

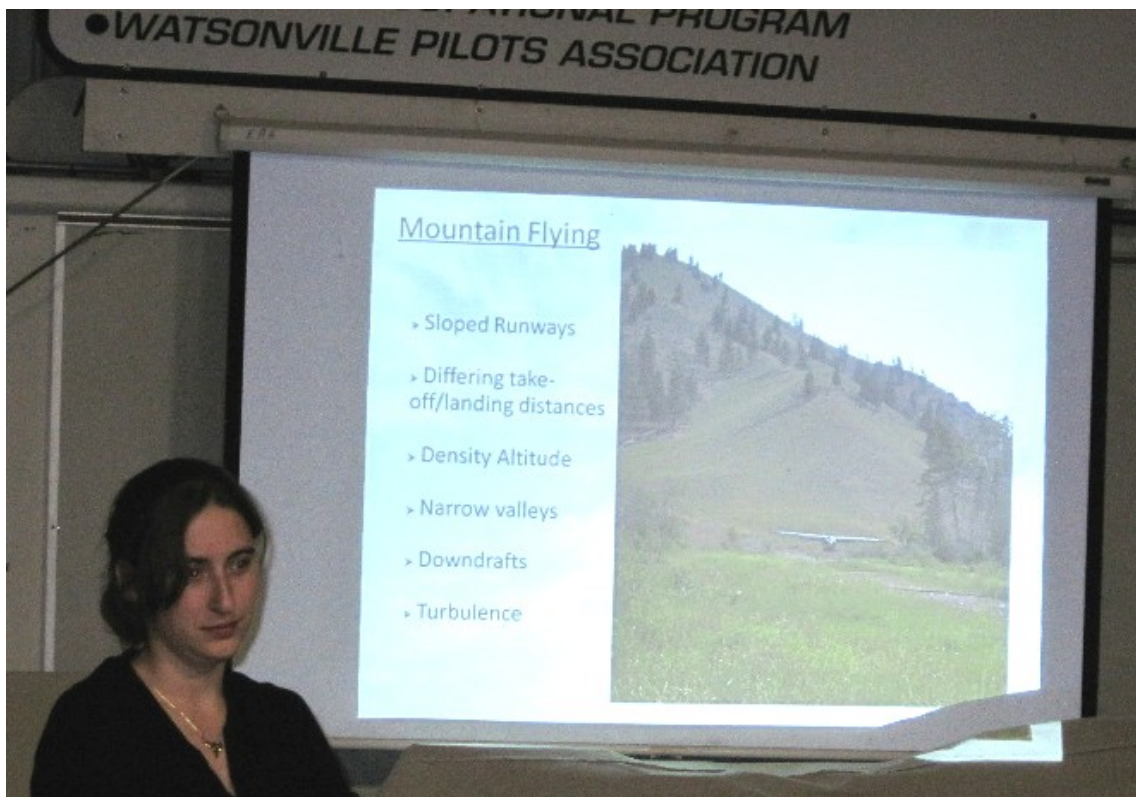
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*MB99s member Nic Kinsman gives a talk on how to recognize different types of mountains from the air and the intricacies of flying in their vicinity at our April meeting.*

*Photo by Mary Doherty*

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## May Chapter Meeting

The MB99s May chapter meeting will begin at 7pm at the EAA hangar on Wednesday, May 19. **See p. 5 for this month's program.** 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 and parking lot is on the left.

## Monterey Bay Chapter Officers

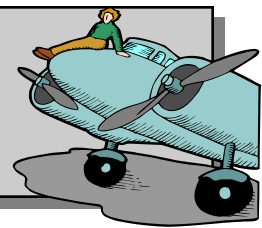
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## Prop Wash By Michael Serasio



Dear Fellow Ninety-Nines,

With all the April showers we should see some May flowers! The weather has allowed us to work during the week and fly on the week-ends. Mother Nature *must* be a woman! On May 15<sup>th</sup> Nic, Geneva and I hope to see everyone at Hollister Airport for Airmarking a Compass Rose. Plan to wear your painting attire and arrive at 10am. Bring your favorite 99s shirt for picture taking later when it is done. Car-pooling OR Airplane-pooling (!) might save some money, time, and be fun. Rain date is May 22<sup>nd</sup>. Boy Scout Troop 787 from Hollister will be assisting. Our Chapter has not done an Airmarking since March 2003 when we re-painted Salinas letters, numbers and compass rose. We will soon be planning to Airmark Salinas again...from scratch! I will shoot for June.

