

Tribe Chief: Eric Thompson

Ass't Tribe Chief: Dave Hess  
Treasurer: Ted Mauger

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NORTHEAST TRIBE HOSTS LARRY LARKIN SEMINAR

The Northeast Tribe is bringing Larry Larkin, former Piper Aircraft Corporation training instructor, Comanche specialist, and ICS Flight and Safety Proficiency Staff, to the Northeast to conduct a training seminar. Larry has been conducting these training seminars for some years with wide acclaim and with recognition from the insurance industry with reduced insurance rates for those participating in his full course. This will be Larry's first seminar in the Northeast and the tribe anticipates a good turnout.

The tribe is sponsoring a four hour seminar on Sunday, June 14 from 8:00 AM - Noon at the Holiday Inn Airport, Virginia Beach, VA. Topics to be included in this seminar include Comanche performance, weight and balance, and emergency procedures. The tribe extends a special invitation to its newest members to attend this seminar.

Simultaneously with this seminar, the tribe is also sponsoring a four hour seminar for Comanche companions, non-pilot significant others. This seminar is being offered by Eric Thompson, former AOPA instructor, and the seminar's goal is to provide knowledge to non-pilots to make them comfortable passengers and to enable them to take over the controls in the event of an unlikely emergency.

Additionally, Larry is offering through Larkin Aviation Training the following additional ground school and flight training:

June 14, 1:30-5:30 PM; June 15, 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM; topics include aircraft familiarization, landing gear and brakes, flight controls, fuel system, powerplant and propeller, electrical system, pitot static and vacuum, environmental system, minor service and maintenance, human factors, flight procedures, and quiz.

June 16,17; Comanche Flight Training, approx. 3 hours/student. It is necessary for this training to obtain your insurance company form naming Larry T. Larkin as a named insured for the class duration and a waiver of subrogation on hull damage.

Fees for this ground school and for the flight training are given on the registration form and the tribe is collecting them for Larry.

FLYIN SCHEDULE

Dates	Place	Host
May 15-17	New Hope, PA	Dan Emerson 215-643-1030
June 12-14	Norfolk, VA	Bill Jackson 804-794-2868
Aug 23-28	Louisville, KY ICS Convention	Dave & Sarah Evanczyk 812-282-2707
Oct 2-4	Nantucket, MA	Keith Krewson 508-228-3732

NEW HOPE, PENNSYLVANIA

New Hope is a sophisticated, cosmopolitan village nestled along the Delaware River and the Delaware Canal. It is a village of many personalities. Its charm will captivate you; its beauty enchant you; its ambience will exhilarate you; its restaurants will satiate in the most delicious manner; and its shops and galleries will pamper you.

If you haven't already done so, send the registration form in the newsletter and your registration fee and come to New Hope the weekend of May 14-16. We'll be attending a play at the famous Bucks County Playhouse, learning more about flying and maintaining our Comanches, and enjoying the hospitality of Dan and Mary Jeanne Emerson, our hosts.

NANTUCKET ISLAND, MASSACHUSETTS

Nantucket, that alluring island off the coast of Massachusetts, is drawing the Northeast Tribe the weekend of October 2-4. Bike the island and explore its deserted beaches; learn its history at the Whaling Museum; stuff yourself at a New England clambake; dance the evening away; sail around the island in its changeable waters; or just loaf and enjoy! Many think is the best time of year to visit.

Keith Krewson, our host, has arranged very attractive rates at the Harbor House, located in Nantucket's historic district one block from the harbor, provided we have good attendance. So put the weekend on your calendar and watch the Comanche Flyer for more details.

SAFETY CORNER

On a late afternoon last summer, a longtime ICS twin Comanche driver called Williamsport, PA tower for landing instructions, and the pilot shortly thereafter reported the field in sight. But, much to the pilot's chagrin, he did not receive the green and other indications of gear down and locked. Circling the field, the pilot tried vainly to get the gear down manually.

Fortunately, ICS member Al Lowe was on the field at that time attending the excellent Textron Lycoming Troubleshooting Course. Al, who is an extremely knowledgeable pilot, was able to assist the pilot with radioed instructions. Slowing the Comanche to its slowest possible, the gear was persuaded manually to lock, and the pilot gingerly and successfully landed on three.

