

Next Meeting Saturday, 13 May @ 9AM

General Meeting: Can you believe it's May?

Chapter Business

Our last general meeting was way back in March, and we have a lot to report about the Young Eagle events we have had since, and we'll have time to talk about all the stories about Sun' n Fun 2023!

We would also like to announce that our chapter is now officially a 501(c)(3) organization with a new name of **EAA Chapter 791 Suncoast, Inc.** Thanks to the tiresome work from Craig L. before he retired from law practice. A copy of the new by-laws can be downloaded from <u>here</u>.

Don't forget that we open the gate at 0800 for conversation and fellowship. The meeting will start at 0900 sharp. We also have a FAASTeam webinar scheduled for 1000. See details below for more information.

Young Eagles Flights



On Saturday, 15 April 2023 our Young Eagles Coordinator, John V., kicked off the 2023 YE season with 17 flights for students at River Ridge HS.

Then on Saturday, 22 April 2023 we added 18 more sorties to our count when we hosted J. W. Mitchell HS.

Thank you to all the volunteers that came out on both weekends to support John V., the pilots, and especially the Young Eagles for their interest in aviation!

Chapter Logo Survey

A couple of months ago a survey was emailed asking which logo you would like as our official EAA Chapter 791 logo. Well, the results are in, and it looks like Logo Option 3 is our winner! As you can see from the chart below, we had 26 votes and half went to #3.

1. Please select the logo you like best!



Safety Briefing: Filing an ASRS or NASA Report

For May's safety briefing, I wanted to try something different. Starting at 10AM on the morning of our general meeting, there will be a live webinar titled, *Your Aviation Safety Get Out Of Jail Free Card.* I plan to present this on the big screen at the airport for anyone interested in attending.

Learn how you can protect yourself, and how you can learn from the mistakes of others by using this program. To view further details and registration information for this webinar, <u>click here</u>.

The sponsor for this seminar is: MN FAASTeam

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Minutes of Meeting March 11, 2023

Pledge of allegiance 9:00am Moment of silence 9:01am

Secretary's Report: Motion made to stand as read. Seconded, moved.

Treasurer's Report: Total: \$2768.53 Young Eagles: \$178.78 Main: \$2589.75 Motion made to stand as read. Seconded, moved.

Young Eagles-John raised a motion to have the next Chapter meeting coincide with a Young Eagles rally.

New Business -

Old Business – Airport Picnic is on April 29th 2023. Guests / New Members 8th - next young eagles meet May 20th EAA Learn to Fly day

Old business- flight simulator. Joe Haulton will be named the Simulation Committee Chairman. John Voda is to donate a big screen for the simulator.

Sun 'n Fun: Harold reports that we still need volunteers. Reach out to volunteer. The camping site will be chosen this coming week on Wednesday at 9am.

Motion to adopted the bylaws of EAA Chapter 791 Suncoast Inc: Mike Muetzel Seconded: John Voda Yea: 21 Nea: 0 So moved.

Motion to waive 30 day notice: Marcel Belleville Seconded: Atef Hanna Yea: 21 Nea: 0 So moved.

Motion for Merger of corporations: Marcel Belleville Seconded: Atef Hanna Yea: 21 Nea: 0 So moved.

News: Craig's son will be flying a F-16 solo in a airshow North Carolina for the United States Air Force and will be flying out if anyone is interested.

Guest Speaker: Steve Carper - The Warning Areas of the Gulf of Mexico and Weapons Testing

Safety Brief: Winter Haven mid-air collision and VFR piloting Flying NORDO and the importance of keeping your eyes out of the cockpit.

Projects: Rodney is installing his avionics this weekend Steve installed his new auto pilot.

Motion to adjourn Seconded So moved 10:11a

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Chapter Location: Hidden Lake Airport (FA40) 8901 Airway Blvd New Port Richey, FL 34654 (Largest hanger at the North end of the airport)