



# Carolinas Chapter Short Wing Piper News

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**Feb 11 , 2012 CSWPC Meeting** Gilliam – McConnell Airfield (5NC3) Carthage, NC. Meet at the PIC-n-PIG Restaurant at 11:30 AM. The airport info: 7 miles north of Moore County airport (KSOP) 2500 ft. paved runway 13/31 with left hand patterns. CTAF is 122.9 and Elev. is 445 ft

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Shortwings on the ramp at Martinsville

Happy New Year 2012

The CSWPC held its first meeting of the new year on January 7th at the recently reopened restaurant at Blue Ridge airport near Martinsville VA. In 2011 the restaurant had opened and closed several times but has long been a favorite place for us to hold our first meeting of the new year. The weather was a bright sunny VFR day with a little wind that added practice to the take-offs and landings.

I am please to say that we had a great turnout from our membership as well as some guests. When we sat down for lunch we had 14 at the table. We had pulled a couple of tables together and then pulled up a couple more to accommodate our crowd. Rhonda's

restaurant shares space adjacent to the FBO and has an excellent view of the runway. It is a pleasant place to share a meal with friends. The menu is varied with all types of sandwiches but now breakfast is available early as well as a lunch. A breakfast flight may be in our future. The food was better than I remembered and I will be making frequent return flights.

Attending this first meeting of 2012 were **Marshall & Lenora Teaff** from Bradford Field near Huntersville in their PA-22, **Roger Montambo** and grandson **Andrew** from Bradford in his PA-22 and **Dave MacDonald** also from Bradford came in his Taylorcraft. **Al Burk** with guest **Calvin Carter** flew in from Chapel Hill in Al's PA-22. **Jeff Anderson** flew his pretty PA-20 over from nearby Shiloh-Rockingham County. Also arriving from Shiloh was **Steve Hill** in his PA-22, Steve is not a member but when we saw him arrive we invited him to join us and share the food and fun of the Carolina shortwingers. Steve, you are welcome to join us again. **Roger Hawkins** and **Diane Mamess** drove from Asheboro. For many years Roger has given country ham to those in attendance at our December meeting. This year he missed the December meeting, as did many others. So Roger surprised us with ham in January. Thank you from all of us Roger. We appreciate it and will enjoy every mouthful. **Dale Holder** and I made the short 20 minute flight from Winston-Salem in my PA-22. **Hassel Handy** had the

shortest flight in his BC12D from a private field just a few miles away. Thanks to all of the members that made it and a special thank you to the guests. Our February meeting will held at Carthage on the 11<sup>th</sup>, hope to see you there.

*Steve*



All the crew. Names were not sent with the picture.

### My Tri-Pacer Rebuild Update



My wings in the garage.

My rebuild has been on hold over the holidays. The Stewart wing tip conversation is complete, and new control cables are ready for installation. The next step is to put sheet metal under the fuel bays to reinforce that area, but my A&P want's a 337 for the mod. So until it's approved the wings are on hold. I'm currently cleaning up the tail surfaces and have found two cracked ribs that will need repair. Haven't heard yet if repair is possible or it they will need replacement.

**Rich**

### Upcomming Events:

Mar 10 - Sanford (KTTA)

Apr 21 - Sugar Valley (5NC2)

May 5 - Person County (KTDF) VAA # 3 spring fly in

Jun 4 - Rowan County (KRUQ)

July 14 - Pick N Pig Gilliam McConnell (5NC3)

Guys,

Our March 10th meeting is confirmed for the Second Saturday cook-out hosted by the Wings of Carolina Flying Club at the Sanford-Lee County airport (KTTA). The club holds monthly cook-outs and we have been invited to join the fun. The March menu will be the usual - hamburgers, cheeseburgers, hotdogs, bratwursts, baked beans, chips and sodas... all at a very reasonable \$5 cost. The grill is 'open' from 11 am to 1:30 pm so try to arrive around our usual 11:30 time. Depending on the weather crowds are generally around 25 to 45, so there should be plenty of friendly aviation related conversation.

Our April meeting will be held near Mocksville NC at the new Sugar Valley airport (5NC2). The folks at Sugar Valley are trying to revitalize an older airport and bring a new enthusiasm for flying to the area. I attended an event in the fall and the hospitality could not have been better. Please put April 21st on your calendar and come prepared to enjoy the day.

If you know of a place or event that we should attend please let me or Rich know so that we can put it on the calendar.

**Steve**

### Renewing Members:

Ricky Jones

Joyce & J Wood

### Nametags:



CSWPC nametags are still available. If you would like one please send \$6.50 to **Marshall Teaff, 9013 Salford Ct. Huntersville, NC 28078**. Please include "N" number and aircraft type. Available aircraft are Tri-pacer, Colt, Clipper, Pacer and Vagabond



**CSWPC Shirts & Caps:**

The Carolinas' Chapter now has available Men's & Ladies shirts & caps with an embroidered CSWPC logo.

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CSWPC dues are \$10/year. Please do not make out checks to the club since we do not have a club bank account, and the bank will not let individuals cash them. **Make checks out to "Richard Netherby"** or pay in cash at our next meeting. Thanks

Richard Netherby

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**Dedicated to the Memory of Mitch and Joseph Freitag.**

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