



ZENITH BANQUET FOR 2016



Thank you for coming to the 2016 Zenith Builders Banquet! Our event will once again be held at the Oshkosh Elks Lodge, 175 West Fernau Ave, in Oshkosh, on Thursday, July 28th. A map is displayed below. We have very comfortable seating for over 250 people, our own private bar, and award winning food! The full bar will open at 5:30 PM for people that would like to come and relax early. Dinner starts at 7:30 PM. Tickets are available for \$20 per person at the door. Banquet information is available at the Zenith display. On the menu this year will be the Elks Lodge specialty, Pineapple Rum Glazed Ham and Broasted Chicken with all the trimmings. As always, bring your camera and get a picture of the special dessert!

EAA Zenith Showplane Parking



Zenith showplane parking will be just north of the Homebuilders center on the flight line in its usual place across from the Zenith factory display. Please follow the NOTAMS instructions for signage for parking, and add another sign that says "ZENITH". When you get near the parking area flagmen will help get you to the location requested. Most of the parking volunteers know what Zenith airplanes look like, but any extra signage helps! Once your aircraft is parked, EAA's policy is no engine operations in the parking area and the aircraft will need to be pushed to the east of the safety line for engine start. If you are anticipating demonstrating or flying any of the aircraft during the convention, park your aircraft as close to the flightline as you can.

Accommodations



The Oshkosh Elks Lodge has a very large parking area and they are offering motor home parking for \$20 per night for anyone coming to the banquet before coming to the EAA. If you would like to park your camping vehicle at the Elks for any number of nights, please call me at 920-237-1450 or E-mail me at backstagelive@gmail.com to make reservations. Electrical spots are available on a first come basis.

Directions

The Elks Lodge is very easy to find! If you are taking Highway 41 north, take the Highway 44 exit, which is also called South Park Ave. If you are coming from the EAA, follow the flagman out of the grounds and turn right on South Park Ave. Follow South Park NE and turn left on Oregon St. Follow Oregon St. north to Fernau Ave. and turn right. The Elks Lodge is just 100 yards from the corner on the right hand side. There is ample free parking in both lots at the Elks. If the lots are full, there is free parking on both sides of the street in front of the Elks. Large motor homes and campers that are not spending the night must park on the street.



Date	Time	Title	Venue	Presenter	Type
Monday 7/25	10:00 AM - 11:15 AM	Floats For Light Aircraft	003 Forum Stage 03 Sennheiser Aviation	Sebastien Heintz	Forum
Monday 7/25	1:00 PM - 2:15 PM	Rivets & Sheet Metal	HBH Homebuilders Hangar	Sebastien Heintz	Forum
Monday 7/25	4:00 PM - 5:15 PM	Build a Plane Group Project	HBH Homebuilders Hangar	Sebastien Heintz	Forum
Tuesday 7/26	8:30 AM - 9:45 AM	Zenith for Sport Pilots	008 Forum Stage 08 ForeFlight	Sebastien Heintz	Forum
Thurs 7/28	2:30 PM - 3:45 PM	Building an All Metal Aircraft	010 Forum Stage 10 Poly-Fiber	Sebastien Heintz	Forum
Thurs 7/28	Cocktails 5:30 Dinner 7:30	Builders Banquet	Oshkosh Elks Lodge	Zenith Company	Banquet
Friday 7/29	11:30 AM - 12:45 PM	Sam Aircraft	010 Forum Stage 10 Poly-Fiber	Sebastien Heintz	Forum

What's New for 2016? Meet Sam!

Light Sport Aircraft (LSA) version (at 1,320 lbs. gross weight) or **Amateur-Built Experimental** (AB-E) at 1,440 lbs. gross weight. Wing span 28.5 feet (Note: the award-winning flying prototype meets the LSA definition).
Amateur-Built Experimental (AB-E) at 1,800 lbs. with option to install heavier engines such as the Lycoming O-320 at 160HP or modern auto conversions. Wing span 32 feet.
Sport Aerobatic Configuration (AB-E / LSA): Wing span 25.25 feet. 2 people at 1440 lbs limited aerobatics or 1 person at 1,200 lbs., full g load aerobatics as per FAR 23.

