



Pilot

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Evansville Bend Power Squadron

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EB Recognizes Teachers, Proctors during Education Night

Note....Our November meeting will be held on the 14th, the second Wednesday instead of the 3rd due to Thanksgiving falling on the 24th.

The meeting is always designated to discuss and acknowledge our squadron's education workers and achievements. This year is no exception as our meeting returns to Hornville Tavern.



We have many dedicated members who volunteer their time to teach our various classes. Many teach our Public Boating Course. Some teach in our "members only" classes. Without the dedication

and sacrifice of these individuals, our squadron would not grow and flourish.

Our SEO, Sam Richey, SN will be in charge of the program.

We will also commemorate the 30th anniversary of our squadron honoring the many past commanders and with a history of our squadron. In addition, 30th anniversary coffee cups will be available for sale at \$8 each.

Social time is 6pm with dinner at 7pm.

Dinner will be Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Corn, Green Beans, Slaw. Cost is just \$9 per person.

Calling committee will be contacting you for your reservations.

Commander:	Cdr. Janice Elwood, JN	(401-8300)
Executive Officer:	Lt/C Keith Gehlhausen	(476-4460)
Administrative Officer:	Lt/C Sally Frazier	(867-3058)
Secretary/Treasurer:	P/C Vicki Trapp, P	(437-5447)
Education Officer:	P/Stf/C Sam Richey, SN	(812-721-2322)
Asst. Education Officer:	Lt/C Steve Wilson, S	(477-2814)

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Commander's Corner



First of all I would like to say a BIG thank you! to Greg and Sally Frazier for their hospitality. The Chili Party was great...sitting around the bonfire, a yard dart tournament, roasting hot dogs, eating bowls of chili and getting acquainted with fellow EB members.

We are attempting to send our newsletter via email this month to all members. There are some members that do not have email or we don't have their email on file, so if you receive a paper copy of the newsletter this month and have an email address, please email me at jeleewood@juno.com with your address.

The November meeting will be the second Wednesday (14th) of November, due to the third Wednesday would conflict with Thanksgiving. We will be celebrating Evansville Bend's 30th year anniversary during the meeting and also show appreciation to your Education department.

Our Executive Officer, Keith Gehlhausen will be attending the Leadership Development Workshop at the D/24 conference on 3 November in Cincinnati. This program will help squadrons gain, retain and train members. Thanks, Keith.

Cdr Janice Elwood, JN

Education Update



Linda and I will be heading for the D/24 Fall Conference 3 - 4 November. This is the education meeting at the conference. All Squadron Education

Officers will be meeting with the District Education Officer to learn what is coming up for the next year.

Our EB meeting this month is also the Squadron education meeting month. I will be honoring all Instructors and proctors at the monthly meeting. If you have contributed to our education department in the last year, please attend to get your recognition.

My goal is to get education classes started at the first of year after the holidays.

SEO Sam Richey SN

WARM "CHILI" EVENT AT FRAZIERS

The temperature was about 80 degrees, a little warm for "chili", but as the afternoon went on...the temperature dropped a little and later in the evening, the fire was very warming.

It was EB's first "Chili Cook-out" at Greg and Sally Frazier's home. Just north of Evansville and south of I 64 on several acres, we were settled in a wooded area



Members stand and sit surrounding the fire and pot of chili



Winners of the “jarts” tournament each receive \$6 from Sally Frazier—Richard Rombauer (l) and John Habermel.



Greg Frazier getting ready to “stir” the chili.

overlooking their lake.

Over 25 people attended the event and each brought their “pot of chili” and added it to the big “pot” hovering over the fire. We cooked hot-dogs over the flames and enjoyed other snacks all afternoon.

Richard Rombauer and John Habermel won the “jarts” tournament, each taking home \$6.

Many thanks to Greg and Sally for hosting this wonderful event.

It was a great way to spend a Sunday afternoon in October.



SAM AND JANICE GO SHOPPING AT WALMART FOR BOAT SMART CLASS CUSTOMERS.

SEO Sam Richey and Cdr. Janice Elwood spent their Saturday, October 13th, in the parking lot at Walmart East promoting our squadron and our Boat Smart Class. Thanks to them for donating their time for this effort. I believe when they left, their shopping cart was empty.

NOMINATING REPORT 2007

Commander: Keith Gehlhausen

Executive Officer:
Richard Rombauer

Squadron Education Officer:
Steve Wilson

Administrative Officer: Rick Moore

Secretary/Treasurer:
Janice Elwood

Auditing

Sandy Mahrenholz	1 year
Leroy Elwood	2 years
Anne Trapp	3 years

At Large Committee

Ron Eberhart	1 year
Dorothy Gehlhausen	2 years
Karen Rombauer	3 years

Rules Committee

Dick Mahrenholz	1 year
John Trapp	2 years
Leroy Elwood	3 years

Nominating Committee

Suzy Picking
Wayne Gundry
Sam Richey

Submitted by:

Sandra W. Mahrenholz
Nominating

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **December 8—Saturday**
Holiday Party at Oak
Meadow Country Club
- **February 2— Friday**
Squadron Change of Watch

COME AND GET “MUGGED” AT OUR NOVEMBER MEETING

To help celebrate our 30th Squadron Birthday, we have ordered 11 ounce coffee mugs for purchase for just \$8 each.

They will have the Evansville Bend logo on it and commemorative information about our 30th birthday. Buy and give as Christmas gifts. They are sure to be a “collectors” item.



Happy Thanksgiving

