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Mona Kendrick speaking on "How an Airplane Flies" at the MB99s Flying Companion Seminar on February 28, 2009

Photo by Donna Crane-Bailey

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March Chapter Meeting

The MB99s March chapter meeting will begin at 7pm at the EAA hangar on Wednesday, March 18. Exit Hwy 1 at Airport Blvd., go toward hills, turn left after 3rd stoplight (Hangar Way) onto Aviation Way, proceed past WVI terminal and Zuniga's restaurant. EAA hangar is on the left.

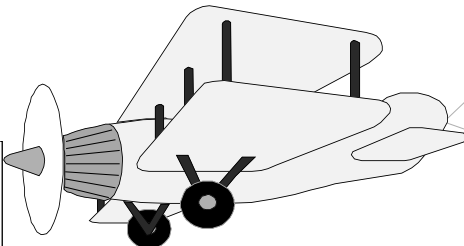
Program for the meeting will be a presentation by Mona Kendrick about Joan Smith, Jerrie Mock and their individual record setting flights. (more info, p.7)

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ARE YOU PPT?

Use this Proficiency Training Program form to register your activities. Awards will be based on the total number of members who participate, not just how many active pilots take part, so as not to penalize chapters with non-flying members. So let's document all those activities and get the forms in to Carolgene Dierolf, our Proficiency Training Coordinator.

Southwest Section Ninety-Nines Proficiency Training Program

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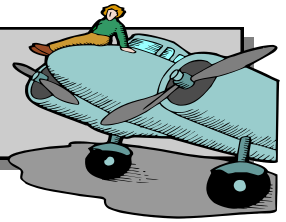


Return this completed form to:

Carolgene Dierolf
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 Salinas, CA 93901
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Prop Wash

By Michael S. Serasio



Finally we have received well needed rain!! When NIFA was at Salinas Airport February 13, 14 & 15 they didn't let the rain stop them. The lesson learned from the very energetic students was we should "test" ourselves on spot landings, power off landings and navigation to keep ourselves in check.

Our Flying Companion Seminar (FCS) was beautifully done. We had four eager participants and 15 Monterey Bay 99 members (list below). A great fun day was had by all. The breakfast and lunch were beautifully put together by Joanne Nissen and Geneva Cranford and tasted great too! The four participants had excellent reasons why they were taking the course including wanting to learn to fly! I gave each a membership form, FWP information and Scholarship information. Initially we were discouraged by the number signed up but in this economy downturn we did very well. I do not regret spending a Saturday with my friends and learning right along with the students...especially when Norm Hoffman from KION came by to teach about the weather! I remember when September 11, 2001 grounded all flights, the Salinas Airshow went on as scheduled. We did the same in having our Flying Companion Seminar.

Sincerely, Michael S.

Members providing their time and knowledge at the Flying Companion Seminar, 2/28/09:

Michael S. Serasio	Jody Roberts	Theresa Levandoski-Byers	Dena Taylor
Ann Goldsmith	Carolgene Dierolf	Alice Talmack	Joanne Nissen
Mona Kendrick	Teri Mantz	Geneva Cranford	Carolyn Dugger
Kay Harmon	Donna Crane-Bailey	Sarah Chauvet	

INTRODUCING SAL VALDES

MONTEREY BAY SCHOLARSHIP WINNER 2009

This year's MB99s scholarship winner is Sal Valdes. She is attending Cabrillo College, taking math, physics, and engineering courses, in which she excels, with plans to transfer to an engineering university and eventually to become an aerospace engineer. She has already begun flight training for her private license, and has completed ground school. We will all have the opportunity to meet her and enjoy her company at this year's Scholarship potluck! (Date and place to be announced later.)

