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## THIS MONTH

Hello EAA chapter 66. We have been quite busy lately. After many years of planning and hard work we now have a hanger nearly done so we can spread out and work on airplanes. We have just a few items to finish before we ask for our final inspection and apply for the occupancy certificate. That will be an exciting day.

On November 15th we had a party celebrating the hanger grand opening. Good to see everyone there all dressed up and happy. What a party!

I don't know if it's the hanger, the party, or the young eagles program, but, we have noticed a steady stream of new members coming to chapter 66. Last week at the airport appreciation lunch I personally had four inquiries to join us. That really makes me happy. Let's all welcome the new members to the group by saying hello and introduce them to your friends.



**Next Breakfast + Young Eagles**  
1/4/26 8:00-10:00am  
1/3/26 setup/cleanup 9am

**Next General Meeting**  
12/16/25 6:30 food, 7:00pm start

**Christmas Party/Potluck**  
12/13/25 5:30pm

This Saturday will be our annual Christmas party. It will be a pitchin dinner at 6:00 pm. Some will come early to share stories during the social hour. See you there.

The young eagles program is doing very well this year. A good group of young aviators participate on the sims and ground school on their way to being a pilot. The board of directors are already working on the steps to award a scholarship. We wish the candidates the best of luck.

I want to personally thank my fellow officers and directors, as well as the many member volunteers for their hard work in making chapter 66 what it is today. Thank you.

**Ch66 President, JEFF**



In December we will have our last Young Eagles Rally for 2025. This year through our Thursday build night, our chapter has created a steady group of young eagles. They are working on simulators and building RC planes! The best part of our young eagles group is that it is now 100% led by the parents! This is very exciting for our chapter as we find that parent involvement in a child's life makes all the difference in the child's success and development.

As your chapter's young eagle coordinator, I am looking forward to 2026 and I can't wait to see all of the new and wonderful projects that our youth will build and complete! Also, the beginning of the year brings the possibility for our chapter to nominate someone for the EAA Ray Aviation Scholarship! The vetting process could be tough but as a reminder, if anyone is interested in becoming a pilot and is interested in the mentioned scholarship, the requirements are always posted on board in our chapter house. **JIMMY**

## FACT OF THE MONTH

Lauren Edgar credits the Seattle Museum of Flight's education programs, particularly the Museum Apprentice Program (MAP) during middle and high school, for igniting her astronaut dream through hands-on design of interactive discovery carts on lunar and Martian exploration. This included:

- Interacting with like-minded students
- Hearing stories and working with mentors, pilots, etc.

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## MONTHLY DATE'S THAT DON'T CHANGE:

<b>Breakfast:</b>	08:00	<i>Set up the prior Saturday at 09:00</i>
<b>Builders Night:</b>	19:00	<b>First Sunday of every month</b>
<b>Members Meeting:</b>	19:30	<b>Every Thursday.</b>
<b>Officers Meeting:</b>	18:00	<b>Every 3rd Tuesday (cook out at 18:30)</b>
		<b>Wednesday before members meeting</b>

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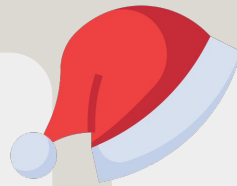
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