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## **Chain O Lakes Eagles The Talon**



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## **June 2017 Issue**

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**Meetings** - Third Wednesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. at the Whispering Hills Community Center, located at 1103 Oeffling Drive in Johnsburg IL (go east Johnsburg Road to Oeffling Drive).  
**GPS:** 42°23'44.9"N 88°13'08.2"W

**Online Forum** - The COL Eagles forum is via email: [membersforum@coleagles.com](mailto:membersforum@coleagles.com)

### **Calendar**

**Wounded Warrior Day 9am - 3pm --- At the flying field**

**Saturday June 17th, 2017**

**June Monthly Meeting:**

**Wednesday June 21st, 2017 - 7pm – Whispering Hills Community Center**

**July Monthly Meeting:**

**Wednesday July 19th, 2017 - 7pm – Whispering Hills Community Center**

### **From the President ( Mike Schulz )**

The last month has been a whirlwind of activity for me personally. With my youngest son graduating from high school and my grandchildren in town for the celebration, and work demands, I haven't had much time to get to the field. I hope those of you who are able to get to the field on a regular basis are enjoying your time there. If anyone wants to take an occasional picture and send it to me, it would help those of us who can't get to the field feel more a part of the action!

The Wounded Warrior Project is the primary focus of my time right now. While Ed is taking care of some critically urgent family matters, Gino and I are working to ensure that the event is the success we all believe it can be. Look for more emails in the coming days leading up to the event, which is in less than two weeks (Saturday, June 17th)!

## ***From the Vice President (Gino Santi)***

Wounded Warrior Project Outing.

Might be a nice idea to bring out some of your planes for display, even if they are not flyable. Gives people something to look (gawk?) at when we aren't doing flying demos.

Let's make this worthy cause as memorable as we can. Bring your smiles and 'lets have fun' attitudes for the day. This can be nothing but good PR for the club if we get it right!

## ***Secretary's Report (Ed Pate)***

(Notes taken by Mike in Ed's absence)

Pledge of allegiance

Secretary's Report

Treasurer's Report

### **Althoff Park Field**

Bill A - what does supervised mean? are they expecting us to do that?

==> we need to be clear we won't do that

Our club should be mentioned as the resource group - not the supervising group

We should be clear this is not a club field - we are just helping them establish the field

Larry: the proposal infers that we are supervising owners...the message should be that the field is a municipal field at which we have permission to fly.

Fees are to be managed by the city, not us.

Our club should get a corporate license so we can fly without fees.

Need to ensure that AMA license is required to fly.

City needs to register this field as a flying site.

### **Wounded Warrior Project: (Saturday June 17th)**

**Event Time is 9am - 3pm; club members should be there from 8am - 4pm**

Courtney Voss from the Wounded Warrior Project Chicago office was present at the meeting.

Courtney - sent a weekly email to all veterans.

there is already a sign up

visioned as a good family day - father's day theme

she will open up to other service organizations

dietary restrictions will be mentioned when information is available

special needs for disabled vets?

persons will attend in private vehicles

what about a rain date? (nothing planned)

WWP: tents - Bob F. Jim S Skip, Bill W, Larry D, Dave B  
bring extra tables for flight training stations  
need volunteers to watch flight stations  
Brad W - 3 flight sims  
Bob F. 1 flight sim

Bob F has a buddy box system - alpha 40  
Bill W. has a buddy box system needs help setting it up  
Larry - has an alpha 40  
Bud might have one as well

Joe Dopp - will contact Horizon regarding donating foam airplanes for event

Find out if Dave W. will be there  
Any other 3D'ers  
John A?

arrange a drop-off area for vets  
reserve front row for veterans  
members park far away

we need a publicity person? Ask Courtney if they have a PR (photos, etc)  
Call NW Herald and let them know so they can cover it

## ***Wounded Warrior Project Update (Ed Pate)***

Wanted to give you an update for WWP

I will be back and forth to Mayo this week and next should be back by the 8th or 9th of June

I purchased 2 13x13 canopies from Sam's Club so we should be covered there.

And like I stated in an earlier email I have the pop, water, etc. I'll get chips and cookies when I get back.

Spoke to VFW and American Legion no help from either McHenry or CL VFW, However Danny Malone from CL American Legion (phone [847-458-5612](tel:847-458-5612)) who is the regional service officer has offered financial help and a color guard to start off the day. He did not state how much money they could provide.

Regarding chairs most often people going to an outdoor function bring a chair, so perhaps we should ask Courtney to tell everyone to bring a lawn chair.

Still need coolers, tables, PA System, and I need a count to order food (one week notice required)

Wife is doing better but still more to be done.

Please send prayers

ED

## Treasurer's Report (Gino Santi)

		Field	General	Total
Starting Balance		\$1023.69	\$7464.43	\$8488.02
<b>Deposits</b>				
5/9/17	Dues rec'd	\$10.00	\$65.00	\$75.00
5/9/17	Wounded Warrior Donations		\$215.00	\$215.00
5/10/17	Dues rec'd	\$10.00	\$65.00	\$75.00
5/18/17	Dues rec'd	\$20.00	\$130.00	\$150.00
5/18/17	Wounded Warrior Donations			\$575.00
<b>Subtotal</b>		\$1063.00	\$7939.43	\$9578.02
<b>Debits</b>				
5/10/17	VD, AMA, Club Charter		\$120.00	\$120.00
5/15/17	Ck #1865, P. Urquhart, Fuel & Parts	\$69.19		\$69.19
5/23/17	Ck #1866, Pitel Septic, Apr/May		\$70.00	\$70.00
<b>Subtotal</b>		\$69.19	\$190.00	\$259.00
<b>Ending Balance</b>		<b>\$993.81</b>	<b>\$7749.43</b>	<b>\$9319.02</b>

May 2016 ending balance was \$8272.37 so we are + \$1046.65 compared to where we were this time last year.

The club has 48 members as of 5/23/17.

Wounded Warrior Project donations total - \$1366.00 !!!

### Pending Expenses: Pitel Septic, Wounded Warrior Project

Dues should have been paid by now. Please do so NOW if you haven't. \$75 to COL Eagles and send directly to me if mailing a check. Trimcraft Aviation, PO Box 488, Genoa City WI 53128

## ***Membership Handbook***

The membership application form, handbook and acknowledgement form have been updated for 2017.

All members will be required to read the membership handbook and return the handbook acknowledgement form with their signature stating that the handbook was read and understood in order to receive their membership card.

The handbook can be downloaded from our website at:

<http://www.coleagles.com/index.php/club-documents/72-membership-handbook>

Once you have read the handbook, download, print, and sign the following acknowledgement form:

<http://www.coleagles.com/index.php/club-documents/80-handbook-ack-form>

and bring it to the next meeting.

Every club member is required to sign a new acknowledgement form each year.

Please take some time to read the manual. If you have any questions, bring them to the next meeting and they will be answered.

Membership Application Form: To access the Membership Application Form, click on this link:

<http://www.coleagles.com/index.php/membership-forms/76-app-form>

## ***AMA Membership Dues Reminder***

To protect you, the club, and the field property owner from liability, membership in the Academy of Model Aeronautics ( AMA ) is required.

You must have a current AMA membership in order to fly at the COL Eagles field!

