

EAA106 Meeting & Program – FRI EVE, MAR 15, 2013

HANG GLIDING !

by Tom Lanning, US National Champ



Tom built his first hang glider out of parts laying around the farm when he was 14. Luckily, he was only a few feet off the ground when it imploded after an afternoon of short hops off a pasture hillside. A couple decades later, after realizing he liked the parachute canopy ride as much as the free-fall, he tracked down a hang gliding flight school and was forever lost to the dark side. 20-plus years later he is still looking for excuses to run into the air, whether it be racing across the Outback or a floating at cloud-base on a lazy summer afternoon in New England.

Tom is a past U.S. National Champion, past U.S. World Team member, a mentor to many competition and recreational pilots, and a certified air-junkie.

ALL WELCOME -- BRING FAMILY & Aviation-minded FRIENDS

We were all new at some point – INTRODUCE YOURSELF to someone new at every meeting!

LOCATION: Classroom at rear of VA Hospital campus, BEDFORD, MA

DIRECTIONS & PARKING: (1st time? Campus is enormous, so STUDY the MAP !!)

<http://www.106.eaachapter.org/MAPS.htm>

The KEY is turning LEFT just AFTER the small brick building (it's on the right side, next to the road)

SCHEDULE:	Set-Up chairs/tables (<i>some help appreciated</i>)	-- ~5:30-6:00
	Gather/Social and FOOD*	-- ~6:00-6:30
	Chapter Meeting – incl By-Law re Youth	-- 6:30-7:00
	Brief break to reload on food/beverage	-- 7:00-7:15
	PROGRAM – HANG GLIDING !	-- ~7:15-8:30

*** FOOD:**

We'll have food available (All-U-want for a small donation) so you may come directly from work.

Cheese & Crackers, Sandwiches (Beef, Turkey, Ham), **Salad, Dessert, Sodas & Coffee.**