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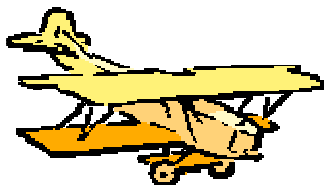
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Minutes of the March 2012 Meeting of EAA Chapter 315

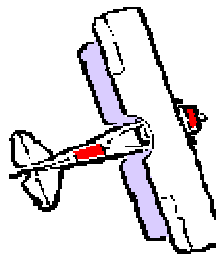
The meeting was called to order by President Bob Lorber, who called for an approval of the minutes of the last meeting. Approved by all present.

Treasurer Tom Goeddel reported \$1433.67 on hand after sending \$275.00 to national EAA for dues and insurance.





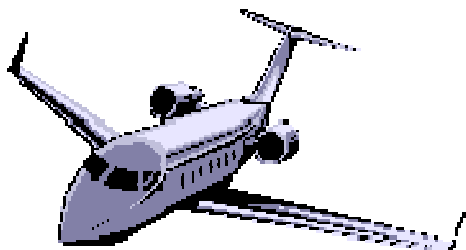
OLD BUSINESS



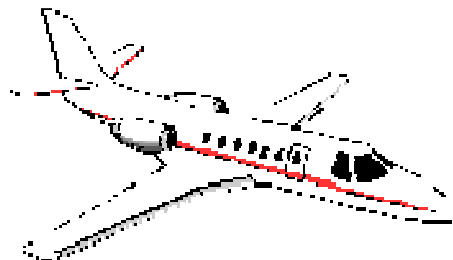
The Awards Dinner was next up for discussion. It is set for April 19 at 7:00 pm at the All Seasons II Diner on Rt.9 north of Freehold. Speaker will be Bernice Haydu, who served with the WASP in WW II. Some of our members have heard her speak at a meeting of the QB's and were very impressed.

A menu was chosen for dinner, the cost will be \$35.00 per person. John Izzo has made a model of the AT-6. Please mail your checks to the Treasurer (or bring them to the next meeting)

How about inviting an aviation-minded friend? 50 for dinner? Good!



NEW BUSINESS



- The movie "Red Tails" was seen by some members. Some yes, some no as to quality and authenticity.
- The Black Pilots held a Young Eagles event on March 3. Their member, Charles McGee, flew more combat hours in 3 wars-409 missions- than anyone. He flew a P51-C.
- A trip to the Udvar-Hazy Air and Space Museum will depart March 7 from Golden Eagles Airport per Bob Hartmaier.
- Sun n Fun will be held March 27 thru April 1.
- Open House at McGuire will be May 12 and 13.
- Eagles Nest Airport got permission for an above ground fuel tank and 18 hangars.
- Joe Flood is thinking about moving to Allens airstrip, near Flying-W
- National Young Eagles Day is June 9.
- All is quiet at local airports.

And then some plane talk, naturally. Glenn Stott talked about his work with the 7-X plane. Very interesting. A suggestion was made for a possible tour to see the works. Further discussion needed.