Back on jacks, Al immediately identified the problem source. The left and right bungee arms had been interchanged some time ago and the pilot had been living with Lady Luck. All ICS pilots, ala Maurice Taylor, should know that, from the rear, the left bungee arm is at the 4:30 position and the right bungee arm at the 7:30 position with the gear extended. Larry Larkin gives excellent training in emergency procedures.

Thanks Al.

NORTHEAST TRIBE

REPORT TO THE ICS BOARD

APRIL 1992

This report updates the report dated June 10, 1991 which was submitted for the ICS annual meeting held in San Antonio, Texas, July 22-26.

The northeast tribe officers for 1991-1992 are Eric Thompson, ICS 4788, Tribe Chief; David Hesa, ICS 7895, Ass't. Tribe Chief and Secretary; and Ted Mauger, ICS 6065, Treasurer.

Membership in the tribe at the end of 1991 was 576 members, down 8 from the end of 1990. We had been sending out welcoming letters to new tribe members but ICS headquarters apparently discontinued the practice of sending to the tribes the monthly list of their new members. We had also been sending prompt notices to those that did not renew on time but this also has been discontinued at headquarters. We urge headquarters to resume this practice as the attendance of new members at our flyins seems to have decreased this year compared to last.

We have had an active flyin calendar this year. Scheduled flyins include the following:

June 28	Ocean City, NJ	Host: Eric Thompson
August 24	Lock Haven, PA	Host: Eric Thompson
October 5	Newport, RI	Hosts: Frank/Ann Pinto
December 7	Bethlehem, PA	Host: Eric Thompson
January 31	Chicopee, MA	Host: John Futter
February 16	Cat Island	Host: Craig Farnsworth

The Ocean City flyin hosted a Maurice Taylor maintenance seminar which, for us, had a large attendance. We had 54 attend the seminar of whom 40 were tribe members. We joined the "Sentimental Journey 1991" at Lock Haven which gave the northeast tribe free publicity in its program booklet and in its final report. N8116P, owned by Robert Stroh, ICS 3119, was voted as the best PA24 Comanche and N7384Y, owned by David Daneilson, ICS 7494 was voted as the best PA30 Twin Comanche at Sentimental Journey. The Bahamas flyin was the annual weeklong flyin hosted by Craig Farnsworth.

From the period 8/90, the annual convention in Edmonton, to 7/91, we had 8 functions attended by 102 tribe members. Since 7/91, the annual convention in San Antonio, we have had 6 functions attended by 35 members. Attendance appears to be down and we had to cancel the Chicopee flyin for lack of participation.

Scheduled flyins are as follows:

April 3	Washington, DC	Host: Allen Rothenberg
May 15	New Hope, PA	Host: Dan Emerson
June 12	Norfolk, VA	Host: Bill Jackson
October 2	Nantucket, MA	Host: Keith Krewson

Our annual tribe meeting with the election of officers is scheduled for June 13. Larry Larkin will give a four hour ground school for Comanche pilots at our Norfolk flyin and he will also give his full ground school and flight training as an option to those desiring. A companion flyers' ground school will be given simultaneously with Larkin's ground school. These schools and the flyin will be advertised in the April tribe newsletter.

A major item of business is the tribe's decision on incorporation as a membership non-profit corporation and the adoption of a set of bylaws.

With the 1994 annual convention being scheduled for Australia, our convention site selection committee, under the chairmanship of Niles Barlow, will now be recommending a site for the 1997 convention to the tribe's June 1993 annual meeting. Several sites have already been suggested to the committee.

The tribe's educational video library got off to a good start with 37 tapes being loaned during the period 5/91 to 10/91. The activity has now ceased and it is hoped that the activity will pick up again with the tribe newsletter. Maurice Taylor tapes have been ordered for the library.

Ted Mauger reported that our December 31, 1991 balance was \$3534.45 in cash and \$2081.68 in inventory and goods for a net worth of \$5616.13. This does not include the \$2.00 per head which ICS sent to us in early January, 1992.

NORFOLK, VIRGINIA

Bill and Lenora Jackson, our hosts, and the Northeast Tribe are going all out for this one on the weekend of June 12-14. Fun, education, and business all rolled into one. Norfolk, with Virginia Beach and Williamsburg nearby, tempt one to spend a few extra days either before or after the flyin to explore.

