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## Cast Your Vote!

Voting is a privilege that many countries in the world don't have. You should exercise your right to vote before you come to the meeting on Tuesday.

At the meeting, we will have another vote. Chapter elections just happen to fall on the same day as our national election. Come cast your vote here, too.

- President.. . . . .  Ray Hecker
- Vice President . . . . .  Bill Moyle
- Secretary.. . . . .  Thom Steury
- Treasurer . . . . .  Roland Koluvek
- Newsletter Editor . . . . .  Richard Newell
- Board of Directors** (two year term)
  - Jay Steffenhagen
  - Penelope Hecker



### At The Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> Meeting

Voting for officers and a presentation from **Greg Fisher** on his **Glaisair project**, which was recently signed off. This will be followed by the first of a two part series on transition to gliders.

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## President's Message

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As I look at our remaining activities for 2008, we have an active month ahead of us.

On Saturday November 1, 2008, we have the meeting of the Yanks Air Museum EAA 92 restoration team meeting. We are continuing our work on the 1946 Ercoupe 415-C/D. We are in the midst of serious work on that project as we recently removed the upper skins to the center wing assembly. We'll make a determination on removing or reconditioning the aluminum structure as well as the disposition of the Continental C90-12F engine that is presently mounted on the airframe.



If you were ever interested in working on a restoration project, come join us on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month from 8:00 AM – 1:00 PM at the Yanks Air Museum in Chino. You will have an opportunity to learn nearly every facet of airframe restoration.

November is also our voting month for our 2009 officers and board members. We look forward to seeing you at the general meeting on Tuesday, November 4th. This is one of those rare occasions where you get to “vote early and vote often” (an old Chicago Alderman’s bark) for a president and vice president. Your second voting opportunity on November 4th is to elect our slate of officers and board members for EAA Chapter 92. See Bob Dougherty’s section of the newsletter for the slate of candidates. Thanks again, for nominating me your presidential candidate for 2009.

Saturday November 8th is the annual Veterans Day event at Flabob in Rubidoux, CA. Setup is on Friday the 8th and I hear rumors that free beer may be served by one of the host organizations (the only beer EAA 92 has is Root Beer). Come out to this one (full) day fair. Bob Dougherty is our event coordinator. We are setting up the “Brat Booth” again and I understand we have souvenirs to market (gliders

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## President's Message *Continued*

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and patches) as well as hosting a drawing from one of the local hobby shops. The weather should be fantastic for our venue!

Congratulations to Dave Prizio for the completion of his Cub project. I look forward to flying with him.

Penelope Hecker is in the process of mailing the invitations to for the Christmas/Recognition party. An RSVP is requested. Our year end celebration date is December 6th. If you are a 2008 paid up dues member of EAA Chapter 92, the dinner is on the Chapter, if not, tickets are \$30.00 in advance. With annual dues at \$20.00, you do the math. See Roland Koluvek to confirm you are in good standing with our Treasurer. Roland is also offering a 10% discount on dues for 2009 that are paid by December 31, 2008.

I look forward to seeing you at the Yanks Museum and definitely the General Meeting!

Keep 'em Flying.

*Ray*

President and Flight Advisor

FAA Safety Team Representative (Aviation Safety Counselor)

CFII, MEI, AGII

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Cauron C-460 built at Flabob for Wathen. French racer nearing first test flights.



## General Minutes *October 7, 2008*

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Chapter President, Ray Hecker, called the meeting to order at 7 p.m.; and, was followed by the attendees' salute to the flag and pledge of allegiance. Next, a visitors welcome; and, a congratulations to Greg Fisher on the completion and successful flight testing of his project, a Glassair II. Greg briefly discussed some of the highlights of licensing and test flying that were required.

### Presentation

The presentation by Jay Steffenhagen, "Basics to a Seaplane Rating," began at 7:15 p.m. and concluded at 8 p.m. There followed a fifteen minute question, answer, and discussion of methods and techniques of seaplane flying.

The November presentation will be glider flying techniques by Jay; and, Glassair II building by Greg Fisher.

### Business

Young Eagles - Saturday, October 18th, at Chino airport will not be a Boy Scout Aviation Merit badge event. Consequently, experimental aircraft can also be used to fly Young Eagles. Penelope Hecker has accepted the challenge Y.E. coordinator and will be relieving Cliff Carpenter of that responsibility.

**Aircraft Spruce Open House** - Cliff Carpenter reported that the donations from this event contributed \$1600 to the Chapt 92 Young Eagle fund.

**December Christmas/Member Recognition meeting** - Saturday, December 6th, at Racket Club, Mission Viejo. Social hour 6 to 7 p.m., catered dinner followed by speaker and entertainment, 7p.m. to 9 p.m. Chapter members & family, no charge, non-members, \$35. Bring an unwrapped gift to be a charitable donation. More details to follow in an invitation that is forth coming.

**Flabob Airport Veterans' Day open house** - Saturday, November 8th. This is a one day fundraiser, the last of the year. Since it is from the sale of food on Saturday, we

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## **General Minutes** *September 10, 2008*

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need to set up our equipment late Friday afternoon. A volunteer list was circulated at the meeting.

### **Nomination of Chapter 92 principle officers for year 2009 -**

The following members were placed on the ballot:

**Ray Hecker**, nominated for the office of president; the nomination was seconded, discussed, and carried by members' vote. A motion was made that further nominations of president be closed. It was seconded and carried by members' vote.

**Bill Moyle**, nominated for the office of vice president, the nomination was seconded, discussed, and carried by members' vote. A motion was made that further nominations of vice president be closed. It was seconded and carried by members' vote.

**Thom Steury**, nominated for the office of secretary, the nomination was seconded, discussed, and carried by members' vote. A motion was made that further nominations of secretary be closed. It was seconded and carried by members' vote.

**Roland Koluvek**, nominated for the office of treasurer, the nomination was seconded, discussed, and carried by members' vote. A motion was made that further nominations of treasurer be closed. It was seconded and carried by members' vote.

**Richard Newell**, nominated for newsletter editor; the nomination was seconded, discussed, and carried by members' vote. A motion was made that further nominations of newsletter editor be closed. It was seconded and carried by members' vote.

**Jay Steffenhagen**, nominated for director, with term of office to be two years. The nomination was seconded, discussed, and carried by members' vote. A motion was made that further nominations for this office be closed. It was seconded and carried by members vote.

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**Penelope Hecker**, nominated for director, with term of office to be two years. The nomination was seconded, discussed, and carried by members' vote. A motion was made that further nominations for this office be closed. It was seconded and carried by members vote.

It was noted that **Rob Baker** would assist **Richard Newell** with the Newsletter, **Don Myra**, with the **Website**; and, **Richard Wigfield** with Membership coordination.

**Jay Steffenhagen** has volunteered to continue his efforts of selecting and coordinating the meeting informational presentations.

The general meeting adjourned at 8:55 p.m.

*Bob Dougherty,*  
Chapter 92 Secretary

## Wag-Aero Cubby Sold

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I was looking through Barnstormers the other night and ran across a sold Wag-Aero Cub. Joe Riley, a past president of Chapter 92, posted this ad on Barnstormers.com "My wife tells me we really need to sell this airplane - make us an offer we can't refuse." Congratulations on the sale Joe. Hope you can make the party.





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# General Membership Meeting

**Tuesday November 4, 2008 - 6:30 pm**

**Irvine Ranch Water District  
15600 Sand Canyon Ave.  
Irvine CA 92618**

From the 405 Fwy, exit Sand Canyon, turn Northerly, turn right on Waterworks, then turn left into the parking lot.

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