



# Chapter 506 Flight Briefing

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## Mark Your Calendars!

**EAA Chapter 506**

**Nov 8, 2008**

**Meeting Agenda:**

8:30 am – JNX

**Location:**

JNX FBO

**Breakfast Crew:**

John & Helen Schultz

**Presenter:**

**Norman Smit**

## From the Tower:

By Joe Mancusi

As you know, much is made of the volunteers at EAA and VAA all year long. Well, the Chapter volunteers are equally important. Our Chapter 506 has a very strong group of volunteers and only some are obvious. Helen and Jack are always in the background for instance. So is Dan Harden and others. I have been around for almost ten years and it has always been the case.

Many times Helen has been to the clubhouse cleaning and arranging for the next days' meeting. Roxanna filled in for Helen last month and spent many hours getting ready for the Oct. meeting even though she wouldn't be there. Quite a few folks are getting no recognition and don't seem to need it.

We have a good list of officers for next year already in the works. We do need to develop a schedule of breakfasters and speakers for next year. Please start thinking about it.

PS The Christmas party starts at 6 PM on December 13. Please plan a covered dish. More details to follow.

## November Program

Although most pilots consider jumping out of a serviceable aircraft to be problematic, I'll be talking about skydiving and will bring along a modern parachute system for 'show & tell'. Some history about me – I did my first jump in 1979 with a 29 ft C9 round student canopy and something mounted in front – probably a 24 foot flat. I have done night formation jumps, display jumps, water jumps and exited from perhaps 40 or 50 aircraft types ranging from a Tiger Moth to a Boeing 727, a glider, a high-altitude jump (22,000 ft AGL), and numerous helos. Parachuting has been around more than 200 years, but in the time I've been jumping, skydiving has come a long way. When I started, a four-way formation skydive – four parachutists in formation – was considered an excellent test of for experienced skydivers. The record today stands at 347, set in 2004 out of several C-130s. Although skydiving is not flight, it is one of the purest ways to experience aerodynamics because it is possible to fly your body in the relative air in freefall. Round canopies have evolved into high-performance elliptical canopies that can have approach speeds well in excess of the stall speed of LSA aircraft, and, of course, every landing is a dead-stick landing.

## October Meeting Minutes

By **Ken Arnold**

Due to time constraints, the minutes are not available at Newsletter publication. The November minutes will bring us up to date.

Ken

**EAA Chapter 506 Membership Information Update Sheet**  
**2008 Dues Notice**

Update the membership sheet and mail to Gary Winter. Enclose a check for \$24 for the 2008 dues. Gary will forward the check to the treasurer. Please try to complete this task ASAP.

Date:            /            / 2008

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Mail this completed update to:

Mr. Gary Winter  
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## Flight Crew Schedule – 2008:

### EAA Chapter 506 – Meeting Coordinators for 2008

Mtg	Date	Member	Topic
1	January 12	Ken Dunaway	LSA – Maintenance
2	February 9	Jack Schultz	Building
3	March 8	Byron Covey	
4	April 12		
5	May 10	Kent Misegades	History of Aerobatics
6	June 14	Dan Harden	TBD
7	July 12		
8	August 9	Larry Fink	
9	September 13		JNX Open House
10	October 11	Ken Arnold	Building a CH701
11	November 8	Norman Smit	Aviation BioFuel
12	December 13		Christmas Dinner Party

If you are a Meeting Coordinator, please send an email to me at [arno7452@bellsouth.net](mailto:arno7452@bellsouth.net) with your topic so the chart can be updated.

A paragraph or two or three or four about your topic is due three weeks before the meeting so that we can “sell” the meeting to the members.

### EAA Chapter 506 – Breakfast Crews for 2008

Mtg	Date	Crew
1	January 12	Ron & Nancy Normark
2	February 9	Gary & Judy Winter
3	March 8	Byron & Ida May Covey
4	April 12	Joe & Roxanna Mancusi
5	May 10	Norman & Cynthia Smit
6	June 14	Mort Altman
7	July 12	Byron & Ida Mae Covey
8	August 9	Larry & Debbie Fink
9	September 13	JNX Open House
10	October 11	Gary & Judy Winter
11	November 8	Helen & Jack Schultz
12	December 13 pm	EAA 506 (covered dish) Annual Christmas Dinner Party

Helpful hints:

- Plan your breakfast for 30 people.
- Bring your food and receipts.
- Cook and serve / Unpack and serve / Open and serve.
- Clean up and haul trash away.
- Invite helpers.

# Hangar Bulletin Board:

## EAA Monthly Meetings:

EAA 297	7NC1	First Saturday	9:00 am	Burgaw – Stag Airpark
EAA 1047	W03	First Saturday	8:00 am	Wilson – Wilson Industrial
EAA 506	JNX	Second Saturday	8:30 am	Smithfield – JNX Clubhouse
EAA 879		Second Saturday	10:00 am	Durham – Lake Ridge FBO
EAA 1114	NC81	Third Saturday	8:00 am	Apex – Bobby Cox field

## Miscellaneous:

### Interesting Web Addresses

Online sectionals [www.skyvectors.com](http://www.skyvectors.com)  
Cheap auto gas <http://autos.msn.com/everyday/gasstations.aspx?zip=&src=Netx>  
Cheap AV gas [www.airnav.com/fuel](http://www.airnav.com/fuel)  
NC Aviation Museum [www.ncairmuseum.org](http://www.ncairmuseum.org) (located at the Asheboro Airport)

## Thumbtacked Items:

### Woods Aviation:

Specializing in Poly Fiber Products.  
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maintenance and fabric aircraft restoration.  
919-581-0640  
919-581-0690  
919-581-0830 (Fax)

### Looking for a partner:

IFR capable, flying, experimental long ez  
needs a partner to share cost and flying.  
Contact Arthur Armani:  
[akarmani@earthlink.net](mailto:akarmani@earthlink.net) or  
phone: 919 818 5631.

### “CH601 for sale”

Mort Altman has partially  
completed Zenith CH601 for sale.  
Call or see Mort for particulars.

# EAA Chapter 506 :

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Thanks to all who have paid their dues as of April 20, 2008. Way to go, 506!!!!!!

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Byron Covey	Ken Dunaway
Larry Fink	Rolf Grandstaff
Tom Hall	Dan Harden
Dave Johnson	Wayne King
Robert Lee	Joe Mancusi
Wayne Milbauer	Nancy Normark
Ron Normark	Ned Nutt
Bob Parker	Helen Schultz
Jack Schultz	Bob Scott
Jerry Stein	Jim Turner
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Jordan Normark	John Ludden
James Stephenson	Frank Moore
Sherwood Jernigan	Ken Arnold
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Please notify Gary Winter or Wayne Milbauer if you have paid your dues and your name is not listed.