The Northeast Tribe is sponsoring two ground schools on Sunday morning, June 14. Larry Larkin, ICS Flight and Safety Proficiency, is conducting one on Comanche Pilot Training focused on Comanche performance and emergency procedures. The course is intended for new Comanche pilots as well as a refresher for those who think they know it all already (which is doubtful). Eric Thompson, former AOPA instructor, is conducting the second on Comanche Companion Flyers providing the knowledge for the significant other to feel more comfortable and to take over the controls in the event of an unlikely emergency. These ground schools are included in the registration fee.

Bill has arranged a Chesapeake-style seafood feast Friday night at 8:00 PM in his Cypress Point Seafood Grille so plan to arrive at Norfolk International (ORF, FBO is Piedmont) on Friday afternoon. On Saturday, we will tour the Norfolk Naval Base, including an aircraft carrier and a nuclear submarine (political conditions permitting), and have lunch at the officers club. A banquet is scheduled for Saturday evening and Bill is planning to get a golf group together Sunday afternoon at the Cypress Point Country Club.

The tribe will hold its annual meeting with election of officers on Saturday, June 13 at 5:30 PM, most likely at our hotel, Holiday Inn Airport, Virginia Beach.

The tribe chief extends a warm welcome to all and especially to our newer members.

Make your own hotel reservations and send the flyin registration form found in the newsletter and check to Bill Jackson as soon as possible.

Convention '92

August  
23-28



BYLAWS OF THE  
NORTHEAST COMANCHE TRIBE, INC.

ARTICLE 1. PURPOSE

Section 1. IRC Section 501(c)(3) Purposes

This corporation is organized exclusively for one or more of the purposes as specified in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Section 2. Specific Purposes

The specific purposes of this corporation are:

- A. To provide education in, to promote, and to encourage the safe operation and good maintenance of Piper Comanche aircraft and any subsequent aircraft;
- B. To collect from and disseminate to members of the Corporation the ideas, experiences and data regarding the safe operation and good maintenance of Piper Comanche aircraft and any subsequent aircraft;
- C. To educate the public about general aviation;
- D. To function as a designated tribe of the International Comanche Society, Inc., a non-profit corporation under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, provided such corporation exists.

ARTICLE 2. DIRECTORS

Section 1. Number and Qualifications

The corporation shall have three directors and collectively they shall be known as the Board of Directors. The directors shall be of the age of majority in this state and shall be members in good standing of the Northeast Comanche Tribe, Inc. The directors shall be the President, the Vice President/Secretary, and the Treasurer, duly elected by the membership in accordance with these Bylaws.

Section 2. Powers

Subject to the provisions of the laws of this state and any limitations in the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws relating to action required by the members of this corporation, the affairs of this corporation shall be conducted and all corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the direction of the Board of Directors.

Section 3. Compensation

The Directors and Officers shall serve without compensation except for reasonable reimbursement of expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

Section 4. Term of Office

Each director shall hold office for a period of one year.

Section 5. Vacancies

If a vacancy occurs in the office of President, the Vice President/Secretary shall become the President until the next election of officers and the remaining Board members shall appoint a new Vice President/Secretary to serve the unexpired term.

If a vacancy occurs in the office of Vice President/Secretary or Treasurer, the remaining Board members shall appoint a replacement to serve the unexpired term.

Section 6. Meetings

The President may call a meeting of the Board of Directors at any time or a meeting may be called by the written request of the majority of the directors. At least seven days prior notice by mail or telephone shall be required for a Board meeting unless that notice is waived with the concurrence of all directors.

Telephone conference call meetings may be conducted.

The majority of the Board constitute a quorum at Board meetings.

Actions and/or decisions are made by a majority of the directors present at a meeting duly held at which a quorum is present.

Meetings of the Board of Directors shall be presided over by the President or, in his absence, the Vice President/Secretary.

Meetings shall be governed by Robert's rules of order or as provided in the Articles of Incorporation or these Bylaws.

A regular meeting of the Board of Directors shall be held at the annual membership meeting of the corporation.

Meetings of the Board of Directors are open to members of the corporation and members shall have the right to speak at such meetings but the members do not have any voting rights at such meetings.

