



45° North



Gaylord, Michigan

EAA Chapter 1095

September 2005

Possible Dayton Trip

by Phil Curtiss

Doug and Phil are starting to plan a trip down to Dayton, Ohio to see the Air Force Museum. A tentative departure is set for October 7 with a return around the 9th or 10th. If the weather is good we hope to fly, if not we will drive.

At the last meeting we voted to hold this trip on Oct.15. Since then Phil has to fly out on a business trip that day. So Doug and Phil picked the previous weekend of Oct. 7th and hope this will work for all.

Pilots, planes and passengers are invited to join us to make this a Chapter trip. We estimate we will want to spend the better part of two days at the Museum. If we fly we will want to rent a car in the area. For more information on the Museum you might want to visit its web site at <http://www.wpafb.af.mil/museum>.

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**Next Meeting
September 14, 2005
in the Chapter House
at 7:00 pm**

Elections to be Held

Election time is coming. We need to find candidates for our Chapter to serve as President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary. The officers take their offices in January and serve a two year term.

At our September meeting we should appoint a nominating committee of one or

more people to seek candidates for office. The nominating committee should

have candidates for the four offices by the November meeting. Then we can hold elections at the November meeting (we don't have a December meeting, just the Christmas Party. □

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Coming Events

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| Sep 14 | Meeting in the Chapter House at 7 pm. |
| Oct 7? | Possible trip to Air Force Museum at Dayton |
| Oct 12 | Meeting in the Chapter House at 7 pm. |
| Nov 20 | Switch to Winter Meeting schedule , the third Sunday, at 2 pm in the Terminal |



Aug. 2005 Meeting Minutes

The August 10, 2005 meeting was called to order by President Doug Hancock. Motion made by Will that minutes of last meeting be accepted as printed in the newsletter, supported by Tom. Motion carried.

Tom Lesinski presented the Treasurer's report. Our present balance is \$2,676.78. Phil moved that the report be accepted. This was supported by Louie and the motion carried.

Old business: Joe advised the pancake breakfast at East Jordan proposed for this year for the lady bikers has been cancelled. He then suggested that we put it on next year. It is scheduled for 3rd week in August, 2006. There was considerable discussion. We could possibly furnish about 10 free airplane rides. This will require future discussion.

Joe offered to buy a grill and donate it to the chapter if we would also buy one. This would give us two grills that would be capable of handling a large pancake breakfast. Louie made a motion that we buy the grill suggested by Joe. It is a CAMP CHEF, with griddle, model #SG-100. This motion was seconded by Will and the motion passed. Purchase will be handled by our treasurer Tom.

Tom proposed a corn roast to be held at his hanger on Wed, Aug 24th at 6:00 pm. Tom offered to handle the corn roast, a dish to pass would be welcome. BE THERE.

A discussion was held on a trip to Dayton, Ohio to visit the Air Force Museum. It was decided to be the weekend of Oct 14, 15 and 16, 2005. It was felt by everyone that it should take three days. This was put in form of a motion by Phil and seconded by Tom. This will be discussed more at next meeting. More information will be obtained in reference to close airports in case some will want to fly by Doug. Eight guys advised they were interested and more info will be available at next meeting.

New business: FLYING YOUNG EAGLES. Phil advised he is working on this for October 22, 2005. Will need pilots, airplanes and ground crew to help with the day. This will be finalized

Aug. 2005 Meeting Minutes

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Phil made a motion to adjourn, supported by Louie. Meeting adjourned.

JOHN HUGHES, Secretary.

Elections—continued

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To be a vibrant and growing chapter we need to include most of the membership in assuming the various chapter duties. A change of officers every so often brings new ideas, plans and activities to chapter events. Think carefully about this and bring your ideas to the September meeting.

Possible Dayton Trip

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Please consider this and bring your comments and suggestions to the September meeting. We hope to settle on plans then for the possible weather conditions.

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This is the first issue of 45° North that is being sent by both the U.S. Post Office and by email. Those of you that agreed to the email version will not receive a paper copy. You will be sent an email telling you where to find the newsletter.

This issue will be emailed to six members and postal mail to fourteen members. This is almost a \$27 annual savings.

If you wish to change your selection please call Phil Curtiss at 989.939.8715.



