5:30 – Fried and Smoked Chicken |
| 6/11/24 | 6:30 – Board Meeting |
| 6/15/24 | 5:30 - Brats, Burgers, Hot Dogs |
| 7/9/24 | 6:30 – Board Meeting – Planning for LATA |
| 8/13/24 | 6:30 – Board Meeting |
| 8/17/24 | LUNCH AT THE AIRPORT |
| 9/10/24 | 5:30 – Board Meeting |
| 9/21/24 | 6:30 – LATA leftovers (or smoked brisket if no leftovers) |
| 10/8/24 | 5:30 – Board Meeting |
| 10/19/24 | 6:30 – Chili Cook-off |
| 11/12/24 | 5:30 - Board Meeting |
| 11/16/24 | 6:30 – Pizza Party and Game Night |
| 12/6/24 | 6:00 – 7:00 – Social Hour at Martha's Orchard 7:00 – Christmas Dinner |

Recommendation – Place these dates on your calendar so you won't miss any activities!

DUES NEWS

We are still looking for checks for dues. Since the last newsletter, dues have been received from the following members: Chris Atwood, Duane Colter, Dorel Graves, Robert Graves, Allison Matthews, Marshall Mullinex and John Rothrock. If you haven't paid your dues, send your check for \$15.00 payable to HCAA, to Wilma at 2685 S County Road 300 E, Danville IN 46122.

IN MEMORY

Pattie Patrum- 5/20/33 – 2/27/24

Pattie (and Norm) joined HCAA years ago. She enjoyed our cookouts and fly outs. Although she learned to fly, she didn't take her check ride to get her license. But she was a backup pilot in case of an emergency in their Ercoupe. We will miss Pattie.

We extend our sympathy to Norm and family.



A SPECIAL PI DAY CELEBRATION !

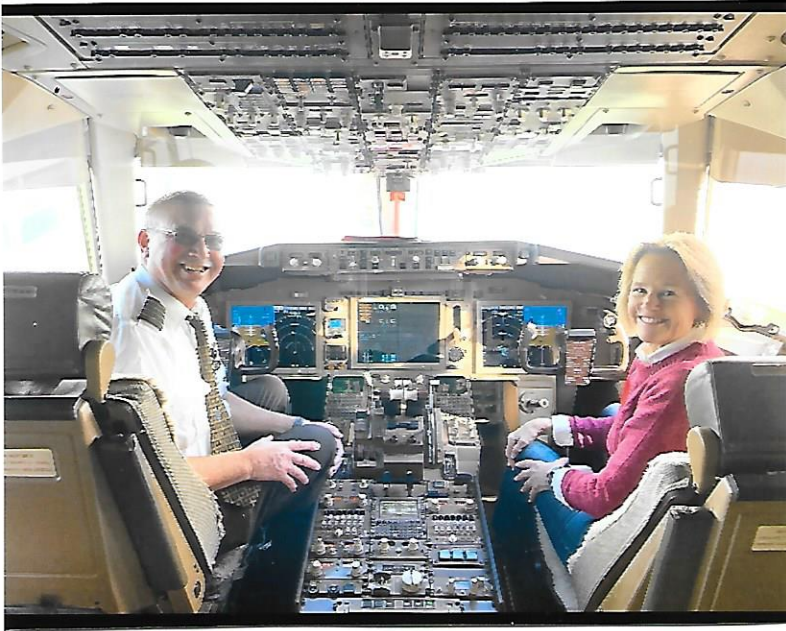
There was a roomful of pie eaters on March 16 where we enjoyed pizza pie along with several different types of dessert pies – all delicious. John picked up several pizzas. Only two small pieces were left. Photos follow.





CONGRATULATIONS CAPT. JAY PENNER

Jay (and Paula) are long-time members of HCAA. Jay obtained his private pilot license in 1979. He then pursued an instructor's license and instructed at the Speedway airport. Then he flew for several different companies and finally ended up flying for UPS for 23 years and retired from there. We wish Jay and Paula many happy years in retirement.



Captain Jay Penner
UPS 23 years
767 & 757