The meeting was adjourned, next will be April 2 at Old Bridge Airport 7:30 pm

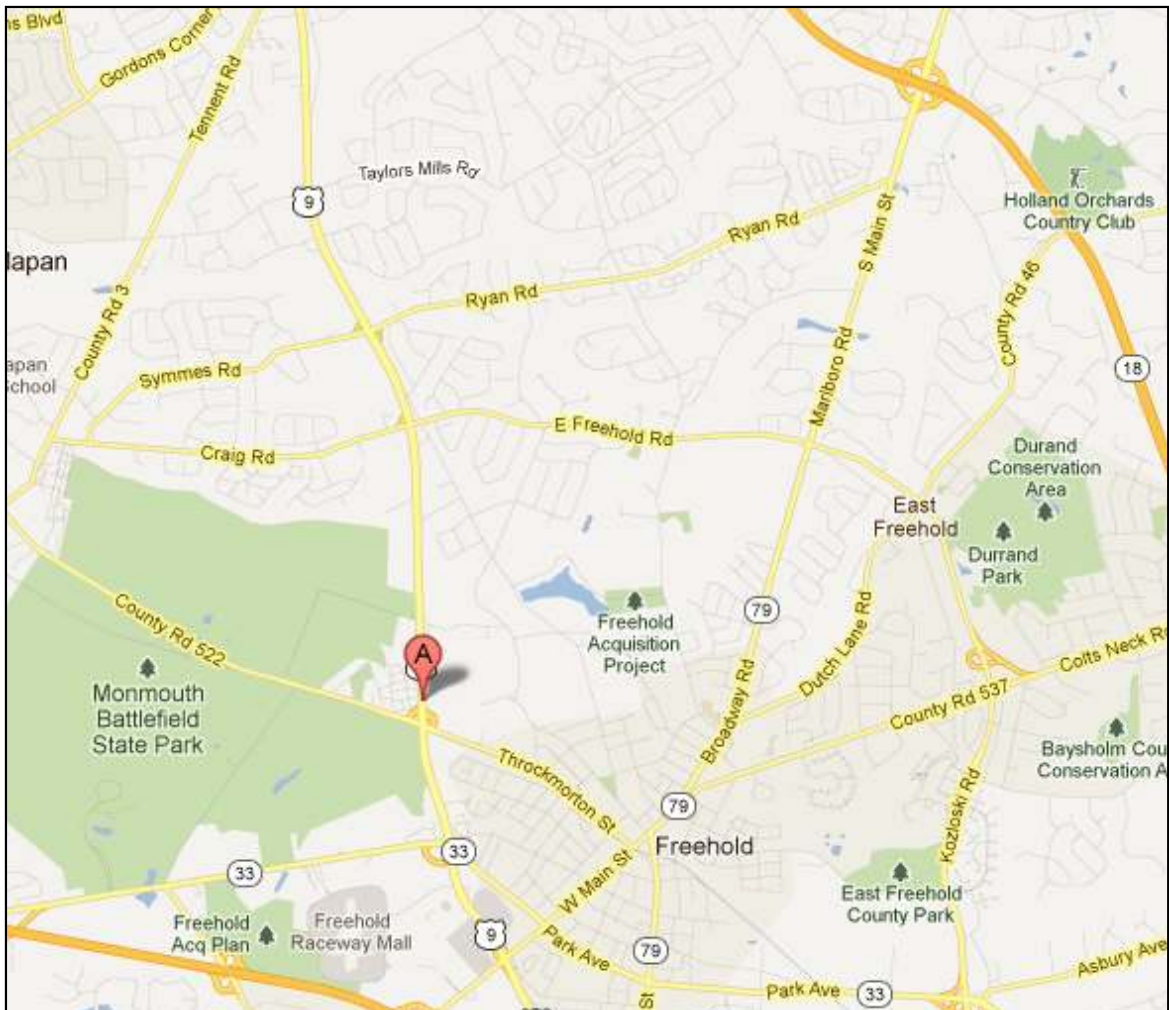
Secretary Jane Finton

2012 Awards Dinner

When: April 19, 2012 at 7:00 PM

Where: All Seasons II Diner
4135 Hwy. 9 , Freehold, NJ 07728

Cost: \$35 per person



More Aviation History

One of the members of the Black Pilot Association at Monmouth Executive Airport is Charles E. McGee. Charles McGee was one of the original Tuskegee Airman. He was born in 1919 in Cleveland, Ohio.

In 1942 he was an engineering student at the University of Illinois, when he decided to enlist in the U.S. Army, he became part of the Tuskegee Airmen and earned his pilot's wings in June of 1943.

He flew Aircobras, Thunderbolts and P-51 Mustangs. World War II ended Charles McGee remained in the Air Force and flew combat missions in Korea and Vietnam.

He ended his career with over 6000 hours of flying and has flown more number of fighter combat missions (409) than any other U.S. fighter pilot to date.



Source: Wikipedia.