← **Doug Down on the Alaskan Highway**

Wendy and her pups



← **Waiting for the corn**

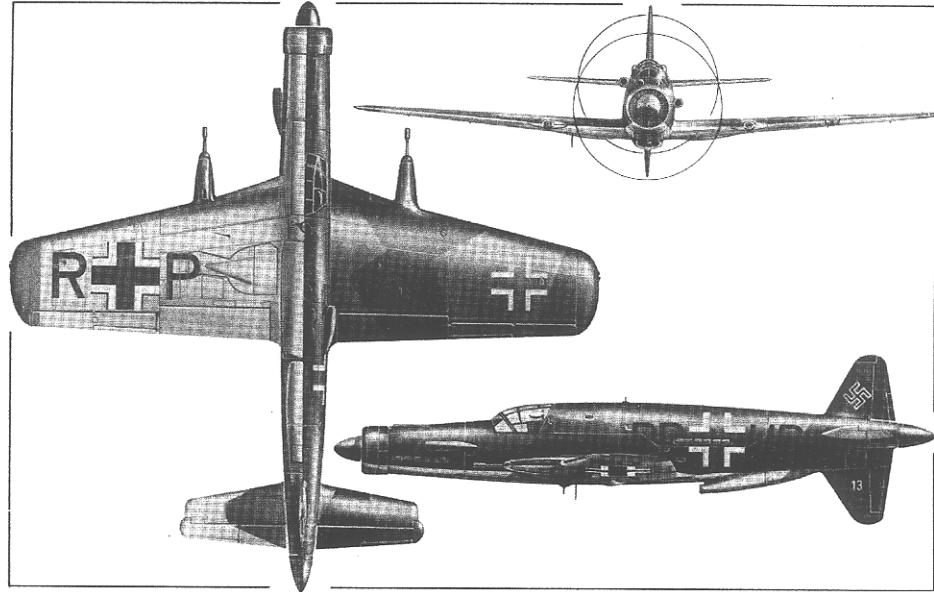
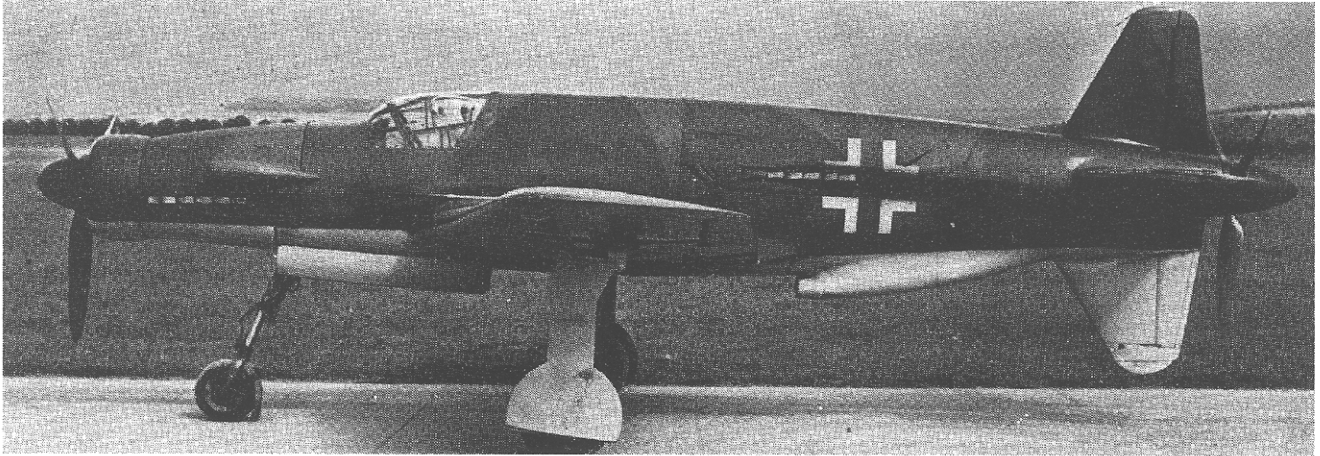
George McCutcheon receives his Distinguished Flying Cross →



Out of the Archives #12

Of course you all recognized the Kawanishi N1K2J Shiden-Kai, built in Japan and seen mostly as a home island defence aircraft. The original floatplane version was discontinued in 1943 and production of the wheeled plane finally started in late 1944. Although an outstanding plane, every bit as good as any it came up against, it was too little too late.

This month we again have an inline twin fighter plane, and again the engines were fore and aft of the cockpit. This was one of the first aircraft to incorporate an ejection seat for the pilot. Design was started in 1942 and first flown in 1943, it never reached operational status.



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