

AIR NEWS



Chicago Area Chapter Ninety-Nines®, Inc., International Organization of Women Pilots.

OCTOBER 2021

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OCTOBER NOVEMBER DECEMBER EVENTS

October 3 12:00 noon

Campbell Airport C81

October Fly In/Drive In event and Meeting

Hostess Shelley Ventura



October 7 5:00pm cash bar 6:00pm Awards Dinner

Hilton Garden Inn St Charles ILChicago 99s Rep to Hall of Fame Cynthia Madsen

Illinois Aviation Hall of Fame



November 3 6:30pm

Atlantic Aviation FBO, 1011 S Wolf Rd, Wheeling, IL Hostess Madeleine Monaco

Chicago Area Chapter meeting

How about a pot luck ladies? And an educational program? What say you?



December 12, 2:00pm

Lucky Monk, 105 Hollywood Blvd. South Barrington, IL

Holiday Party

Hostess, Mona Knock



WHO'S WHO
in the
Chicago Area Chapter

CHAIR

Madeleine Monaco

VICE CHAIR

Mona Knock

SECRETARY

Autumn Alderdice

TREASURER

Shelley Ventura

Deadline for submission the
20th of the month :

Madeleine Monaco, Editor

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CHAPTER BRIEFING

Pre and Post Flight

Madeleine Monaco



Welcome to FALL. Best part of the year to fly in the Midwest (in my opinion) Don't let it pass you by. Take flight!!!

We have made a few changes—pilots are flexible and adapt well to change. Our Treasurer has been overwhelmed by outside (other than 99s) pressures and has had to resign. Deena is such a valued member of our Chapter and continues to support us, but needs to focus on her practice right now. Our Secretary, Shelley Ventura has agreed to switch seats and take over for Deena as Treasurer, and Autumn Alderdice has agreed to step in as our Secretary. Our very sincere thanks to all three.

Our North Central Section Meeting was held in Tomahawk Wisconsin at Treehaven Conference Center, on the weekend of September 24-26. As a hybrid meeting it was very well attended and our business was conducted by a team of dedicated 99s, some of whom provided excellent technical assistance that made it go smoothly. The next NCS Meeting is scheduled for April 22-24 2022 in St Louis, MO. The plans include a private tour of the special Boeing Facility there. Please consider joining us as we celebrate the uniqueness of being a 99. Meet women from around the Midwest who know what you (and not too many others) know—that aviation is so special as are the people who love it.

In the spirit of cooperation that runs through aviation activities, we support our sisters in Chicago's Leading Edge Chapter of Women in Aviation. During the same weekend as our meeting at Treehaven, Girls in Aviation Day was celebrated at Lake In The Hills (3CK) airport. A few of our members worked this event and helped to make it special for the girls in attendance. Thanks for that!

I want to be sure that everyone in the Chapter knows that there are ways they can contribute. When we post in this newsletter that we need help, that request is for EVERYONE. There is no job that can't be learned. There is no helper who can't be trained. There is nothing that can't be improved upon. There is no requirement of experience for the work we need help with. So when you see an ask—you can answer. If you have been a member for 10 minutes or 10 years—you can help. We will try to give you an accurate statement of the amount of time involved, and whether it can be done days, nights, weekends, or in 10 minute increments if necessary. Volunteering once does not mean you must do the same job again. BUT WE NEED SOME HELP! Not one member has called, emailed or texted to offer to pitch in. All of our volunteers have come from our in person gatherings/meetings. But you don't have to attend to contribute. See my tag line please

Say yes to the 99s. Don't just belong, participate!

Madeleine



Chicago Area Chapter Business Meeting September 1, 2021
Lucky Monk Restaurant South Barrington, IL

Attendees: Chapter Chair Madeleine Monaco, Vice Chair Mona Knock, Treasurer Deena Schwartz, Secretary Shelley Ventura, Immediate Past Chair Eva Kozlowski, Gail Lapook and Autumn Alderdice
Meeting commenced at 6:45 PM

Budget – Eva moved to accept the budget as presented, seconded by Mona. Motion passed.

Governor's Service Award – We have three potential candidates for the Governors Service Award: Donna Klein, Jill Feldman and Cynthia Madsen. Cynthia is a prior winner of the GSA. At next meeting, we will vote.

Scholarship – Discussion about forming a scholarship specifically designated for chapter members. Madeleine's research and feedback from legal counsel indicated that this would be permissible using outside funds such as income from Aviation Expo or sock and pin sales.

Treasurer's Report – Deena's full report will be attached. Total of all accounts is currently \$13,795.

Dues – Approximately half our members have paid the voluntary donation of \$20 for 2021.

