

**EAA Chapter 322
Minutes of Meeting
Saturday – 06 September 2025
EAA Auditorium, Rand Airport**



AGENDA

- 1. WELCOME**
- 2. PREVIOUS MINUTES**
- 3. ATTENDANCE**
- 4. APOLOGIES**
- 5. BIRTHDAYS**
- 6. FUTURE EVENTS**
- 7. FINANCE**
- 8. MEMBERSHIP**
- 9. PRESENTATION**
- 10. SAFETY PRESENTATION**
- 11. GUEST SPEAKER: - “Lefty” Leftwich – designer at Air Cam Facility in Floriday**
- 12. ARO STATUS Update**
- 13. GENERAL**
- 14. CLOSE AND NEXT MEETING**

1. WELCOME

Meeting started at 09:05. Neil welcomed visitors, new members and current members. Thank you to volunteers preparing for the meeting and Ant for the boerie rolls and setting up the TV to watch the rugby.

2. PREVIOUS MINUTES

The August 2025 minutes were circulated via email prior to the meeting. No objections, changes or corrections were received.

3. ATTENDANCE

Members were reminded to scan their QR code to register points on the MACH programme. Points for attending gatherings have been doubled – members now earn 10 points.

As encouragement Neil showed some photo's of the new clubhouse at the SA Oshkosh camp as well as some of the aircraft who participated in the airshows. Charlie Becker paid some visits to SA group. He is pleased with the new manner in which EAA will be structured in SA.

4. JOIN EAA USA

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5. APOLOGIES

TC Schultz, Dean Nicolau, Sean Cronin, Andre Venter

6. BIRTHDAYS

Wishing all our members a great birthday!

If you are not at the meeting, you may miss your fellow aviators' birthday.

Kobus Clarke	1 September	Wynand Louw	2 September
Alan Stewart	2 September	Chris Shaw	2 September
Kevin McCormack	5 September	Michael Waller	07 September
Jandre Germishuys	9 September	Simon Crutchley	9 September
Peter Gaddin	9 September	Schalk Mouton	18 September
Pieter Cilliers	19 September	Mark Sahd	19 September
Peter Steyn	22 September	Marion Booysen	22 September
Barbara Frieboese	24 September	Leon Meintjies	26 September
Andrew Conroy	28 September	Jeremy Woods	30 September
Pierre Dippenaar	30 September		

7. FUTURE EVENTS

Saturday 6th September

Chapter 322 Monthly Gathering EAA Auditorium Rand Airport

Friday 12th & Saturday 13th September

Chapter 322 Annual Silver Creek Fly-in - Camp-Over and Pancake Breakfast. Once again we welcome in Spring with this annual legendary event at the beautiful Silver Creek Gorge Estate. The fun starts Friday evening, BBQ Friday night, second-to-none breakfast served from 07h30 Saturday morning.

