



Carolinas Chapter Short Wing Piper News

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February 20, 2016 CSWPC Meeting. Montgomery County Airport (43A) Star, NC
Runway 3/21 2660ft CTAF 122.8 meet at 11:30 and walk to Martha's Grill at the north
end of the airport.

January – 2016

The winter of 2015-2016 has not been good for our Shortwing meetings. November has many Saturdays with low ceilings and cold temperatures then finally a day with clear sunny skies and **Al Burk** and I made a flight to Martinsville's Blue Ridge airport for a nice conversation and lunch. December was no better with low clouds over most of the state that did not clear until later in the afternoon; too late for a lunch flight. I do understand that **Roger Hawkins** made the drive over to Gilliam McConnell for lunch.

January 2016: a new year for Shortwing flying and an opportunity for our members to get back into the air after many weeks of miserable flying weather. But it was not to be. With cool brisk winds and cloudy skies only Marshall and Lenora and Bonnie and I made the drive to Carthage for a great lunch at the Pik-N-Pig.

Marshall brought his new tool; a Raspberry Pi ADS-B IN unit that he purchased from Amazon. This is the unit that was discussed when Al and I had lunch at Martinsville. Pretty nice for a low price. Again this was not a day for flying and the turnout of members reflected such.

This brings us to the month of February and I hope the weather will cooperated for a day of flying. Marshall will "host" the meeting which is at the Montgomery County airport in Star, NC.

Meeting date is February 20.

I am unable to attend due to a work related meeting but I hope that many of you will get your airplanes in the air and enjoy the day.

Dates have been selected for upcoming meetings but locations have not been finalized. Please mark you calendars with the following dates for future meetings – March 12, April 16, May 7 (Roxboro) and June 11. If there are locations or events that may be good for a meeting please contact me with the information.

And finally, I do want to remind all that CSWPC dues for 2016 are now being collected. The \$10 amount has not changed but we do need the dues to pay for our website and the small amount of postage required used to mail newsletters. There has been some conversation out the chapter purchasing tools for loan to our members. This could be reviewed if we have the funds available and there is a real need. Please note that dues are payable to **Rich Netherby**, his address is listed in the newsletter.

Hope to see you at March 12th meeting and Fly safe!

Steve

Treasurer's Report:

Our balance as of Jan 1, 2016 is \$477.10. The only expenditures were 52.99 for ink and paper, \$49.00 for stamps and \$102.05 for Website hosting. As Steve has said we will be collecting dues again this year. I would like to find some way to transition to collecting dues in January for the following year, Making it easier for everyone to know when they are due. I am open to any suggestions as to how to accomplish this.

Rich

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.

Men's shirts are 5.5 oz. 50/50 cotton/poly with pocket & welt collar and rib knit cuffs. Colors are White, Ash, Black, Cardinal, Deep Forest, Deep Navy, Deep Red & Deep Royal. Adult sizes-- S-4XL. \$24

Ladies shirts are 5 oz. 65/35 poly/cotton pique. Knit collar & cuffs Colors offered are White, Light Blue, Light Pink, Navy, and Light Stone (Tan) ladies sizes XS—XXL \$28

Caps are 65/35 poly/cotton and available in White, Black, Khaki, Royal, Red, Hunter Green & Navy \$17. Prices include tax & shipping. Send cash or check to: Marshall Teaff, 9013 Salford Ct. Huntersville, NC 28078

DUES AND RENEWAL DATE REMINDER :

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.

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