Hollister Airport is having their first Airshow Memorial Day Weekend. Contact [www.hollisterairshow.com](http://www.hollisterairshow.com) for more information. The Flying Fortress arrives at Watsonville Airport May 4 & 5. See [www.b17.org](http://www.b17.org) for further information.

We have a terrific speaker among us with Nic Kinsman teaching us about how mountains are formed. Thank you Nic and thank you Donna for finding this hidden treasure! Speaking of treasures...Has everyone thought for a moment what it would be like to be a Monterey Chapter Board Member? I hope so, as fresh faces and ideas are what our Chapter needs. If you are considering a position please contact Mona Kendrick. Elections are in May.

Sincerely,  
Michael

### A Chance To Vote For The Ninety--Nines!

The Ninety-Nines is one of 20 nonprofit aviation organizations nominated for the 2010 Lightspeed Aviation Foundation gift and grant program. The mission of the Lightspeed Aviation Foundation is to promote a vibrant and growing pilot community, support education that will preserve and extend the future of aviation and use our gifts within the aviation community to serve others for the betterment of our world. If you are a pilot, then here's your chance to select who should be the beneficiary of the Lightspeed Aviation Foundation. The top five selected charities will each receive no less than \$10,000. <http://www.lightspeedaviation.com/content.cf!m/Company/Foundation/Your-Vote-Counts> Go to the Lightspeed address and vote for the Ninety-Nines!

## Upcoming Events

### Watsonville Airport MAY 4<sup>TH</sup> & 5<sup>TH</sup>

**MISSION COST:** (Pre-Stop Booking Prices)  
**\$359** per person (EAA Members)  
**\$399** per person (non-EAA Members)  
**E-Z Pay (EAA Members)** 4 payments of \$89.75  
**E-Z Pay (non-EAA Members)** 4 payments of \$89.75

**WALK-UP PRICES:**  
 EAA Members: \$385 | **E-Z Pay: 4 payments of \$96.25**  
 Non-EAA Members: \$425 | **E-Z Pay: 4 payments of \$106.25**

**DAILY GROUND TOURS:**  
 Held after flight operations have stopped for the day.  
 Families: \$15 per family (adults & children under 18)  
 Adults: \$5 (FREE to ALL Veterans & EAA Members who join or renew on site that day)  
 Children under 8: FREE (accompanied by a paying adult)  
 Special group rates are made available for schools and large tours.  
 Limited availability. Please call for group reservations.

**Salute to Veterans**  
**Fly the Fortress!**  
 EAA's B-17 Bomber "Aluminum Overcast" is an example of the American heavy bomber that helped turn the tide of World War II. You can see and tour this historic airplane - and actually fly a mission!

**For reservations & inquiries call 800-359-6217**  
 Visit [www.b17.org](http://www.b17.org) or send an email to [b17@eaa.org](mailto:b17@eaa.org) for more mission details  
 Photo taken by: Mitch Bowers • [imgawerx](mailto:imgawerx) • [www.imgawerx.us](http://www.imgawerx.us)

All dates and times are tentative and subject to change due to weather or other causes. \*These prices are for advance bookings only. Once the B-17 is on location at the current tour stop, advance ticket sales are no longer available for that stop.

**Aluminum Overcast  
B17 Flight Experience**  
 Brought to you by  
**EAA Chapter 119**

**\$10 donation**  
**Only 100 tickets will be sold!**

*Flight from Watsonville Airport  
May 4th & 5th, 2010*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sold By: \_\_\_\_\_

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Raffle tickets for chance of winning a flight.  
 Available by calling any Chapter 119 Board member.