Saturday 13th September – RV Day

Kitty Hawk

Saturday 4th October

Swartkop Airforce Base Fly-in

Friday 10th – Sunday 12th October

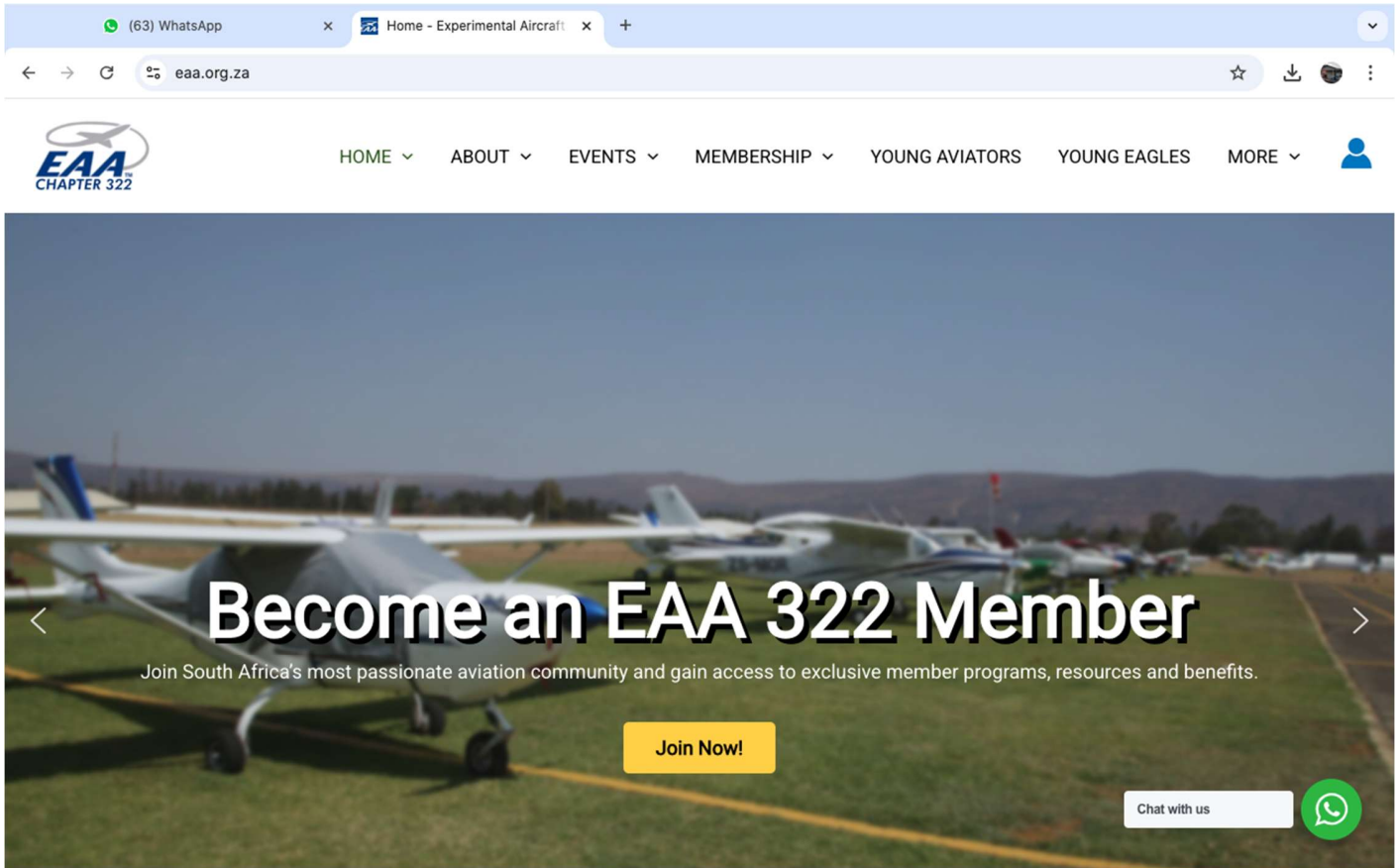
EAA Sun 'n Fun Festival



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8. NEW EAA 322 WEBSITE



9. NEW CLUBHOUSE!

Proposed EAA Chapter 322 Home Base at Krugersdorp Airfield
Jack Taylor's original hangar next to the restaurant, lots of history attached!
No maintenance, gardens etc
Catering at the restaurant
Establish our library, tool store, mini museum
Homely set-up where members can fly to for a cup of coffee, braais etc
Easy access for members to fly to gatherings, no ATC
Many of our members are based at FAKR
Short flights from Bara, Eagles Creek, Panarama, Tedderfield

Will be put out for EAA Members to vote.

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GUEST SPEAKER – “Lefty” Leftwich

A collage of images related to the guest speaker. On the left is a newspaper clipping with the headline "American pilot 'Lefty' Leftwich will share stories from his time as a designer at the Air Cam facility in Florida, along with accounts of the flying adventures he and his wife Holly enjoy around the Georgia Islands - often landing on beaches!" and the date "Saturday 6th September Rand Auditorium 07h30-11h00". To the right of the clipping is the EAA 322 logo. Further right are three photographs of a red biplane: one showing a person standing next to it, one showing it on a runway, and one showing it in flight.

11. Closing

Meeting closed at 10:35

Neil thanked all who attended