Section 6. Non-liability of directors

The directors shall not be personally liable for the debts, liabilities, or other obligations of the corporation.

ARTICLE 3 OFFICERS

Section 1. Designation, Qualifications and Restrictions

The officers of this corporation shall be a President, a Vice President/Secretary and a Treasurer. The President is also referred to as "Tribe Chief" and the Vice President/Secretary is also referred to as "Assistant Tribe Chief".

The officers must meet the qualification requirements of directors. No person may hold more than one office.

The President may not serve for more than two consecutive years.

Section 2. Election and Term of Office

Officers shall be elected by the membership in accordance with these bylaws. The term of office shall be one year commencing on the first day of the month following the annual membership meeting of the corporation.

Section 3. Resignation and Removal

Any officer may resign by submitting a written resignation to the President or the Board of Directors and such resignation shall be effective upon receipt or as specified in the resignation letter.

Any officer may be removed by vote of the members at a meeting of the members called for such purpose in accordance with these bylaws.

## Section 4. Duties of Officers

### A. President or Tribe Chief

The Tribe Chief shall be the chief executive officer of the corporation and shall have the general supervision, direction and control of the affairs of the corporation, subject to the Board of Directors, and shall fulfill any other responsibilities assigned him or her by the Board of Directors. He or she shall preside at all meetings of the members and the Board of Directors. In the absence of the tribe chief, the assistant tribe chief shall preside, followed by the treasurer in that order. At the annual membership meeting, the tribe chief shall report to the members of the corporation on the corporation's general business during the year just ended. The tribe chief shall be one of the officers vested with the authority to sign checks and legal documents in the name of the corporation.

### B. Vice President/Secretary or Assistant Tribe Chief

The Assistant Tribe Chief shall, in the absence or disability of the Tribe Chief, perform all the duties of the Tribe Chief and, when so acting, shall have all the powers of the Tribe Chief. When acting as Tribe Chief, the Assistant Tribe Chief shall appoint another member to keep minutes of the meeting. The Assistant Tribe Chief shall perform other duties as may be assigned by the Tribe Chief or the Board.

The Assistant Tribe Chief shall keep the minutes of all meetings of the Board and of the members, the records of incorporation and the bylaws and amendments thereto which may be made from time to time, and a record of the membership. In general, the Assistant Tribe Chief shall perform all duties incident to the office of the corporation Secretary.

### C. Treasurer

The Treasurer shall have charge and custody of all funds and securities of the corporation, shall maintain and keep its financial records and accounts, shall deposit all funds in depositories approved by the Board of Directors, and shall disburse all funds as directed by the Board of Directors taking proper vouchers for such disbursements. The treasurer shall render to the Board of Directors and to the membership at the annual membership meeting a financial statement of the corporation and shall prepare any other required financial statements as required by law. In general, the Treasurer shall perform all duties incident to the office of corporation Treasurer.

## Section 5. Nomination and Election of Officers

Prior to the annual meeting of the tribe, as set forth in these bylaws, the tribe chief shall appoint a nominating committee consisting of three members of the tribe, none of whom shall be officers. The nominating committee shall present at least one candidate for each office to the members at least 30 days prior to the annual meeting of the tribe. Nominations may also be made by members in good standing during the annual meeting of the tribe.

Officers shall be elected by majority vote of the members at the annual meeting.

### ARTICLE 4. MEMBERS

#### Section 1. Determination, Qualifications and Rights of Members

All individuals who support the purposes of this corporation are eligible to become members of the corporation.

All members in good standing of the Northeast Tribe of the International Comanche Society, Inc. who reside within the so-designated northeast geographical region shall be members of this tribe.

All members in good standing of the International Comanche Society, Inc. who apply in writing for membership in this corporation shall be members of this tribe.

Other individuals may become members of the corporation by making application to the Board of Directors.

All members shall have the same right to attend all meetings of the members, to cast one vote on all matters brought to the members for action, to attend all activities of the tribe in pursuit of the purposes of this corporation and to receive all literature from the corporation in support of the purposes of this corporation.

#### Section 2. Fees and Dues

Fees and dues for members may be established only by vote of the members of the corporation at any proper meeting of the members.

#### Section 3. Nontransferability of memberships

No member may transfer a membership or any right arising therefrom. All rights of membership cease upon the member's death.

