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**CUB CLUB FLYERS**

**Cub Club, Inc.**



Poker Run Winners! Page 1

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# Cub Club Flyer

April, 2010

Fort Myers' Oldest Flying Club

## President's Message by Terry Voorhees

Hello Cub Clubbers!

Recently a friend sent me a documentary video which profiled US Navy pilots engaged in carrier flight operations. What struck me was their regimen of "fly - fly - fly" to maintain their skills proficiencies.

In an interview, a seasoned squadron commander said that it is astonishing how fragile those skills levels are, and how rapidly they deteriorate when not used.

Yes, I know we're not flying carrier jets. But the message remains the same: Use those skills. Fly as often as practicable to maintain our skills.

### MARCH STATS

#### Aircraft hours:

3521Q	36.9
944CC	20.4
9490X	35.1

#### Top Flyers for March:

Terry Voorhees	8.7
*TIE*	
Greg Frost	6.8
Michael Schultz	6.8
David Cooper	6.3
Norm Hinspeter	6.0

Late last year the AWOS system at Venice (KVNC) was taken off line when it failed operational tests. Due to its age and lack of replacement parts, the system was deemed unrepairable.

A new system is not yet on-line, having suffered through any number of delays including political infighting, eagle nest issues and approvals by the Venice city council. And because KVNC is a favorite destination for Cub Club pilots, we have concerns regarding that obvious safety issue. When that situation will change is unclear. Sooooooo...be alert when flying into VNC.

We wrapped up another great Poker Run last month. It's one of our most popular events and gets better every year. A big thanks to all who helped out and made it happen.

And don't forget, Sun N' Fun April 13 - 18. If you want to plane-share, call Jim Meyersburg on 272-5494.

See you at the field.

*Terry*



### General Meeting

- \* General Meeting Tuesday, April 13th, RSW Training Center @ 7:00PM
- \* Informative and fun for everyone!
- \* Order your CUB CLUB SHIRTS!
- \* AOPA Video "Flying Friendly"

## Poker Run Fun!

The Club had another great Poker Run this year! Saturday March 13th brought some windy but sunny weather, and a good time was had by all. The preflight contest on Archer 933CC was a blast, there were 6 faults put onto the airplane that included a tire 'flat' spot, a missing inspection hatch, a non-existent oil dipstick, and a little yellow bird nesting in the tail... Several prizes were awarded to eagle-eyed members based on the number of faults found as well as the quickest elapsed time.

The EAA grill was fired up and everyone enjoyed delicious burgers with all the fixing's. Yum!

And then... The Poker! Our very own Bob Adamski was once again Master of Ceremonies,



Be sure to checkout the Cub Club website at [www.cubclub.net](http://www.cubclub.net)!

## Poker Run Fun (con't. from page 1)

organizing and presiding over the playing of each hand, amid squeals of delight from the winners! Several happy folks went home with some extra handfuls of cash!

Overall, it was another great Poker Run event, and everyone had a lot of fun. If you missed this event this year, make sure you join us next time!



Psssttt..... Look in the Tail.....!!!



Burgers Were Great!



The cards were "flying!"



2010 Poker Run Winners!!!



## Piper Aircraft Factory Tours!

Ever wanted to see how they build an airplane? Now's your chance! We are arranging a Cub Club tour of the Piper factory, over in Vero Beach. Come see how our planes are glued together!

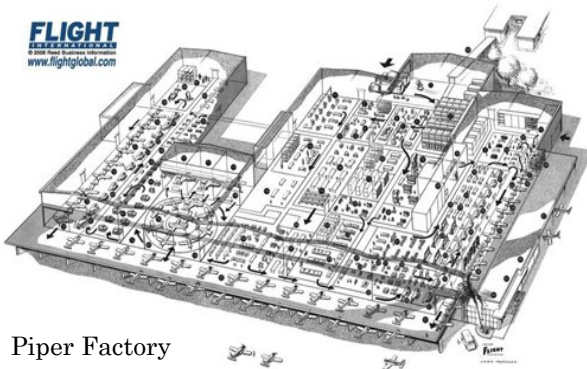
Piper limits the tour groups to a maximum of 10 people, and only holds tours on Tuesdays and Thursdays. We will be putting together groups of 8, and flying over in 2 Club planes.



