

NEWSLETTER

April, 2011

Regular Monthly Meeting

The April Meeting will be held on <u>Friday</u> April 29, 2011 in the main hangar at KPTW. This month's meeting will feature the Pasta Dinner in addition salad and bread will be provided. Reservations are required. Call 610-495-5111 by Friday, April 22nd. Price is \$7.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children under 12. See attached poster.

As always, donations of appetizers and desserts are always appreciated.

Flyout

SPRING FLYING IN THE POCONOS

The unimposing community of Honesdale, PA actually has a part in transportation history. The Stourbridge Lion, imported from England by the Delaware and Hudson Canal Co. was the first steam locomotive to operate on a commercial railway at Honesdale, in August, 1829. While it ran just fine, it was not a commercial success, but did show the viability of a steam engine as a prime mover for transportation. We'll have a look at the Honesdale area on a springtime flight to Cherry Ridge airport (N30) on April 17. This 78 nm jaunt will take us over some of our state's most scenic areas.

The tidy restaurant overlooks the runway, and serves up a tasty breakfast or savory lunch.

Practice up on your short field takeoffs—while the runway is 2,420 feet long, the elevation is 1,357 feet, so you might have to think about density altitude, especially if we get one of those warm, spring days.

We'll gather at Penn Airways at 0930 for 1000 takeoff. Take a non-pilot or a student along, for an introduction to the world of general aviation—the fun and camaraderie. Contact Gene Poppel (610-647-1332 or genepoppel@comcast.net) and let him know if you'll need a ride or have a seat available in your plane.

Spring Raffle

The club is holding a Spring Raffle with a new Apple iPad2 as First Prize, second prize is a Kindle. Tickets are \$5 each of 5 for \$20. The drawing will be held on Saturday, May 14. Tickets are available from the Treasurer. Call Winnie at 610-495-5111.

PAOP Shirts

The club is selling sweatshirts and polo shirts with the club logo embroidered on them. An order form is attached.

Community Airport Day

Save the Date. May 14, 2011. In conjunction with the 99's Pennies a Pound, the airport will hold a Community Airport Day at Heritage Field (KPTW) from 10:00am-2:00pm. We will have free food, music, MedEvac Helicopter, Limerick Fire Co., Aircraft (both old and new) on display, Antique Cars, PECO Energy etc. Come out and have some fun.

New Member

Congratulations go out to our newest member, Alex Butts who recently soloed at PTW.

Upcoming Local Events

"2011 National Safety Stand Down"

This year's FAASTeam Safety Stand Down focuses on four areas that account for the majority of general aviation fatal accidents:

- -- Positive Flight Attitude: Keeping Your Standards High
- -- Going Beyond Preflight: Perfecting Your Preflight Inspection
- -- Enroute Cruise: Are You On Cruise Control
- -- Maneuvering Flight: Slow, Steady and Sure Topic: Accident Causal Factors

On Saturday, April 16, 2011 at 10:00 AM Location:

Aero Ways, Inc. New Castle County Airport 131 North Dupont Highway New Castle, DE 19720

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2011 PAOP Event Calendar

Date	Event	Program
1/4/11	Board Meeting	
1/27/11	Monthly Meeting	
1/30/11	Flyout—Lincoln Park, NJ (N07)	Brunch
2/1/11	Board Meeting	
2/24/11	Monthly Meeting	
2/27/11	Flyout—Sussex County (KGED)	Brunch
3/1/11	Board Meeting	
3/27/11	Flyout—Sky Acres (44N)	Brunch
3/31/11	Monthly Meeting	
4/5/11	Board Meeting	
4/17/11	Flyout-Cherry Ridge (N30)	Brunch
4/29/11	Monthly Meeting Friday- April 29, 2011	Spaghetti Dinner
5/3/11	Board Meeting	
5/14-15/11	99s Penny a Pound/ Aviation Days at KPTW	
5/26/11	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Hot Dogs and Hamburgers
5/29/11	Flyout-Windsor Locks, CT (KBDL)	New England Air Museum
6/7/11	Board Meeting	-
6/26/11	Flyout—Kentmorr Marina, Stevensville, MD (3W3)	Crab Lunch
6/30/11	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Chicken
7/5/11	Board Meeting	
7/28/11	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Hot Dogs and Hamburgers
7/31/11	Flyout—Reading, PA (KRDG) Lunch and ATC Tower	
8/2/11	Board Meeting	
8/25/11	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Clams and Chicken*
8/28/11	Flyout—Gettysburg, PA (W05) Lunch, Battlefield Tour	
8/30/11	Board Meeting	
9/11/11	Annual Fly-In/Drive-In Breakfast	
9/25/11	Flyout—Johnstown, PA (KJST)	Brunch
9/29/11	Monthly Meeting @ The Roost	Lobster*
10/4/11	Board Meeting	
10/27/11	Monthly Meeting	
10/30/11	Flyout—Georgetown, DE (KGED)	Brunch
11/1/11	Board Meeting	
11/17/11	Monthly Meeting	
11/20/11	Flyout—Orange County, NY (KMGJ)	Brunch
11/29/11	Board Meeting	
12/18/11	Flyout—Cambridge, MD (KCGE)	Brunch
12/10/11	Christmas Party	
1/3/12	Board Meeting	
1/26/12	Monthly Meeting	
1/29/12	Flyout—York, PA (KTHV)	Brunch

^{*} Steak is also available at these meetings

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A - Royal



B - White



C- White



B- Grey Heather



C- Grey Heather



B- Royal



C- Royal

	STYLE#	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	SIZE	COLOR	PIECES	TOTAL \$ Amount
		ADULT Sweatshirt 9 oz.	\$25.00 XS-XL				
Α	12000	50/50 Cotton Blend	\$27.00 XXL				
		Adult Clique by C&B					
В	MQK00001	100% Cotton Polo	\$25.00 S-XL				
		3 Button Placket	\$27.00 XXL				
С	LQK00001	Ladies Clique by C&B 100% Cotton Polo 2 Button Placket	\$25.00 XS-XL \$27.00 XXL				
TOTAL \$							

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS OUT TO: PAOP and mail to: PAOP - 2909 Reifsnyder Road, Gilbertsville, PA 19525

Your order will be ready for pickup at the April 29th Pasta Night Any questions, please call Joanne Piraino @ 610-306-3445

PAOP Pasta Dinner @ Heritage Field

Friday, April 29th (6 – 8pm)

Adults - \$7.00

Children (under 12) - \$5.00



Reservations a Must

Please call Fare Share LTD @ 610-495-5111 by April 22nd

Location: Heritage Field Main Hangar

3310 West Ridge Pike, Pottstown, PA 19464