EAA Chapter 315 Annual Awards Dinner

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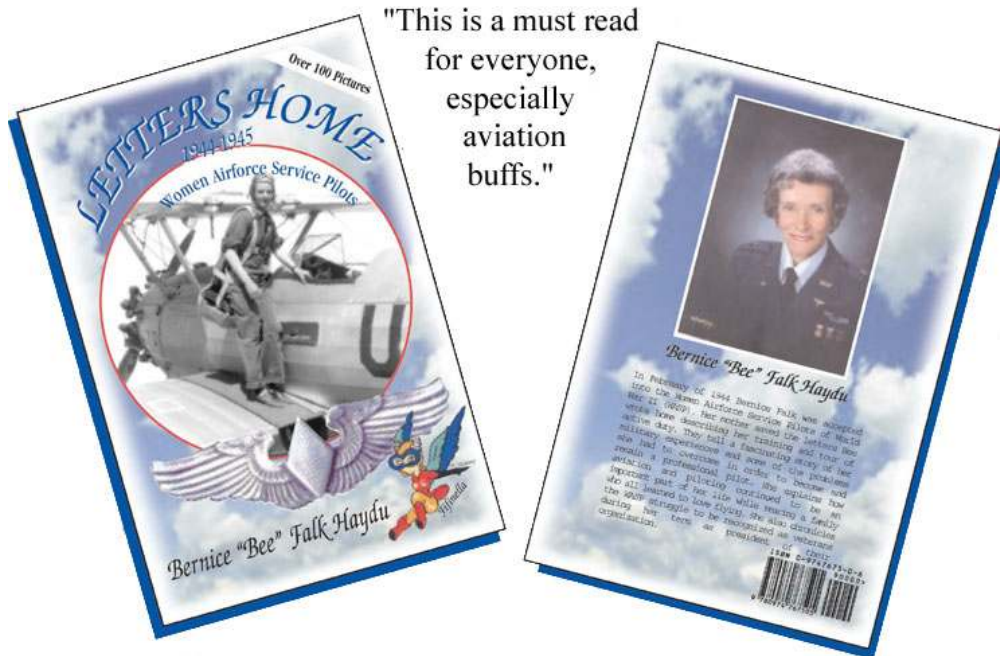
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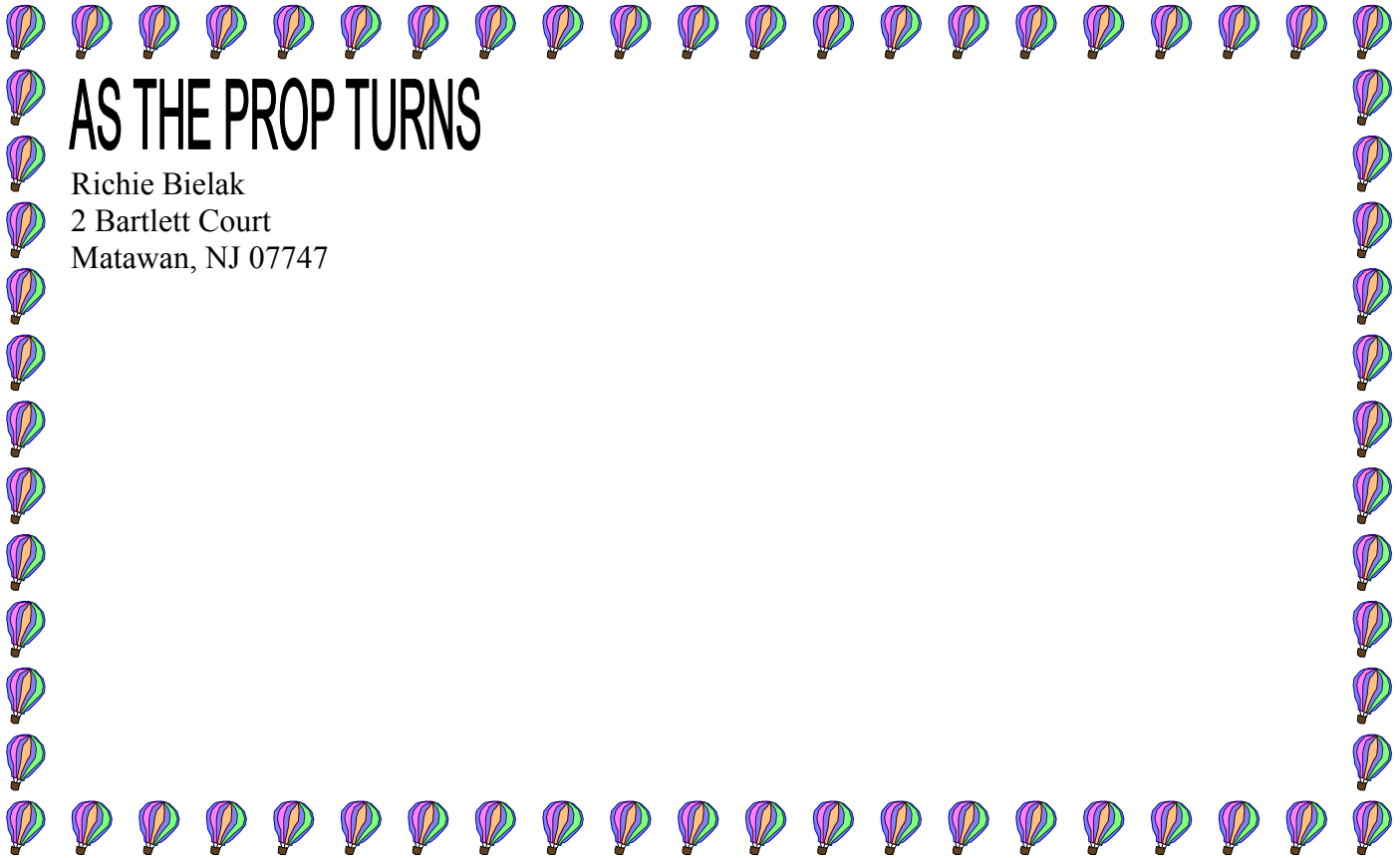
GUEST SPEAKER:

Bernice "Bee" Falk Haydu,
WASP (Women Airforce Service Pilot, WWII)

Lifelong pilot and author of "Letters Home"



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**Next Meeting: Monday, April 2nd, 7:30PM
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