The first one will be Tuesday, April 20th, and we will fill additional groups as needed. Cost? The flight time is approx 1 hr, each way, so the costs will be divided among the groups.

I will have sign up sheets at the meeting, or call me (239) 272-5494 or email me at [jimmeyersburg@msn.com](mailto:jimmeyersburg@msn.com) to sign up!

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Piper Factory

**Membership**

by Steve Hall

**Anthony Mauriello:**

Anthony is a 40 year old married ATP/Flight Instructor with over 2800 hours total time, and has over 800 hours in insured make and model aircraft. He and his family have been residents of SW Florida since 2001 when he left his career as a Geologist in Pennsylvania and moved his family to Estero to complete his Commercial Pilot and CFI training. After completing his CFI ratings he instructed at the Naples airport for approximately 18 months. When the flight school closed for 2 weeks, Anthony took a job at one of the FBOs at the airport which eventually led to a job flying a Citation III with the FBOs' charter department. Two years later Anthony landed a job with a Fractional Operator flying Beechjets. In November of 2008 he was furloughed from his job and currently runs a home repair company and flies contract work in a Citation based at the Naples airport.

**Maintenance**

by Charlie Carroll

3521Q:

New Turn &amp; Bank

Landing light

Door handle pilots door

944CC:

Hydraulic leak co-pilot side

50 Hour

New Tire

9490X:

Pilot side headset jacks

50 Hour

Compass fixed

The planes are in great shape. Please get out and fly them. All the calls with squawks are appreciated.

Switlik and Tomlinson have been great and kept our down time very short. --- Charlie

**FLIGHT INSTRUCTION CLASSES:****\* Private Pilot Ground School**

Cape Coral High School

Wednesday Nights, 6:00 - 9:00 PM,

1-13-10 through 4-28-10 Fee \$135 + Text

\* Contact Ed Fink, CFII at 239-489-0443

**\* Private Pilot Ground School**

Cypress Lake High School

Thursday Nights, 6:00 - 9:00 PM,

1-14-10 through 5-6-10 Fee \$135 + Text

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**\* Instrument Rating Ground School**

Page Field Conference Room

Monday Nights, 6:30 - 9:30 PM,

1-11-10 through 3-29-10 Fee \$125 + Text

\* Contact Ed Fink, CFII at 239-489-0443

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Cape Coral High School

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1-13-10 through 4-28-10 Fee \$135 + Text

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More Upcoming Class Information Will Be Posted As Classes Are Scheduled...

# CUB CLUB CALENDAR

## UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS

**Cub Club General Meeting**  
**Tuesday, April 13, 2010**  
**RSW Training Center, 7PM**  
AOPA Video Presentation "Flying Friendly"  
and Order Cub Club Shirts!

**Piper Factory Tour**  
**Tuesday, April 20, 2010**  
Vero Beach, FL  
Contact Jim Meyersburg to sign up!  
Details on Page 2

*DON'T FORGET, THE CUB CLUB GENERAL MEETINGS  
ARE HELD ON THE SECOND TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH,  
AT THE RSW TRAINING CENTER, AT 7PM*

**\*\*\* WIN FLYING TIME!!! \*\*\***  
**DRAWINGS FOR "FLYING BUCKS"**  
**ARE HELD AT EVERY MEETING!!!**

## Announcements...

SUN-N-FUN Reminder:

Just a note to remind you that Sun N Fun is here this week! A major aviation event happening right in your own back yard. This event is almost as good as Oshkosh, in some ways better because it's small enough experience in one day. I used to come a thousand miles to see it, and now it's right in the neighborhood. It's an easy flight, or a reasonable drive, just past Tampa. Don't let it pass! April 13-18. Website is: [www.sun-n-fun.org](http://www.sun-n-fun.org)

--- Jim Meyersburg

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The Cub Club was featured on the Fox 4 TV show "Morning Blend" last month. Missed it? Go to [www.fox4morningblend.com](http://www.fox4morningblend.com), Click on "Recent Shows", and Click on "Cub Club." Well done Terry & Ellen!

