

CONCHO VALLEY AVIATOR

Drop In On Us

We Meet on the third Tuesday of the month at Joe's Italian Restaurant at 1601 S Bryant Blvd in San Angelo. Some meet at about 6:00 pm for pre-meeting dining and hangar talk.

Or drop in to visit the meeting at 7:00 pm and see what we're about. We start with a short business meeting which is followed by an aviation-related presentation

We top it all off with dessert type refreshments.

We'd be happy to see all aviation enthusiasts whether you are a pilot or not.

Refreshments

2013

October.....Dave Dierker

November...Don Smucker

December - Christmas Party

Thanks to the corny character on the right for the photos that you'll see later in this newsletter. =====>>

NEXT MEETING

Don't forget our next meeting on **Tuesday, October 15th at Joes Italian Restaurant.**

Program: Great video magazine featuring three amazing men of aviation: Paul Poperezney, Yves Rossy and Sean D. Tucker. (Yes, I cheated and previewed it.)



EAA CHAPTER 493 MINUTES OF THE SEPTEMBER MEETING
ARE PENDING AT TIME OF PUBLICATION....

THIS SPACE RESERVED FOR
MEETING MINUTES

AIRVENTURE PICTURES

Gerry Hatch submitted a group of photos that he took at and enroute to Oskosh this year. Some of them grace the following pages. Lots of nice warbird pics may follow in the future.

If anyone has pics of homebuilts, ultralights or unusual aircraft or events at Airventure we would love to see some of them. Almost anything aviation might be found at Airventure.

Please submit them as JPG files to the editor: tinkerlarry@me.com

Thanks, Ed.

SUGGESTIONS!

GET YOUR STUFF PUBLISHED HERE! (~with your byline)

PLEASE Send me some stuff to fill out our newsletter! Maybe it could be:

- Short article about a fly-in you attended recently
- Something about the best fly-in you ever attended.
- Your pictures from some aviation event.
- An experimental or other aircraft project in the area that you're doing or are aware of.
- Your favorite or most recent \$100 burger flight or destination.
- A favorite aviation-related web site with a link.

Email your article or photos to me at tinkerlarry@icloud.com.

Thanks, Your Editor

BD-5J The Worlds smallest jet.
One like it was used the the
James Bond movie Octopussy.
Max 300mph and 32,000ft



Can anyone ID the plane that this cockpit belongs to?

Looks like a throw-over yoke ala Beechcraft.

My, how panels have changed.

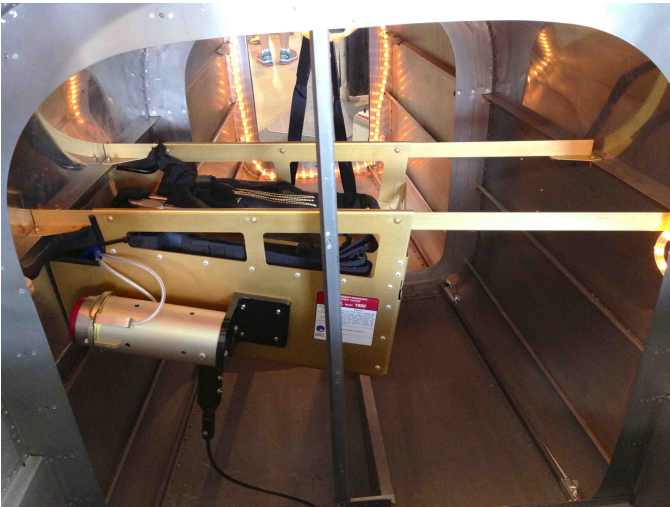




An Air Tractor crop duster painted like "Dusty Crophopper" in the Disney movie Planes.

and

A Ballistic Recovery System (parachute) made by the same company (BRS) that makes the one in Cirrus's. This one is for RVs.



Mitsubishi MU A6M Zero....