#### Section 4. Termination of Membership

The membership of a member shall terminate upon the occurrence of any of the following events:

(1) The termination of membership in the International Comanche Society, Inc. for those members whose membership in the tribe depended upon membership in the International Comanche Society, Inc.

(2) For non-payment of established fees or dues. Such termination shall become effective 30 days after written notification of payment delinquency by the corporation's secretary. A member may avoid delinquency by paying the delinquent dues or fees.

(3) After providing the member with reasonable written notice and an opportunity to be heard, upon a determination by the Board of Directors that the member has engaged in conduct materially and seriously prejudicial to the interests and purposes of the corporation. Any person expelled from the corporation shall receive a refund of dues already paid for the current dues period.

All rights of a member in the corporation shall cease on termination of membership as herein provided.

### ARTICLE 5. MEETINGS OF MEMBERS

An annual meeting of members of the tribe for the purpose of election of officers, or any other business to properly come before the tribe, shall be held during the month of June. Notice of time and place shall be given in writing, which may be in the form of publication in the ICS Comanche Flyer magazine, not less than 30 days prior to such meeting. Such meeting must be held within one of the following states: Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Delaware, District of Columbia, Virginia, and West Virginia.

Special meetings of members of the corporation may be called from time to time by the President, by the Board of Directors or by the written request of 10% of the corporation members provided the purpose(s) of the meeting are given and provided that 30 days advance notice of the meeting place, date and time are given to the members.

Members of the tribe in attendance at such meeting shall constitute a quorum.

Actions and/or decisions are made by the majority of the voting members present at a meeting duly held at which a quorum is present except as otherwise provided for herein.

Each member is entitled to one vote on each matter submitted to a vote by the members. Voting at duly held meetings shall be by voice vote.

Meetings shall be governed by Robert's rules of order or as provided in the Articles of Incorporation or these bylaws.

#### ARTICLE 6. COMMITTEES

The tribe chief or the Board of Directors may appoint special or standing committees which shall advise and assist the Board of Directors in their respective areas of responsibility. The tribe chief, or his designee, shall be an ex officio member of each such committee. Committees may be dissolved at any time by the Board of Directors.

#### ARTICLE 7. PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal office of the corporation shall be located at the home address of the president.

#### ARTICLE 8. AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS

These bylaws may be amended from time to time by the affirmative vote of a majority of members voting at any properly called meeting of members, provided that notice of such meeting and such proposed amendment or amendments shall have been given to members at least 30 days prior to the date of the meeting at which such amendments are to be presented for consideration.

#### ARTICLE 9. IRC 501 (c)(3) TAX EXEMPT PROVISIONS

##### Section 1. Limitations on Activities

No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these bylaws, this corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

##### Section 2. Prohibition against Private Inurement

No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

##### Section 3. Distribution of Assets

This corporation may be dissolved by the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members present in person at a meeting of members called for this purpose at which a quorum is present. Upon dissolution of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be transferred to another non-profit corporation designated by the Board of Directors and which is qualified as a charitable corporation under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 as amended from time to time.

#### COMANCHE CFI'S AND A&P'S

The recent Pathfinder lists 18 CFI's and 11 A&P's for the Northeast U.S. region, about an average number for the Society as a whole. The tribe chief gets occasional requests for someone to either do maintenance on their Comanche, to give them a good check out in their bird or where they can find a particular part. The chief usually finds that he does not have suitable information available.

You could help your Comanche friends by sending information on whom you think is good either as a Comanche CFI, as an A&P or as a parts supplier to your tribe chief. We can then have a compiled listing available at our flyins for all to use. Remember, the COMANCHE SPIRIT means helping each other.

#### FLYIN HOSTS

We owe a great deal of thanks to Craig Farnsworth, Frank and Ann Pinto, John Futter, Allen Rothenberg, Dan Emerson, Bill Jackson, Keith Krewson and Eric Thompson for organizing flyins.

With an approximate six month lead time, it is time to schedule flyins for late 1992 and 1993. What kind of flyin do you wish to host? A simple phone call to your tribe chief is all that it takes to get the ball rolling. Don't wait to be asked.

We can have all kinds of flyins - one dayers, weekenders, camping, treasure hunts, spot landing contests, airport barbeque, etc. Dream and expand a little and call your chief.