**MARCH 28, 2009 PRESENTATION, 8 P.M. AT WAEC
JOAN SMITH & JERRIE MOCK—GIVING DUE CREDIT**

Mona Kendrick's presentation about the around the world flights of Joan Smith and Jerrie Mock in 1964 will draw from their own first-hand accounts. In Mona's words: "I've always known that they were both in the record books, but my interest in the subject was initially piqued by the fact that Jerrie has recently been re-discovered and interviewed by AOPA writer Dan Pimental. As I pursued the two stories I found that hardly anything has been written about Joan's flight beyond passing mentions of her as a "rival" engaged in a world flight at the same time as Jerrie. This seems very unfair to Joan -- her feat was just as noteworthy, after all -- so I tracked down the two magazine articles Joan wrote afterwards. She died in a plane crash in 1965, so these two articles are the only primary accounts we have of her adventure." (*Presentation immediately follows Monterey Bay Chapter business meeting*)

OTHER EVENTS

The 99s in Lancaster, CA invite sister 99s to our "Famous & Fun St. Patrick's Poker Run & BBQ" 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 pm Sun., March 15th, KWJF. BBQ tickets should be purchased before March 12th. Day of event, BBQ tickets sold based on available food. NOTE: WE SELL OUT! Contact Elle (661)948-5969 for more information: <http://www.freewebs.com/av99s/> NOTE: you do not have to fly to all the airports. Just come to KWJF pick up your cards, sit, have BBQ and enjoy hangar flying. Please bring pictures to share of your flying trips. Please contact Mercedes Eulitt, 661-400-1826 cell.

The retirement BBQ for Sharon Reeder will be Saturday, March 28th at noon in Tom Hoyt Park at Watsonville Airport, weather permitting. If it rains it will take place in the EAA 119 hangar. The catered menu includes tri-tip, chicken, beans, salad, bread and dessert at a cost of \$16. For those wishing to contribute toward a gift, donations are being accepted by EAA 119 (contact Tom Hail at thail@sbcglobal.net).

Colonel Herb Ross EAA Chapter 1432

Invites you to a

Pancake Breakfast

April 4th, 2009 9am-11am

Stockton Airport (KSCK)

Hangar K-7

Special Guest:

FilmMaker Rico Sharqawi of Wilco Films

Mr. Sharqawi will be talking about his upcoming documentary "A Pilot's Story". We will also view the new trailer for the film.

This is a very exciting project, of the same caliber as "One Six Right".

Learn more about this film at www.aPilotsStory.com.

If flying in, turn left on taxiway "J" to large open parking area, then walk 150 yards towards the tower to the EAA Hangar. If driving in, enter through Gate 16, park just inside the gate, next to the EAA

EAA 119 Fly-Out to Salinas to visit Cal Pacific Airmotive P51 Mustangs. April 11, 2009. Check EAA119.org for more details.

BOOK REVIEW

By Ann Goldsmith, FWP

On Extended Wings

By Diane Ackerman

As an excellent writer of prose and poetry, Diane Ackerman tells the honest story of her own early flight training experience. Her descriptions portray realistically the relationship between student pilot and flight instructor as well as her wonderful sense of wonder and her deep appreciation of the natural world. It's all laced with pleasing descriptions and a good sense of humor.

Although Ackerman does describe some of the technical things about flying and navigating in the air, the story is much more than technique. It's the story of her process, her feelings, her satisfactions, her shortfalls, her challenges as well as her joys and sheer delight with flying. It's such a good read one hesitates to put the book down.

I highly recommend this book for FWPs and I am sure the experienced 99 will travel happily back to the days of her own early experiences of discovering the joys of flying and of learning to navigate the airways with skill and delight.

From the SWS 99s Nominating committee:

Could It Be Magic? In life, you usually get out of something exactly what you put into it, be it a piggy bank, a tool box, or an organization. 99s are tremendously capable, accomplished, and simply fascinating women. Each of them seem to be carrying out the 99s mission, soaring above and beyond just flying left seat. Funny thing is, no matter how hard you work for this organization, you always get out of it more than you put in! ...Magic!

Each of our Southwest Section Officers has made a commitment to serve us all. They represent us at International meetings, manage our funds, encourage struggling Chapters, and guide our Section. It takes dependable, responsible women with insight and capability. Fortunately, much of the Section Officers' work is done via e-mail. It really doesn't take a huge time commitment to do some of these jobs. Of course, some ladies really throw themselves into it, delighting in visiting Chapters all around the Section.

The elected offices include: Governor, Vice Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, two Directors, and five members of the Nominating Committee. Our next election will be held in 2010.

