

Wrens Happenings

Club member Steve Amster “answered the call” and graciously flew on two different occasions over the Wrens Memorial Airport (65J) to take some photos. He used a much nicer camera than the “box” camera John Magnan used for the previous photo in 1997. Steve's camera was a [Canon EOS 60D](#) DSLR (digital single lens reflex). For both occasions he flew his Cessna 172S N2069S. He picked days with little wind and a clear sky. The captions under the photos give details of his altitude, etc.



Steve wrote “taken from 2200 ft MSL (1750 ft AGL) from my Cessna 172S while on autopilot”

This photo was also sent to AirNav and now is the featured photo for the [Wrens Memorial Airport \(65J\)](#)



His next time out with his plane he took some close-ups of the Wrens airport ramp area. You can see the hold line, taxi lines, and the Compass Rose.

On February 20th Steve wrote “I went flying today -- slower, lower, and closer over Wrens. Autopilot, 1900 rpm, 10 degree flaps, 80 kts.”

AVIATION QUESTION OF THE MONTH

Answer to last month's question: A pilot let his 90-day landing currency lapse. Does he need to fly with a CFI to regain his currency?

According to AOPA and the FAA: As long as you still have a current flight review, you would not need to fly with a CFI. According to [14 CFR 61.57 \(a\) 1](#), in order to act as pilot in command carrying passengers a pilot needs to perform three takeoffs and landings in the past 90 days. If a pilot lets this currency lapse, he or she may regain currency by performing the required takeoffs and landings as long as no passengers are carried.

This Month's Question: Does the CFI checkride count as a flight review? *(another trick question!)*



EAA 172 Fish Fry Fly-in
 March 9, 2013, 12:30 PM
 Pea Patch Aerodrome (61GA), Blythe, Georgia

EAA 172 Breakfast Fly-in
 April 13, 2013, 9:00 AM
 Pea Patch Aerodrome (61GA), Blythe, Georgia

EAA 172 Meeting
 May 11, 2013, 12:30 PM
 Pea Patch Aerodrome (61GA), Blythe, Georgia

Birthdays

Danny	STANTON	03-01	Dorothy	CRAWFORD	03-04
Don	BUSH	03-11	Gaye	HILL	03-12
Alfred	NEWMAN, Sr.	03-12	Johna	THOMPSON	03-26
Peter	TREMBLAY	03-24	Machell	WHEELER	03-27
			Sheila	CONNELL	03-30

Anniversaries

Ross & Machell	WHEELER	03-05
Roy & Dollie	WICKER	03-09
Bruce & Cathie	HITT	03-11
Greg & Ginger	CONNELL	03-27
Jerry & Dorothy	CRAWFORD	03-29

EAA 172 Night Out

Thursday, March 28: EAA 172 monthly "get-together" -- Social Meeting 6:30 PM -- This is a monthly non-business social gathering held on the fourth Thursday. This month's location is the **Malibu Jack's Surf Grill**, 231 Fury's Ferry Road, Augusta GA (A reviewer wrote "it is kinda hidden off of Fury's Ferry Rd. close to River Watch Parkway but well worth looking for."). Phone number: 706-364-9175. Website: [Malibu Jack's](#). Map and directions: [Malibu Jack's Directions](#).

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