



# GRASSHOPPER FLYER

August 2019



Saturday, August 24, 2019  
Join the Grasshoppers at  
Ocala International Airport  
KOCF

ETA: 11 AM

Runways: 18/36 8/26

Elevation 90'

ATIS: 128.125 Tower: 119.25 Ground: 121.4



Lunch at Tail Winds Café (FBO Conference Room)



1200 SW 60th Ave., Ocala FL 34474

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Hosted by Murray Sellers & Judie Betz  
Please RSVP by Thursday, August 22  
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# Grasshoppers Swarm to the Lost Lagoon

## July 27, 2019

### New Smyrna Beach Municipal Airport



L-R, Ken Rivard, Marcia Gitelman, Mary Jane Law, Jeri Lynn Stetz, Tom Inglima, Ira Goldstein, Lenny Ohlsson and

Sixteen Grasshoppers, Locusts, Crickets, Nymphs and guests found their way to the Lost Lagoon Wings and Grill at New Smyrna Beach Municipal Airport for the July gathering. Two planes arrived; kudos to **Jeri Lynn Stetz**, **Tom Inglima** and their guest **Ira Goldstein** for flying from North Perry Airport (187 NM). **Joe** and **Marina Friend** had a somewhat shorter flight from Spruce Creek (7 NM). Dark clouds threatened but held off until everyone was finished. That left the south Florida flyers as well as **Ken Rivard** and **Mary Jane Law**, who drove from Merritt Island, dodging showers on their way home.

Grasshopper **Kathy Koshan** and her Locust, **Will Weatherbee** drove from Massey Air Ranch. Driving from Spruce Creek were **Marcia** and **Dave Gitelman**, **Pat** and **Lenny Ohlsson**, the newest Cricket and Nymph, **Dave** and **Diana Baldwin** and the host, **Evelyn Shapiro**.

The food and service were appreciated. Between bites of Good Ole Burgers, Seawood Fish and Chips and Shrimp Po Boys the conversation, of course, was mostly about flying adventures. **Pat Ohlsson** extended her birthday celebration one more day with her decorated Chocolate Brownie Bliss.

Please note that we have hosts for the remaining months in 2019. Becky or Judie will be happy to sign you up to host a meeting in 2020. Hurry while you still have a choice of 12 dates!



L-R: Ira Goldstein, Will Weatherbee, Pat Ohlsson, Kathy Koshan, Lenny Ohlsson, Dave Gitelman, Ken Rivard, Jeri Lynn Stetz and Tom Inglima



Joe and Marina Friend

Membership News



Dave and Diana Baldwin at the Lost Lagoon.

Welcome to new members **Diana and Dave Baldwin**. He is our Cricket and she is our Nymph! They have been in Spruce Creek for five years and they are making some progress on their combined lifelong dreams of travel and aviation. They have a LOT of aircraft...which include an R44 helicopter, a WACO UP F7, an SX 300 and an Extra 300. We look forward to seeing them at many upcoming fly-outs. Please add to your directories:

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DianaBaldwin@icloud.com



Grasshoppers and 99s Pam Torell, Pat Ohlsson, Myra Bugbee and Pat Blasi attended the 99s International Convention in July. They all flew in the Wright "B" Flyer.



Pat's Spruce Creek Socks

I had the opportunity to spend time with Pat Ohlsson at the recent 99s International Convention in DAY. It was a blast! Above, **Pat** and her "**Spruce Creek Socks**" go flying in the Wright "B" Flyer. Fun was had by all.

*Pam Torell*

**August 24** — KOCF — Ocala Hosted by **Murray Sellers & Judie Betz**

**September 28** — KBOW — Bartow Hosted by **Judie Betz**

**October 26** — KSEF — Sebring “The Paradise Coast 99s are hosting the Wicked Witch FlyIn at the Runway Café at 11 AM. We would like the Grasshoppers to join us.”—Ellen Hare

**December 1** — 7FL6 — Spruce Creek Christmas and Holiday Party hosted by **Pat & Lenny Ohlsson**, Sunday Brunch at Spruce Creek Country Club at 10:30 AM. More to follow.

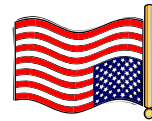
**Would you like to host?**

Contact **Judie Betz** ([judiebetz@gmail.com](mailto:judiebetz@gmail.com)) or **Becky Smith** ([pilotbecky@gmail.com](mailto:pilotbecky@gmail.com)) if you would like to host a Grasshopper fly-in.

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God Bless America



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