



TROY OAKLAND PILOTS FLYING CLUB, Inc.

Oakland / Troy Airport, Troy MI. (VLL)

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE... September, 2012

Hello everyone,

TOPS has two new members: Deb and James McCarty. Welcome to the club! If you read your email you know that our newest addition to the fleet, N737LM, is now on the schedule. The instructors are all ready to help you get signed off on this great aircraft. The maintenance crew did a awesome job getting it ready for the members; however, they are not done yet. Very soon we will replace the old Garmin 430s with new 430Ws. This will give us current databases and more IFR options.

Joe Hass seems to know everyone, or know how to find everyone. Thanks to Joe we had an awesome event with the Embraer Phenom and owner, and now he is cooking up another great event. Sometime early this winter, Mac McClellan, former editor-in-chief of *Flying* magazine will be hosted by TOPS at a presentation open to all pilots. More information will follow on this exciting opportunity to hear one of aviation's most experienced writers. If Charles Lindbergh was alive, Joe would have him at a TOPS event. Thanks Joe!

See you all at the Wash & Wax on October 6th.

Dave

Wash and Wax

October 6th

8 am

Cookout to follow

Embraer Phenom hosted by Paul Zlotoff



On August 14th, Mr. Paul Zlotoff hosted our club meeting in his hangar at PTK. His presentation was terrific. He detailed the decision process on selecting a very light jet to meet his needs and those of his corporation.



Just like 477 only faster!

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Above: Jeff Boris flew his bird in for the event. Below: Great turn out!



From the Flight Surgeon

The big news is MedXPress becomes the law of the land in making application for your FAA medical effective 10/1/12. It will be the only way you can do your medical application. It is pretty easy to use and only has a few occasional glitches which the FAA has mostly taken care of.

An EAA webinar on MedXPress took place Tuesday, September 4, 2012 at 8pm Eastern Time. If you miss the webinar, it is archived on EAA's webinar site. The link to the webinar is <https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/595644290>.

Fly safe and if you get time visit our Facebook page Airdocs!

Gregory Pinnell, MD
Senior AME/ Senior Flight Surgeon USAFR
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Dr. Scott Grant , TOPS member, can now provide examination services for your aviation medical. Dr. Grant is located in nearby Birmingham (Maple and Old Woodward).

His contact information is:

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Same day appointments are possible. Make sure you mention that you are a TOPS member.

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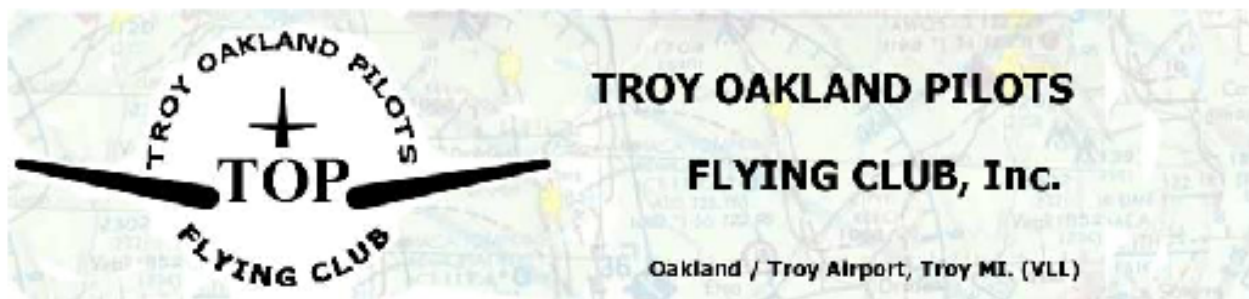
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