North Central Section Meeting – The meeting in Treehaven, Wisconsin on September 24-25 will be a hybrid meeting to accommodate both in-person and virtual attendance. More details to come from NCS soon.

Girls in Aviation Day – Jill Feldman and Eva Kozlowski have agreed to help at the Women in Aviation event September 25. Additional volunteers are welcome and should contact Eva or Jill to coordinate.

Holiday Party – Deposit has been made to Lucky Monk's for our December 12 Holiday Party.

Hostess Needs: Gaps yet to fill include November, January and April Business Meetings. November will be held at Atlantic Aviation @ PWK Chicago Executive but needs a host. The January and April Meetings need both a location and a host.

Aviation Expo still needs a new location. Madeleine is on the search and would welcome suggestions and additional searchers! The event also needs several coordinators. Eva Kozlowski and Autumn Alderdice volunteered for registration. Still needed are: Flying Companion Seminar Assistants Photographer Raffle Tickets sales

Board Changes – Deena Schwartz tendered her resignation as treasurer. Per our bylaws, Chapter Chair Madeleine Monaco appointed Shelley Ventura to replace Deena as treasurer, and Autumn Alderdice to replace Shelley as secretary. Board approved.

Additional topics discussed:

Glenview Hangar requested a donation. We will postpone their request until a time when we schedule a meeting or event there next.

Shelley mapped the membership roster to aid us in selecting other sites to hold meetings.

Laura Ohrenberg at HQ provided us with information about the certificates and ratings that our members have reported.

Aviation Hall of Fame will be held on October 7 at the Hilton Garden Inn in St Charles.

Yanina has offered to 'pay it forward' and mentor a chapter student

Deadline for the First Wings Award is October 1

Deadline for AE Scholarship is January 1

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 PM

CHAPTER VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

PLEASE VOLUNTEER TO FILL A VACANT POSITION IT WILL BE GREATLY APPRECIATED

<u>2021</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Hostess</u>
October	3	Noon	Chapter – All Member Flying Event Spot Landing Contest @ C81 Campbell Airport	SHELLEY VENTURA
	7		Illinois Aviation Hall of Fame Banquet (page 5) HILTON GARDEN INN 4070 E MAIN ST ST CHARLES, IL	CYNTHIA MADSEN
November	3	6:30 PM	Chapter - Business Meeting ALL MEMBERS WELCOME Atlantic Aviation 1011 S Wolf Rd, Wheeling, IL	MADELEINE MONACO
December	12	2:00 PM	Chapter – Holiday Party LUCKY MONK 105 HOLLYWOOD BLVD SO BARRINGTON, IL Just north of I90 on the west side of Barrington Road	MONA KNOCK
<u>2022</u>				
January	29	All day	Safety Seminar - Aviation Expo – Location TBA	MADELEINE 99S TEAM
February	20	11:30 Noon	Chapter - Business Meeting ALL MEMBERS WELCOME Followed by Chapter – All Member Event Bocce @ Pinstripes South Barrington Arboretum	EVA KOZLOWSKI
March	27	Noon	Chapter – All Member Flying Event Lunch at either Rochelle or Lansing (Inclement weather alternative a local restaurant)	MONA
April	6	6:30 PM	Chapter – Business Meeting ALL MEMBERS WELCOME Hostess can choose location	????
	22-24		North Central Section Meeting, St. Louis, MO	MADELEINE
May	1		Chapter - Business Meeting ALL MEMBERS WELCOME Girl Scout Prep (if needed)	JILL FELDMAN
	7		Chapter – Girl Scout Aviation Badge Day	JILL



NOVEMBER 3RD CHAPTER MEETING

TEAMWORK NEEDED

HOW ABOUT A POT LUCK?
OR A PIZZA PARTY?
OR AN AVIATION SPEAKER?
OR ALL OF THE ABOVE.?

DOES ANYONE HAVE AN OPINION?

WILL SOMEONE VOLUNTEER TO CHOOSE AND EXECUTE ANY OF THOSE IDEAS?

OR WANT TO BE PART OF A TEAM THAT DECIDES FOR THIS MEETING ONLY?



TEXT ME PLEASE

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MADELEINE

WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS this month

Krystal Joyner and Tina Willman-Hammer are NEW to Chicago! We are so glad you joined us. Hope to meet you soon!

PLEASE email your Air News editor (99mjm@sbcglobal.net) and tell us a bit about yourself and your flying! Where do you fly? What are you working on or planning? What was your aviation history? How, where, when did you get your first certificate? Learn about your new Chapter, its activities, scholarships, history, and future. WELCOME!!!

