

THE VISUAL APPROACH

NEWSLETTER



EAA Chapter 987

Pontotoc, Mississippi

December 2001



Noon at the OK Corral.

New Officers for 2002

New officers for 2002 were elected at the last chapter meeting held December 2, 2001. The results were as follows:

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| President | Mark Kellum |
| Vice-President | Michael Tallant |
| Secretary | Chris Johnson |
| Treasurer | Larry Lindsey |
| Tech Counselors | Marvin Fitzgerald Michael Tallant Chris Johnson |
| Board Members | Larry Hale – 3yrs Warren Arter – 2yrs Marvin Fitzgerald – 1 yr |
| Young Eagles | Aubie Pearman |

Fall Fly-in Declared Success

The Fall Fly-in of Pontotoc EAA Chapter 987 was a great success. The final count was approximately 85 - 90 airplanes. The weather could not have been better. Weather conditions were “sky clear below one-two thousand”. Our treasurer Larry Lindsey reports that we made \$913.26.

The following is a list of the N-numbers recorded of those that flew in. If your number is listed, thanks for coming. If not, we hope to see you at our next fly-in!

N13MT N941MG N131D N3189B N991SL N105JG N4488C N381DC
N1327M N195RE N630TC N51122 N4498C N528KT N33BP N3416C
N7463B N837HB N9866A N63SC N62981 N4300E N369JL N9770H
N497B N6281N N3143W N2242B N3302D N125EB N486JW N81229
N331DH N4495H N7694A N114BC N42FK N714RF N526PT N6AC
N7137X N2099W N8288E N7083R A24FMC N739EU N90923
N597SP N53A N9629W N4833L N57699 N2702C N3497S N7525
N1654V N7045G N5209G N79939 N7153H N14PQ N4484K N8065S
N80350 N195AP N99990U N2158C N2556T N7437C N8833H
N151JS N613CA N360CR N444RB N22163 N9765Y N2025B
N5781S

7 Ultralights including N9074W A11RWW



More Pictures From the Fly-in



Life on the Flight Line.



Three Classics on the ramp.

I am looking forward to serving as president of EAA Chapter 987 in 2002. I have three priorities is taking over in January as president.

I would first like to thank Larry Hale for the excellent job that he has done as president. I am pleased that he will be serving on the newly elected board of directors. Thank you also to all others who have served as officers or in some other capacity of leadership in this chapter.

Secondly, I would like for EAA Chapter 987 to be what YOU want it to be. I want you to get out of your participation that which you desire. In order for this to be accomplished, I need to know what your desires are. I have enclosed with this newsletter a survey which will be the starting point for voicing your opinion. It is important that you respond to this survey by the last week of December. We will discuss the results of this survey at our January meeting.

Once we have established our goals and desires for this chapter, I would like for us to analyze our strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and threats – perform what the National EAA calls a “SWOT Analysis”. By doing this, we can grow stronger as a chapter and have more fun doing it because we will be getting out of this organization what we are seeking.

My last priority is for Chapter 987 to join the 21st Century as far as communication goes. This newsletter is part of that effort. It is our “Visual Approach” to communicating. I would encourage (and beg) anyone interested in submitting an article for the newsletter to do so. It will be very easy to include your article if you will type it in Word Perfect or Microsoft Word and then e-mail it to me at mjk@ebicom.net. I am seeking any articles that you think are relevant. I also plan for us to begin a web page that will allow us to communicate better between ourselves. It will also allow us to advertise our existence and activities to the community. You will find many good examples of chapter web pages by surfing the net. We can do that just as well as anyone!

I look forward to seeing you in January.

Mark

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Agenda for Meeting January 6, 2002

- I. Old Business
Posting of Chapter By-Laws
- II. New Business
Treasurer’s Report
New Policies from National EAA
Related to Membership
Discussion of Survey Results
Decision about Spring Fly-In



January is Dues Renewal Month. Dues for 2002 for Chapter 987 are \$15.00. Please pay your dues at the January meeting.



If you received this mailing and haven’t been to a meeting in a while, please come join us. We are working from a compilation of old membership lists. We look forward to seeing you in January.



Please send the questionnaire back to me in the enclosed envelope.