



The Flypaper



The Official Newsletter
July 2013

Our sunshine has been replaced by much-needed rain, but we are getting some sunshine here and there now. I hope many of you got to do some flying before we lost our lovely weather.

Herb and I and some friends got a day trip in to McCarthy. We had a nice lunch at Kennicott Lodge. It was one of the last nice days we had.

I'm especially excited about our meeting this month. Patty Wagstaff, a member of our chapter and a national aerobatic pilot, will be speaking at our meeting on Wednesday, July 10. Patty is in town for the Salmon Bake at the Museum and has graciously agreed to be our guest speaker. She will be joined by Debbie Gary, an aerobatic pilot and aviation writer. Debbie has also agreed to speak at our meeting. The meeting will be held at the First United Methodist Church, 725 W. 9th Avenue, on Wednesday, July 10, at 6 p.m. The chapter will provide the entree and attendees are asked to bring a side dish, salad or desert. If you are planning to attend the meeting, please RSVP to me at mhancock@mtaonline.net. We just need to get a count for the entree. As usual, guests are welcome and attendees need not be members of the chapter. An interest in aviation is sufficient. We hope to see many of you there.

On the Sunday (July 14) following our meeting, the Alaska Aviation Museum will be holding its 2013 Salmon Bake and Centennial Celebration at the Museum (page 5). Patty and Debbie will be there also. Hope to see you there.

Following that, Patty Livingston has scheduled the Kenai Airmarking repaint for Saturday, July 20 with a rain date of Sunday, July 21 (page 4).

More information can be found inside the newsletter on these and other activities. Please plan to join us in our activities and bring a guest, prospective member or a student pilot.

Melanie

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NEXT MEETING

**6 p.m., Wednesday,
July 10, 2013**

**First United Methodist Church
725 W. 9th Avenue, Anchorage**

Guest Speakers:

Patty Wagstaff and Debbie Gary

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Calendar of Events

- Wed., July 10 Regular Monthly Meeting (page 3)
- Sat., July 14 Aviation Museum Salmon Bake, 3 – 6 p.m. (see page 8)
- Sat., July 20 Repaint of Kenai Airmarking
- Mon., Aug. 5 Board of Directors Meeting
- Wed., Aug. 14 Regular Monthly Meeting
- Wed., Sept. 11 Regular Monthly Meeting

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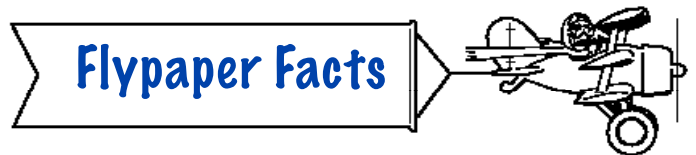
Fly-Ins, Scholarships, Airmarking, Aviation Museum Display & Publicity Committees need volunteers.



Alaska Chapter Website (www.ak99s.org)

National Website (www.ninety-nines.org)

The national site includes news updates, scholarship opportunities, mentor connections, applications and more.



The deadline for the August, 2013 Flypaper is August 5, 2013. If you have an article, ad or information for The Flypaper, please contact Melanie Hancock by phone at 694-4571 or e-mail at flyquilt@mtaonline.net. (Ads are placed in The Flypaper for members at no charge.)

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July Meeting

Bring a friend, guest, student pilot or prospective member and join us Wednesday, July 10, at the First United Methodist Church, 725 W. 9th Avenue, in Anchorage. Our special guest speakers will be Patty Wagstaff, one of our members, and Debbie Gary. Both women are aerobatic pilots and Debbie is also an aviation writer. Check out their websites for more details: www.pattywagstaff.com/ and <http://www.debbiegary.com>

The chapter will furnish the entree, fried chicken, and drinks. Attendees can bring a salad, side dish or desert to round out the potluck dinner.

We are looking forward to seeing you at this very special meeting.

NOTE: There is no on street parking in front of the church. Parking is located behind the church, accessible from G or H Streets.



There is no information on the Mat-Su Valley Chapter activities or meetings at this time. Contact Jane McNiven for more information.

Mat-Su Chapter News

Mat-Su Valley Chapter Officers

Chair: Jane McNiven - (907) 357-2638

Vice Chair: Jane Dale - (907) 495-6708

Secretary: Gayle Kase - (907) 746-5273

Treasurer: Toni Merrigan - (907) 373-6569

Chapter Elections

The results of the elections are in. The officers for 2013-14 year are:

Chair - Melanie Hancock
Vice Chair - Donna Branch
Secretary - Erika Bennett
Treasurer - Emily Gros

Board of Directors - Willow Hetrick

We still have three positions to fill for the Board of Directors, so if you have an interest in serving, please let me know. This is an easy way to be of service to your chapter and will also acquaint you with how the chapter works.

Congratulations to the new officers!

Airmarking Info

Patty Livingston has indicated that she has scheduled a repaint of the Kenai Airmarking for Saturday, July 20, 10 a.m. The rain date will be Sunday, July 21, at 10 a.m. Bring a potential member, student pilot or friend. Please let RSVP to Patty if you can give a ride or need a ride. For more information, contact: Patty @ 746-2919

NOTE: To those of you who are new to the organization, airmarking is painting the name of the airport on a taxiway so that it is visible from the sky. The letters are 20 ft. wide by 30 ft. high. A repaint is simply refreshing the paint on the letters that are already there.



Join the Alaska Aviation Museum for the: **2013 Salmon Bake and Centennial Celebration!**

Sunday, July 14, 2013



3:00-6:00pm



- **Book Signings by Alaskan Authors**
- **Live Music by:**
the Carhartt Brothers Band
- **Beer and Wine Garden**
- **Food**
- **Fly Bys**

**Featuring Special Guests
and Aerobatic Pilots:**

**Patty Wagstaff
and Debbie Gary**



Tickets:

\$35 for adults

\$15 for kids

Call 248-5325 for tickets

**www.alaskaairmuseum.org
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