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and  
Get The Lou-A-Vul  
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NORTHEAST COMANCHE TRIBE VIDEO RENTAL

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Renter Name \_\_\_\_\_ ICS No. \_\_\_\_\_
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. No. \_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Check tapes desired(max. of two, all tapes are VHS)

- Talent Film Group, "The Piper Comanche" with Maurice Taylor, 55 minutes
----- AOPA Air Safety Foundation, "Weather, Flight Planning & the Pilot", 46 minutes
----- AOPA Air Safety Foundation, "Go/No-Go Weather Decisions", 39 minutes
----- AOPA Air Safety Foundation, "Evaluating In-Flight Weather", 29 minutes
----- King, "The Complete Airspace Review", 76 minutes
----- King, "Communications" 77 minutes
----- King, "Maneuvers for the Com/CFI, 78 minutes
----- King, "IFR with Confidence, 114 minutes
----- King, "The Complete Jeppesen Chart Review", 118 minutes
----- CFF, "Maurice Taylor Walk-Around for Comanches"
----- CFF, "Comanche Tech Tips"
----- CFF, "Comanche Landing Gear"

Note: The CFF tapes have been ordered but are not yet available. Watch the Comanche Flyer for availability.

Enclose your check in the amount \$2.50 for one tape or \$4.00 for two tapes payable to ICS Northeast Tribe. Send this request to Eric Thompson, 2042 Hilltop Rd., Bethlehem, PA 18015.

Return the video tapes within one week after receipt to Eric Thompson, 2042 Hilltop Rd., Bethlehem PA 18015- a mailing label is inclosed. Video tapes may be sent book rate.

Date Request Received \_\_\_\_\_
Date Video(s) Mailed \_\_\_\_\_
Date Video(s) Returned \_\_\_\_\_

REGISTRATION FORM

NEW HOPE, PA
May 15-17

Make your own hotel reservations by calling the Hacienda Inn, 36 W. Mechanic St., New Hope at (800)272-2078 and mention the Comanche Society to obtain the rate of \$75-85.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ ICS No. \_\_\_\_\_
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. No. \_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_ Type Comanche \_\_\_\_\_

Arr. Date/Time at TTN (Ronson Aviation) \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_

Registration fee:
No. of persons \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$10.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to Dan Emerson and send to Dan Emerson, 210 Pennsylvania Ave., Oreland, PA 19075.

The Evanczyks and the North Central Tribe are working hard to bring us an outstanding convention, August 23-28, in Louisville, KY. We begin Sunday evening with an opening ceremony with Old Glory and end Thursday evening with our Comanche awards banquet and a delightful humorist. Sandwiched in between are a hillbilly hoedown dinner/dance, an Ohio river boat cruise and much sightseeing.

But all is not fun and games as lots of technical seminars, including Maurice Taylor and Lycoming, are scheduled and more than 20 exhibitors have already signed up booths. A unique thing this year is a no commission aviation flea market so bring your parts and offer them for sale. Airport day, Thursday, is always exciting to observe some 200 Comanches on the line and to learn from other's experiences.

The Northeast tribe, along with the other tribes, will be having a breakfast meeting on Monday morning.

The closeness of Louisville should bring out a good Northeast Tribe attendance compared to that of the last three conventions. If you haven't been to an annual ICS convention, this is a wonderful opportunity to join the special surrounding excitement.

NORTHEAST TRIBE ANNUAL MEETING

The northeast tribe will hold its annual meeting on Saturday, June 13 at 5:30 PM at the Holiday Inn Airport, 5725 Northampton Blvd., Virginia Beach, VA. Items of business include the approval of the minutes of the last meeting; the receiving of the treasurer's report; the election of a tribe chief, assistant tribe chief/secretary, and treasurer; tribe incorporation as a membership non-profit corporation; and the adoption of a set of by-laws.

The tribe chief has appointed Dee Watson to chair the nomination committee and nominations from the floor are permitted.

Please communicate any additional agenda items to the tribe chief before the meeting. If you cannot attend the meeting but wish to comment on the operations or organization of the tribe, please send them to the tribe chief.