ILLINOIS AVIATION HALL OF FAME BANQUET TO TAKE PLACE OCTOBER 7



The combined 2020/2021 Illinois Aviation Hall of Fame banquet will be held on October 7, 2021 at the Hilton Garden Inn in St. Charles, Illinois, near DuPage Airport. Transportation will be available from DuPage airport. Tickets are \$60.00 each. The banquet room bar will open at 5 PM and dinner will begin at 6PM.

Please use the registration form, which has extra lines for the additional people in your party if you are signing up a group. As usual you may call in, email or just mail your reservation information to Tom Cleveland.

Illinois Aviation Hall of Fame 2020/2021 Banquet Registration Form
Thursday October 7, 2021 at 6PM Hilton Garden Inn St. Charles, Illinois

Contact Information

Name _____ phone _____ email _____
Address _____ City _____, State _____ Zip _____

Attendee Names

Name _____ Chicken Parmesan ___ Eggplant Parmesan (Vegetarian) ___
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Mail to: Tom Cleveland 815-895-2102
IL Aviation Hall of Fame Groverdkb1@comcast.net
1117 Foxpointe Dr
Sycamore, IL 60178

The hotel is offering us a nightly rate on a room block of \$97 plus taxes for the night of the banquet.
<https://www.hilton.com/en/book/reservation/deeplink/?ctyhocn=CHISCGI&groupCode=LAHFB&arrivaldate=2021-10-07&departuredate=2021-10-08&cid=OM,WW,HILTONLINK,EN,DirectLink&fromId=HILTONLINKDIRECT>

2020 Inductees

Giles Henderson Jim Klick Ken Rapier
Wilbur Smith Lt. Col William Thompson

2021 Inductees

Robert Paul Mark
John Richard "Rick" Reed

**Please reserve now for October 7th. Come celebrate with the Hall of Fame honorees.
2020 Spirit of Flight Awards**

Holiday Party

hosted by the Chicago Area Chapter 99s

Sunday, December 12, 2021

2:00 pm Early Happy Hour Appetizers and Cash Bar

3:00 to 5:00 pm Your choice of entrée from select menu

Lucky Monk - the Abbey Room

105 Hollywood Blvd. South Barrington, IL 60010

*We will be collecting gift cards for Frankfort Township Food Pantry.
(Jewel, Meijer's or Mariano's) or your personal check.*

Tear off and return with your check by December 1st:

Name _____ Phone _____

of meals ____ @ \$ 35.00 each = Total \$ _____ Email _____

*Make check payable to **Chicago Area 99s***

& mail to:

SHELLEY VENTURA, TREASURER

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Questions? Contact our Hostess Mona Knock

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MEMBER NEWS FROM MARIE SPEAR



I received this award for being the earliest arrival for the 50th Annual Stearman Fly In who remained in Galesburg until departure. In all truth, it should have gone to my husband Pete as he was dragging his Stearman through the air so as not to pass me up and allowed me to land first.

The horseshoe is from one of the Clydesdales that spent the week at the Fly-In. We spent some time giving Stearman rides to a few of the handlers that travel with the team and they gifted this to us to put in our hangar.

Simple gestures that add to the fun and the memorable moments during the 50th National Stearman Fly-In.

AND FROM DIANE COZZI

I recently attended a convention in Reno, and had the great good fortune to spend a day at the Reno Air Races. I had always wanted to go. I knew the 99s would be well represented and they were. I met up with Kathy Walton, Chairman of the Reno Area 99s, and other chapter members who were working at the information tent. They sent me to also meet Tina Yount from the Reno High Sierra Chapter with her husband and son who were at another tent selling race programs. How great it is to be a 99! Never a stranger and always a "Welcome"!

The races were so exciting. There are seven classes of racers, including Unlimited, Jet, Sport, T-6, Formula 1, Biplane and STOL. They race around the valley of the Reno Stead Airfield, and between the races there are air show performances. From my grandstand seat I had a great view, but my camera (and I) weren't fast enough to catch the action. I had better luck taking videos at ground level where you can see the planes speed by and hear the engines roar...loved it!...but you'll have to check my Facebook page for those.



NORTH CENTRAL SECTION NOMINATING COMMITTEE is at work.

The upcoming election will be to fill Governor, Vice Governor, (both require previous service on this Board) Secretary, Treasurer and 2 Directors. There are also 5 positions available on the Nominating Committee..if you have been a member at least 2 years, and have attended Section Meetings, you are eligible.

Please contact Jenny Myren, Nominating Committee Chair—contact info is in the on line roster.

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Madeleine Monaco



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**SAVE THE DATE OCTOBER 3 NOON
SPOT LANDING CONTEST
AND CHAPTER MEETING AT C81**

Save the date, reserve a plane, invite a friend,
fellow pilot, other Chapter member, or your spouse!

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