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Don't forget that the Cub Club office has a library of DVDs, books, study aids, magazines and other goodies that are available to our members at any time. Just please be sure to return the items promptly when you are done so others may enjoy them as well. Thank You!



## Board Meeting Minutes – Synopsis, March, 2010 by Ellen Herr

The officers and board of directors met on March 17, 2010 at 6:37 PM in conference room at the Page Field Aviation Center. Below is a synopsis of the business discussed at that meeting:

Kirchner reported that this month's the revenue loss was small due to a seasonal increase in dues payments. Maintenance expenses were also lower than last month. Carroll reports several repairs were made, and repair options for 944CC's wheel pants were discussed. The engine replacement fund for 4CC is projected to be adequate when the fund will be needed in approximately 13 months. Approximately 50 people attended the Poker Run held on March 13, with a preflight contest held in addition to the picnic and poker hands. \$110 was returned to the club. Financial Planning Committee's recommendations were reviewed, and no significant changes to club operations are recommended at this time. Carroll states there has been a reduction in maintenance expenses, but no significant reduction hangar rental cost was available. A new bulletin board and brochure rack have been put up outside the club office. Plans to improve the signage inside the office building will continue in an effort to improve the visibility of the club office. There are also plans to redesign the club logo. The Venice AWOS is out of service, and is not repairable according to personnel contracted at the airport. Voorhees will follow-up on the status of the AWOS since it affects the club aircraft operations.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 pm

The board meeting will be held on April 21, 2010 at 6:30PM. Any club member having concerns or questions about club operations should contact any board member.

## CUBBY'S CORNER

Member's Forum



*Got a question about the Cub Club? ASK CUBBY!*

THIS MONTH'S QUESTION AND ANSWER:

*Member: "Hey, Cubby, once I'm a Club Member, how do I get checked out in the Club planes?"*

*CUBBY: "Great Question! First, you will need to find a Club Approved CFI. There's a list on the back of this newsletter and on the Club's website.*

*Each aircraft requires a minimum of 1 hour of instruction, or possibly more depending on individual requirements for a CFI sign-off, or instruction on specific avionics and systems.*

*In addition, the 182 Skylane requires 75 hours PIC, 5 hours in type, and a high performance endorsement.*

*Overall, the process is really quite easy, and the forms you need are in the Club office or on the website. Just set up a time with a Club approved CFI, and you'll be in the air in no time!"*

*Thanks for asking!"*

## FLIGHT SHARING WEBSITE ESTABLISHED!

Looking to share a flight? Arrange a fly-out? Want some company in the air? Or just share

information with other member pilots?

Now there's a place to go to do all that...

<http://groups.google.com/group/cubclubflyers>

Subscribe to the Group and Post Away!

Trouble? Contact Steve Hall at 253-0285

## COMPLETE YOUR CHECKLISTS!

Properly Fill Out The  
In-Plane Log Book!

Include your Name, Date,  
Hobbs Time AND Tach Time  
AND PROMPTLY ENTER YOUR  
TIME INTO SCHEDULEMASTER!

## "IN-FLIGHT" PHOTOS

944CC Near Boca Grande Pass

Pilot: Sherrie Lorenz



944CC View from 4CC flying a leg of  
the Poker Run near Arcadia (X06)



*Got an in-air photo from one of our Club planes that you want to share with other members? Send it in!*

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### Meetings

Board Meetings: 3rd Wednesday, 6:30PM @  
Page Field Aviation Center

General Meetings: 2nd Tuesday, 7:00PM @  
RSW Training Center

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Updates/Articles/Pictures welcome!!

### \*\*\* OUR AIRCRAFT \*\*\*

#### Cessna Skyhawk 172 N3521Q

\$ 65 per hour + 10 gal fuel per hour



#### Piper Archer 181 N944CC

\$ 65 per hour + 10 gal fuel per hour



#### Cessna Skylane 182 N9490X

\$100 per hour + 13 gal fuel per hour