### Hollister Airport MAY 29<sup>TH</sup> & 30<sup>TH</sup>

#### **HOLLISTER AIRSHOW** **MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND**

**MAY 29 & 30**

**SAT & SUN 10AM-4PM**

**AEROBATIC PERFORMANCES -  
 FLY-IN - AIRCRAFT DISPLAYS -  
 VENDORS**

[www.hollisterairshow.com](http://www.hollisterairshow.com)

### South County Airport MAY 8<sup>TH</sup>

**Discover - Explore - Experience - the Excitement of Aviation**

**Wings of History Air Museum Presents  
 its 10th Annual Open House and Fly-in  
 Saturday, May 8, 2010  
 7:00am to 4:00pm  
 San Martin Airport  
 Free Admission**

**Young Eagles** **Free Young Eagles Airplane and Helicopter Rides**  
 (kids 8 to 17)

**Hot Air Balloons**  
 (from 7:00am, weather permitting)

**Free Museum Tours -**  
 experience the evolution of flight  
**Radio-controlled Model Aircraft**

**Craft Booths**  
**Special Display of Antique Cars**  
**and Much, Much More!**

**Food available all day!**  
**Pancake Breakfast starts at 8:00am**

**... for details, please visit [www.wingsofhistory.org](http://www.wingsofhistory.org)**

A big thank you to our event partners ...  
 San Martin Airport (South County Airport)  
 Experimental Aircraft Association (EAA) Chapter 62 and Chapter 110

Wings of History  
 12777 Murphy Avenue  
 San Martin, CA 95046  
 (408) 683-2290  
[www.wingsofhistory.org](http://www.wingsofhistory.org)

Note: EAA's B-17, the Aluminum Overcast, is coming to WVI the first week of May this year. Chapter 119 is raffling a ticket for a ride. There will only be 100 tickets sold at \$10 each. If you want to purchase a raffle ticket, call Mary Doherty at 831-423-3610.



## FAA Safety Seminars

For more info, go to [FAASafety.gov](http://FAASafety.gov)

### 1) "Flight Review Jeopardy" Part I

Tuesday, May 4, 2010 at 6:00 PM

Location: Diamond Aviation, 620 Airport Drive, #1, San Carlos, CA 94070

**Select Number:** WP1532014

**Description:** Come for the fun and leave with a Flight Review (ground component only) during game night as we play "Flight Review Jeopardy". If you missed last months presentation of this fun FAA WINGS Safety Seminar then look no further. This FREE event covers the required content per 14CFR61.56. This is part I of a two part event. Part II immediately follows at 7:30pm later that night will provide the actual logbook endorsement for a nominal FEE.

### 2) "Mountain Flying with a Smidge of Soaring" Mountain flying techniques and applicable lessons learned from soaring.

Thursday, May 6, 2010 at 7:00 PM

Location: Victory Aero hanger / Reid-Hillview Airport, 2502 John Montgomery Dr., San Jose, CA 95148

**Select Number:** WP1531800

**Description:** Mountain flying in light aircraft with some lessons learned from soaring.

### 3) "Safe Practices at Non-towered Airports" Airport and Runway Safety

Tuesday, May 11, 2010 at 7:15 PM

Location: Wings of History Museum, 12777 Murphy Ave, San Martin, CA 95046

**Select Number:** WP1531868

## Member Activities



Kryss Crocker	BFR & recency in P38, CPA & PRB
Jeanne Hendrickson	Local
Theresa Levandoski-Byers	BFR; El Monte; EAA Pancake Brkfst; Hollister; Day In the Sky
Jody Roberts	Training in the T-34 in MRY
Michael Sersio	WVI to Hollister & back
Alice Talnack	Radio fixed; local test flight
Dena Taylor	Practice; Day In the Sky

### Top 5 ways a PILOT can reduce impacts to seabirds :

- 1) Maintaining 2000' AGL is recommended within National Marine Sanctuaries .
- 2) Maintain at least 1000' AGL along the coast to avoid violating federal low overflight zones.
- 3) Do not fly directly over or make multiple passes of seabird colonies.
- 4) When flying into Half Moon Bay Airport, avoid flying over Devil's Slide Rock and Fitzgerald Marine Reserve.
- 5) Report violations to the NOAA hotline 1-800-853-1964

