# Lone Star Aero Club

## <u>http://www.lonestaraeroclub.org</u> **Note:** THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 7TH — NEXT MEETING AT ERNIE'S SEAFOOD

8206 BEDFORD EULESS RD., NORTH RICHLAND HILLS, TX 76180-7214



Randy Ball's MiG-17F

### Time: 7:00 PM

## Date: THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH, 2023 Place: ERNIE'S SEAFOOD, 8206 BEDFORD EULESS RD., NORTH RICHLAND HILLS

THE MEETING COMMENCES AT 7:00. IF YOU WANT TO EAT AT ERNIE'S, COME EARLY (<u>5:30 TO 6:00</u>) AND SELECT SOMETHING FROM THEIR MENU.

#### **DIRECTIONS:**

• From the west, take exit 22A from NE Loop 820. Turn left off the access road onto Grapevine Hwy, go 0.1 mi, then turn onto Bedford Euless Rd. Ernie's is in 0.5 mi. on your right.

• From the south, take exit 22B, keep left at the split, and turn right onto 26, Grapevine Hwy. In 300 ft., turn onto Bedford Euless Rd. Ernie's is in 0.5 mi. on your right.

• From the east (121/183), take the Bedford Euless Rd. exit. Ernie's is on the left 0.2 mi.after the access road merges into Bedford Euless Rd.

• To attend virtually, <u>Click Here</u>.

## **NEXT MEETING THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 7TH**

Pat Nugent, our September presenter, joined the Air Force to become a jet engine mechanic. They made him into a parachute rigger instead, but he was able to crosstrain into photography. After assignments in Nebraska and Colorado, he was assigned to cover the USAF Thunderbirds. That assignment led to a competitive selection as a photojournalist and resulted in advanced training at Syracuse University.

While stationed in Germany, Nugent covered the Rhein-Main Air Base bombing and the return of hostages Father Martin Jenco and David Jacobson, as well as those kidnapped from the Italian cruise ship "Achille Lauro." Nugent also covered Operations Desert Shield, Desert Storm, Provide Hope, and the Panama invasion. He supervised the "Prototype" Electronic Imaging Center during the early days that



Dan Filer's MiG-23

introduced digital photography to the Department of Defense. Nugent retired in 1992 after 23 years of service and continues to participate in military photography workshops and the Military Photographer of the Year program.

Since retirement, he has been the manager for regional and national accounts for the Eastman Kodak Company, and then the Government Account Manager for Nikon. He demonstrates products, evaluates equipment, and conducts training sessions and workshops. He has produced seven photography training programs that have been broadcast over the Air National Guard television network.

The program will cover the owners of some MiG aircraft which are located in east Texas

## THANKS FOR AUGUST 3RD PROGRAM:

It's hard to say which was more astounding, Jay Miller's HUGE collection of aviation books, periodicals, and memorabilia, or his presentation on a number of the top items therein. The audience was spellbound for twice the duration of a typical LSAC meeting. An unabridged dictionary *might* contain enough superlative adjectives for it. Many thanks, Jay.

## THURSDAY OCTOBER 5TH PROGRAM:

Dick Stultz, our October presenter, has flown F-4s and F-106s, among other aircraft, and has always had a still or video camera with him in the cockpit. Ted will be talking about interesting events that occurred while serving in the Air Force.

Hope to see everyone and their guests at the THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH MEETING – Fletch

LONE STAR AERO CLUB DUES FOR 2023 ARE NOW BEING ACCEPTED. THE CLUB NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT TO COVER NECESSARY OPERATING EXPENSES!!

LONE STAR AERO CLUB DUES FOR 2023 (\$25 per YEAR) ARE NOW BEING ACCEPTED BY TED BLACK, 1005 CAMBRIDGE CT., WYLIE, TX 75098-5215. Our expenses are buying program DVDs (one for presenter and one for archives), stamps, some printing, dinners for presenters and key helpers, occasional hotel rooms for presenters, and miscellaneous supplies. The Club's bank account has dwindled mainly because of reduced membership numbers. LET'S NOT ALLOW FINANCES TO END THE LONE STAR AERO CLUB and its aviation history-gathering legacy!!!

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AVIATION EXPERIENCE:	

#### All information is confidential.

#### Send annual dues of \$25.00 to help cover Club and guest speaker expenses to

Lone Star Aero Club, c/o Ted Black, 1005 Cambridge Ct., Wylie, TX 75098-5215 (Questions/Info call 682-365-0161).

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AERO CLUB E-MAIL LIST: Club members are urged to submit their respective E-mail addresses to Buck Allbright at <u>afccm43@icloud.com</u>. Members can also submit their names and E-mail addresses at all meetings. Note that E-mailed addresses are less prone to transcription errors and typos.

WHENEVER THERE IS A DOUBT ABOUT ANY COMING AERO CLUB MEETING – ALWAYS CHECK OUR <u>www.lonestaraeroclub.org</u> WEBSITE! (if you don't have Internet access, call a friend or grandchild to check for you). As a LAST RESORT call Ted Black @ 682-365-0161, or Fletcher Sharp @ 214-766-1212.

We video record all lectures and make DVD copies available at \$20.00 each. To obtain a copy, contact our videographer, Bruce Hutter (817-903-1283 or <u>bhutter@mac.com</u>). A list of available past meetings is on the Club Web site at <u>www.lonestaraeroclub.org</u>.

Here are links to Web sites provided by Club member Rob Krone: <u>B41</u>, <u>B42</u>, <u>B43</u>, <u>B44</u>, <u>B45</u>, <u>B46</u>, <u>B47</u>, <u>B48</u>, <u>B49</u>, <u>B50</u>, <u>B51</u>, <u>B52</u>, <u>B53</u>, <u>B54</u>, <u>B55</u>, <u>B56</u>, <u>B57</u>, <u>B58</u>, <u>B59</u>, <u>B60</u>, <u>B61</u>, <u>B62</u>, <u>B63</u>, <u>B64</u>, <u>B65</u>, <u>B66</u>. No room for titles here; just click and if you don't like one, move on to the next. Thanks for these offerings, Rob.

Although the meeting is at Ernie's Seafood, it will be available via Zoom for those unable to attend in-person. To join the meeting, click the link in the DIRECTIONS box on the front page. If you have problems with the link, join the meeting at <u>www.zoom.com</u> with meeting ID: 850 5930 0635 and passcode: 398957.

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