T- AND SWEAT SHIRTS

Our stock of Northeast tribe T-shirts and sweat shirts has been replenished and we now have them in stock in all sizes but only in our favorite color - light blue. Sizes, which are reportedly running small, are available in XL, L, M, and S. Sweatshirts are \$15.00 and T-shirts are \$10.00, children sizes are \$2.00 less.

We still have a few Atlantic City document cases - \$2.00 while they last.

Send your order to the tribe chief with a check (include \$2.00 for postage) payable to the ICS Northeast Tribe.

NEW MEMBERS

5/91-3/92

Condon Bennett, Stormville, NY  
Richard Berube, Greenville, RI  
Ronald Booth, Gibbsboro, NJ  
B. A. Brown, Norfolk, VA  
Ben Brown, Alexandria, VA  
Hal Burke II, Wexford, PA  
Ciro Cangealosi, Elwood Park, NJ  
Paul Carlin, Parsippany, NJ  
Gene Cleary, Auburn, NH  
Jacob Collins, Washington, DC

Barry Condon, Plaistow, NH  
Robert Cook, Havre de Grace, MD  
Richard Criado, Emmaus, PA  
Tom Crim, Woodbridge, VA  
Marvin Dailey, Sodus Point, NY  
William Dufour, Greenbelt, MD  
Jeff Dunkle, Greensburg, PA  
Stephen Denty, Haddonfield, NJ  
David Edelson, Beechhurst, NY  
Robert Edelson, Massapequa, NY

Gregory Feith, Parsippany, NY  
William Fenn, Walkill, NY  
James Fields, Richmond, VA  
Patrick Flannery, Scranton, PA  
Bill Frank, Enfield, CT  
Robert Galaban, Wood Ridge, NJ  
Kathy Giovengo, Lititz, PA  
Mark Giovengo, Lititz, PA  
John Glaze, Westfield, MA  
George Gratton, Rochester, NY

Hugh Harmon, Leesburg, VA  
Donald Holdgate, Nantucket, MA  
Yu Hong, Nashua, NH  
Joseph Horowitz, Wilmington, DE  
Peter Hughes, Newton, NJ  
Roger Huss, Newton, CT  
Harry Jernigan III, Virginia Beach, VA  
Michael Kearney, Coraopolis, PA  
Terence Kindlon, Albany, NY  
Jeffrey Kurtze, Nashua, NH

Bob Lane, Levittown, PA  
Richard Langhurst, Trunbull, CT  
Roger Leonard, Chesapeake, VA  
Lyle Lillie, Stafford Springs, CT  
George Livingston, Clifton, VA  
John Lolley, Vinyard Haven, MA  
Robert Lombardo, Tunkhannock, PA  
Michael Malarney, Pittsford, NY  
Jeffrey Marks, Nantucket, MA  
Jay Massey, Roanoke, VA

Merton Meads, Jr., Leesburg, VA  
Stanley Miller, Hagerstown, MD  
Scott Morrell, Longbeach, NY  
John Napoli, East Hampton, NY  
John O'Neill, Pittsford, NY  
Glenn Parker, Laconia, NH  
George Patton, Middletown, NY  
Andrey Pawlak, Fredericksburg, VA  
David Quashnock, Clairton, PA  
John Rawson, Skillman, NJ

John Rea, Annandale, NJ  
Len Sexild, Manassas, VA  
Bram Seven Huysen, Medford, NJ  
William Sheaffer, Bernville, PA  
James Smiley, Clover, VA  
William Spafford, Cortland, NY  
John Stoltzfus, Cochranville, PA  
M. A. Tekallu, Norfolk, VA  
David Tippey, St. Albans, WV  
Raymond Tippin, Endwell, NY

Michael Turits, Northampton, MA  
Dirk Vandersterre, Morristown, NJ  
Dirk Vandersterre, Blairstown, NJ  
Robert Von Pentz, Washington, DC  
Rosemarie Williams, Southbridge, MA  
David Worstine, New York, NY  
Nancy Zawistowski, N. Reading, MA  
Nick Zello, Greensburg, PA

Private Pilot, and we have  
a Tribe function. Isn't it wonderful to find that we  
are almost normal.

The concern, of course, is the some 82% of the  
members who didn't respond. As in all membership  
organizations, we encourage more participation by  
more. We encourage your writing. We encourage your  
attendance at flyins. We encourage your leadership  
in our activities. We encourage your ideas and  
thoughts.