Source: The Seabird Protection Network



*MB99s helped out at Day In the Sky on April 17, an event where kids with disabilities explored the Watsonville airport and participated in a variety of activities.*

*Photo by Mary Doherty*

**Chapter dues are \$15. Make check payable to  
Monterey Bay 99s and send to  
Sarah Chauvet , 147 Mesa Verde Dr , Watsonville, CA 95076  
Our local dues run from June 1, 2009 to May 31, 2010**

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

Jo Dieser  
Carolyn Dugger  
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Jeanne Hendrickson  
Ginger Hobbs  
Mona Kendrick  
Nic Kinsman  
Teri Mantz  
Joanne Nissen

Pamela O'Brien  
Diana Peterson  
Sandy Pratt  
Ann Sanchez  
Mary Saylor  
Michael Serasio  
Jill Smith  
Alice Talnack  
Dena Taylor

## The Human Race

*By Laura Barnett*

This is our seventh year participating in The Human Race, and it's right around the corner. On Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup> we will join hundreds of other participants who are walking to raise funds for their charity or organization. Please make a 100% tax deductible donation towards The Monterey Bay Chapter 99s or contact me to get a packet to walk. It's so easy and you'll enjoy a walk along one of the most beautiful places on our coast. If anyone is interested in organizing our participation for next year, please contact me, since this will be my last year. Remember, 75% of the funds we raise help go towards our scholarship and 25% goes to the Volunteer Center of Santa Cruz County. A win-win donation!

Laura Barnett, 260 Jasmine Lane, Watsonville, CA 95076  
831-722-8491, bassfly22@yahoo.com

### **PROGRAM FOR MAY MEETING:**

***How to avoid getting your plane caught in a parachute--  
or, what you need to know if you choose to jump out of a perfectly good plane.***

Join us for a presentation by Volker Haag and representatives from Skydive Surf City. The program will include:

- Skydive Surfcity (aka Santa Cruz Skydiving): who we are, history, objectives, goals, purpose, future
- Modern Parachute Technology: Not your father's parachute...how times/technology have changed parachutes and therefore improved safety in skydiving
- Skydiving procedures, operations and safety, airspace, requirements, licenses, landing patterns of parachutists
- How we can work together to ensure safety
- Questions and answers

**Volker Haag:** Owner of Skydive Surf City (aka Santa Cruz Skydiving), professional background: Masters in Economics, sky diving experience: skydiving Instructor, 6500 jumps, FAI D license, competition 4-way formation skydiver.

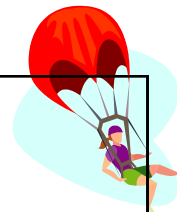
**Lisa Airmet:** FAA certified rigger (reserve parachute packer).

**Evan Winsor:** 28 yrs been a pilot for 3 years, commercial rating (2 years ago) TT 2100, being the pilot in command for dropping around 1000 loads of jumpers, in the last 1.5 years.

**Ernie Winsor:** long time pilot and jump pilot.

**Garth Harley:** Tandem instructor and radiologist, commercial pilot, multiengine turbine, jump/corporate experience. TT 2000 skydiving experience: approx 3500 jumps, 1000 tandem jumps, demos jumps, skydiving world records, etc.

**Wayne Wright:** Tandem instructor and business executive, pilot, instrument rated, 1400 jumps.



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*Apr 29-May 2, 2010* ————— *Southwest Section Meeting*  
*Resister online at <http://ninety-nines.net/swssjv/instruc.asp>*

*May 8, 2010* ————— *Human Race fundraising event, see p. 5*  
*Also: South Co. Open House & Fly-In, see p. 3*

*May 19, 2010* ————— *MB99s Chapter Meeting*  
*EAA Bldg., WVI, see pp. 1 & 5*

*June 22-25, 2010* ————— *Air Race Classic*  
*[www.ninety-nines.org](http://www.ninety-nines.org)*

*July 5-9, 2010* ————— *International 99s Conference*  
*Kona, Hawaii. See p. 7 and [ninety-nines.org](http://ninety-nines.org)*

*Aug. 14, 2010* ————— *MB99s 45th Anniversary*  
*Watch for details*

*Sept. 3-5, 2010* ————— *WVI Fly-In*