Have you noticed that each 99 who serves leaves a legacy reflecting her talents? Please take a moment and consider yours... They may be just what we need! Don't be shy... nobody ever got a pilot's license that way. You just might want to test the waters by taking on a supporting role. Contact one of us on the Nominating Committee and let us help you become part of the Magic or visit www.SWS99s.org to download an application for office!

Your SWS Nominating Committee



MB99S REFRESHMENT SCHEDULE

March	Alice
April	Michaele
May	99s Potluck
June	Nic

Our Flying Companion Seminar



"I enjoyed everything!"



Here are the MB99s and KION 46 meteorologist Norm Hoffman sharing what they know at the Flying Companion Seminar on February 28. Clockwise, from top left: Ann Goldsmith on "The Fun of It," Dena Taylor as MC; Donna Crane-Bailey on "Radio Procedures"; Sarah Chauvet on "Flying from the Right Seat"; Kay Harmon in a "Weight & Balance" skit; meteorologist Norm Hoffman on "Weather"; Carolgene Dierolf on "Instruments"; Michael Sersasio on "Medical Facts for Pilots"; & Jody Roberts on "Navigation & Charting."

"When's the next one?"



"Thank you!"



"The seminar was excellent. Well prepared and presented."

—Comments by the attendees
—Photos by Kay Harmon, Donna Crane-Bailey & Michael Sersasio



"I wish it could last two days!"

"It was all great."

**Chapter dues are \$15. Make check payable to
Monterey Bay 99s and send to**

Sarah Chauvet , 147 Mesa Verde Dr , Watsonville, CA 95076

If you don't see your name here, you haven't paid! Our local dues run from June 1, 2008 to May 31, 2009. (If you paid for two years last year, let Sarah know.)

Gabrielle Adelman
Earline Arnold
Laura Barnett
Olive Bundgard
Sarah Chauvet
Donna Crane-Bailey
Geneva Cranford
Kryss Crocker

Carolgene Dierolf
Anna Jo Dieser
Pam Downing
Mary Ellen Eisemann
Ann Goldsmith
Kay Harmon
Jeanne Hendrickson
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Mary Saylor
Michaela Serasio
Jill Smith
Alice Talnack
Dena Taylor
Pat York

Member Activities

Sarah Chauvet
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Geneva Cranford
Kay Harmon
Anandi Heinrich
Mona Kendrick
Nic Kinsman
Teri Mantz
Joanne Nissen
Michaela Serasio
Alice Talnack

WPA Winter Business Mtg.
Judge at NIFA
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SOPA—post signs/KSBW TV for FCS
Local, in a cub!
Flight simulator approaches
Studying for checkride
Solo, WVI
Judge at NIFA
Touch & Go's SNS; NIFA
WVI Airshow Board mtg; local flights;
Judge at NIFA

MB99s
Your help is needed
with the
Day in the Sky
on April 18th.
Volunteers needed
for Ramp Control
and Ground Crew.

Contact Michaela at
flyngnurse@aol.com

Useful Weather Websites on the Central Coast

Here are useful weather websites meteorologist Norm Hoffman shared during his presentation at the Flying Companion Seminar:

Plotted Surface Observations

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/mesowest/mwmap.php?map=mtr&limit=1> <<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/mesowest/mwmap.php?map=mtr&limit=1>>

Coastal Wind Profiler Page

<http://www.weather.nps.navy.mil/profiler/coastprof.html>

Central Coast Wind Animation

<http://www.weather.nps.navy.mil/profiler/map/loopcc.html>

Fort Ord Profiler

http://www.weather.nps.navy.mil/profiler/ord_915.gif

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March 18, 2009——MB99s Chapter Meeting

7pm, WVI. (See pp 1 & 4)

March 28, 2009——Retirement BBQ for Sharon Reeder, Noon

Watsonville Airport, Tom Hoyt Park (see p. 4)

April 11, 2009——EAA Fly-Out to Cal Pacific Airmotive, Salinas

See p. 7

April 18, 2009——Day in the Sky, WVI

Check EAA119.org for more details

May 1-3, 2009——Southwest Section Meeting, Glendale AZ

Check sws-phx09.ninetynines.net for more details

July 22-25, 2009——99s International Conference, Chicago IL

Check chicago2009.ninetynines.net for more details