

McNary Field, SLE

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Valley Flyers,

Our brunch business meeting in January was a combination of a beautiful day, plenty of food and a good time. The restaurant also appreciated our support. The election results are: Ryan Skogstad- President, Randy Ireson-Vice President, Al Gray-Maintenance Officer, John Barringer-Secretary and Joan Johnson-Treasurer. Randy will be preparing the future newsletters so if you have an event or information of interest for the newsletter, let him know.

There are several maintenance items that will be addressed on the planes this month. If you have anything to add to the list please email Joan.

We are planning a work day the hangars on April 2. We will start with breakfast (never miss an opportunity to eat) and jazz up our hangars in preparation for a great flying year.

The club (aka all of us) could use your help. Complete the tach slips including your name<sup>®</sup> Try to take advantage of lower gas prices when possible. You know you need one more landing in your logbook and the practice anyway. Check Independence and Albany. Let the club know of other places you find that have a great price. Treat the plane with care and leave them clean and fueled for the next pilot. It might be you. lol

Thanks to all of you who volunteer to make this club work, including Mike Fischer who prepares the billing, Joe Ourada who keeps our web site up to date and Ron Sterba who has been helping with hangar maintenance and yard cleanup. If you know of an area that you can be helpful please don't be shy. If you have some photos of your flying events and destinations post them on Aircraft Clubs or get them to Joe for our web site.

Have a great month flying...and stay out of the clouds.

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