NORTHEAST TRIBE ANNUAL MEETING  
 JUNE 2, 1991  
 MINUTES

NORTHEAST COMANCHE TRIBE VIDEO RENTAL

Renter Name \_\_\_\_\_ ICS No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Check tapes desired (max. of two, all tapes are VHS)

- Talent Film Group, "The Piper Comanche" with Maurice Taylor, 55 minutes
- AOPA Air Safety Foundation, "Weather, Flight Planning & the Pilot", 46 minutes
- AOPA Air Safety Foundation, "Go/No-Go Weather Decisions", 39 minutes
- AOPA Air Safety Foundation, "Evaluating In-Flight Weather", 29 minutes
- King, "The Complete Airspace Review", 76 minutes
- King, "Communications" 77 minutes
- King, "Maneuvers for the Com/CFI, 78 minutes
- King, "IFR with Confidence, 114 minutes
- King, "The Complete Jeppesen Chart Review", 118 minutes
- CFF, "Maurice Taylor Walk-Around for Comanches"
- CFF, "Comanche Tech Tips"
- CFF, "Comanche Landing Gear"

Note: The CFF tapes have been ordered but are not yet available. Watch the Comanche Flyer for availability.

Enclose your check in the amount \$2.50 for one tape or \$4.00 for two tapes payable to ICS Northeast Tribe. Send this request to Eric Thompson, 2042 Hilltop Rd., Bethlehem, PA 18015.

Return the video tapes within one week after receipt to Eric Thompson, 2042 Hilltop Rd., Bethlehem PA 18015- a mailing label is inclosed. Video tapes may be sent book rate.

Date Request Received \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date Video(s) Mailed \_\_\_\_\_  
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REGISTRATION FORM

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 Tribe Chief  
 Northeast Comanche Tribe  
 2042 Hilltop Rd.  
 Bethlehem, PA 18015

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 TED MAUGER, DOTTIE  
 20 QUARRY DRIVE  
 50 BERWICK, ME 03908

The Northeast Comanche Tribe met June 2, 1991 at the Comfort Inn at Niagara Falls with Eric Thompson the Tribe Chief Presiding. There was discussion of the International Convention to be held by the Northeast Tribe in 1996. Niles Barlow, chairman of the site selection committee, suggested Portland, Maine, as a site to consider but requested others submit their ideas too.

Ted Mauger, Assistant Tribe Chief and Treasurer, reported on the balance in the tribe's account and the value of the tribe inventory.

Members present discussed the structure of the leadership of the tribe and what officers would be appropriate. Eric Thompson mentioned that ICS requires a tribe chief and one other officer and that the tribe chief could hold that office for only two years. Currently, the Northeast Tribe has a tribe chief and an assistant tribe chief. After discussion, it was voted to have three officers: Tribe Chief; Assistant Tribe Chief and Secretary; and Treasurer.

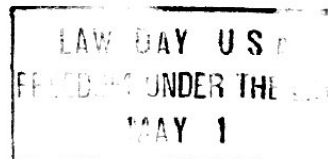
Nominations for Tribe Chief were opened, Eric Thompson was nominated, nominations were closed and by unanimous vote Eric was declared the Tribe Chief for 1991-1992. Nominations for Assistant Tribe Chief and Secretary were opened, David Hess was nominated, nominations were closed and by unanimous vote David was declared the Assistant Tribe Chief for 1991-1992. Nominations for Treasurer were opened, Ted Mauger was nominated, nominations were closed and Ted was declared the Treasurer for 1991-1992.

A Tribe Newsletter was discussed partly due to the length restrictions (1/2 page) imposed by the Comanche Flyer on the tribes. There appeared no easy solution to this problem as many felt that all pertinent information should be in the Comanche Flyer. ICS President George Burson appointed a committee composed of Eric Thompson, Jim Price and Donna Holaway to recommend a solution to this problem.

Flyin charges were discussed with consideration given to the appropriate charge to the participants and what the tribe treasury should pay. Even though ICS is non profit, it was felt that a budget should be followed with the treasury holding a reasonable amount of a buffer or cushion, say about \$3000.00. No final decision was made on this topic.

Meeting adjourned.

David R. Hess



FIRST CLASS