



**Next Meeting: Thursday April 7 6:30 PM
Worcester Airport Terminal**

April 5, 2005

Hi fellow pilots,

We are coming up on the 3rd Annual meeting of WAPA, and it is time to renew your Membership, or to join WAPA if you have not yet done so. Membership is \$35, with a \$5 discount for renewal by our May 5th Annual Meeting.

Its hard to believe that we've been meeting now for 3 years. While we have had a good year of accomplishments, much remains to be done.

With the exception of the winter snow, we continue to hold monthly meetings and sponsor the quarterly FAA Safety Seminars.

We've decided to move meetings around a bit for the coming year. In addition to Worcester, we plan to meet at Spencer, Southbridge, and occasionally at an area restaurant.

Last year was a great year for Young Eagles, Our June Young Eagles day and Pancake Breakfast Fly-in at ORH was a tremendous success. We hope to have a repeat event this year. June 11^h is International Young Eagles Day.

We raised almost \$2500 for the Youth Flight Training Scholarship.

We've done a lot of work on the Web to encourage communications within WAPA including a new members only section.

But... In order to be successful, we need your help. **How?**

Please send in your membership and/or membership renewal and update your information.

Help us with activities

EAA members, help fly Young Eagles

Organize our 3rd annual WAPA Picnic for later this year.

Lead an impromptu Fly-Out. (Contact the WAPA Membership by sending email to unicom@worcesterapa.org)

See something interesting? Click "Submit Story" on the WAPA web and tell us about it! **There will be a quarterly \$25 gift certificate drawn from among the submissions to the web.**

Nominations are in April, Elections in May. Cast your hat into the ring. Tell us what you want! And help make it happen!

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Thursday, April 7rd** FAA Safety Seminar "Flying the NY VFR Corridor" Short business meeting at 6:30 pm for nominations for board and officers of WAPA.
- **Saturday, April 16st** WAPA trip down the NY Corridor, Lunch at Dutchess County Airport.
- **Thursday, May 5th** WAPA Annual Meeting and Elections
- **Thursday, June 2th** WAPA Meeting. TBD
- **Saturday, June 11th** Young Eagles Day and Tentative Pancake Breakfast at ORH
- **Thursday, July 7th** FAA Safety Seminar

Want company for a Breakfast run? An IFR Safety Pilot? Just want a co-pilot? Want help washing your plane? Have questions for a Mechanic? Discovered a new place to fly, or a new way to use your aircraft? Send a note to unicom@worcesterapa.org to contact the WAPA Membership.

As a member, you will be receiving an email with a new userid: "" and password. This will give you access to a new members-only section of the web where you can find names and addresses of other WAPA members.

Thanks again for your support, and we look forward to seeing you at the next WAPA meeting.

The WAPA Board

Paul West
George Clark
Tom Reynolds

Larry Pray
Bill Uzell
Alex Kittenplan

Rich Tedesco
Cary Dillman
John Munn

If we don't have your email address, please send an email to feedback@worcesterapa.org, **and/or include it in the response below**. It saves us a significant amount of effort and money if we can communicate using email. Also, don't forget to check out the latest stories at the WAPA website at <http://www.worcesterapa.org/>

Please make any corrections below and return the revised information.

Membership is \$30, \$35 after the May Meeting. (Please return the information even if you don't renew your WAPA membership. We use this information to pass along important information about flying in the Worcester area. *We will never share your information with other organizations*)

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