

EAA 172 Extends its Condolences to the Parents, Family, and Friends of Dennis “Marty” Allen, Jr.

Marty was the oldest son of club members Dennis & Fay Allen.

The family will receive friends on Monday, February 3, 2014, 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at Beggs Funeral Home in Thomson, Georgia.

Funeral services will be held 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 4, 2014 at the Beggs Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Wayne Todd officiating. Interment will follow in Savannah Valley Memorial Gardens. Pallbearers and Honorary Pallbearers will be members of the IBEW Local #1579.

Beggs Funeral Home

799 Cobbham Rd, Thomson, GA 30824

Phone: 706-595-4100

Location: [Beggs Funeral Home](#)

[Directions](#) to Beggs Funeral Home

Obituary by Beggs Funeral Home

Dennis' e-mail address is [Dennis Allen](#). Fay's e-mail is [Fay Allen](#).

EAA 172 Extends its Condolences to Mark Slone Upon the Passing of His Parents

Timothy “Mark” Slone was a member of EAA 172 from the mid-1990s. He retired from the U.S. Army and is now working at Fort Gordon. His father, Gerald Clarence Slone, 84, of Ormond Beach, FL, formerly of Accoville, WV, departed this life Tuesday, January 14, 2014, at home surrounded by family after a long illness. Here is the [Obituary](#).

Then, his mother, Lula Sponaugle Slone, 81, of Ormond Beach, FL, formerly of Accoville, WV, who was in poor health, had a stroke during the week after her husband's death and passed away January 25, 2014.

AVIATION QUESTION OF THE MONTH

Answer to last month’s question: *You change your permanent mailing address. However, you remain in the same state, county, town, and zip code. Are you required to notify the FAA of this move? For example, you change from 104 Bordan Street, Augusta, GA 30909 to 106 Bordan Street, Augusta, GA 30909.*

According to AOPA, the Reigel Law Firm, Ltd., and the FAA: After 30 days you may not exercise the privileges of your certificate unless you notify the FAA in writing, or via the [Internet](#), of the new permanent address. Be careful with this one: It is 30 days, not one month. (Source: [FAR § 61.60](#).) According to the [Reigel Law Firm](#) “Inconsistent addresses on the documents may lead an FAA inspector to confirm the address on file with the FAA to determine which address was current and whether it matched the FAA's records. If the airman's current permanent mailing address does not match the FAA's records, the airman is technically in violation of FAR §61.60.”

This Month’s Question: If a weather briefer, an FAA Flight Service Station (FSS) Specialist, tells a pilot "VFR flight not recommended." must the pilot comply with the weather briefer’s recommendation? Under which weather conditions will a weather briefer tell a pilot "VFR flight not recommended"?

A VIEW OF THE EXPANDED PYRAMAX PLANT

Those flying just south of the Wrens airport can see the expanded PyraMax plant with its 300 foot stacks. It uses high heat to make tiny fracking pellets from local kaolin clay. The plant will produce 225,000 tons of pellets a year. The pellets are used to make proppant which is used in other states to help extract gas from shale. In May, 2013, PyraMax was purchased by Imerys which has five facilities in Washington County, including a calcine plant, a hydrous plant, a lands and mining operation, a technical center and a ceramics kaolin center. Imerys currently employs around 870 in Georgia today. Photo was taken by John Magnan flying with his friend and neighbor Jim Hughes in Jim's Cessna 172N.





EAA 172 Meeting
Winter Soup Party

February 8, 2014, 12:30 PM
Pea Patch Aerodrome (61GA), Blythe, Georgia

EAA 172 Meeting
FISH FRY FLY-IN

March 8, 2014, 12:30 PM
Pea Patch Aerodrome (61GA), Blythe, Georgia

Birthdays

Thurmon	KENT, Jr.	02-07	Shirley	HARDEN	02-02
Sid	BROWN	02-11	Coral	BLANCHARD	02-22
Edward	CHRISTIAN	02-16			
Daniel	SILLIMAN	02-17			
Al	PATTON	02-21			

Anniversaries

Thurmon & Sophia	KENT	02-11
Charlie & Sheila	CONNELL	02-25

EAA 172 Night Out

Thursday, February 27: *EAA 172 monthly "get-together"* -- *Social Meeting* 6:30 PM -- This is a monthly non-business social gathering usually held on the fourth Thursday. This month it is at **Emilio's Italian Eatery**, 461 Parkwest Drive in Grovetown, GA 30904, near I-20 and the Jimmie Dyess Parkway. Phone number: 706-303-8264. For a map and directions, click on: [Emilio's Eatery](#). For questions contact Shirley Harden 706-855-1553 e-mail: ghardensr@comcast.net . On the Web go to nightout.jcmservices.net