

Antique Airplane Association of Colorado

Taylorcraft Restoration Workshops

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Our First 2011 WORKSHOP THIS WEEKEND.

Since the Last Workshop:

The fuel tank for second wing has a new an air vent fitting welded on.

We have received the two replacement compression struts (one short, one long) and a pair of wing jury struts ordered from K& K in Texas. They will need cleaning up, inspection and epoxy priming.

The first wing is back off of the fuselage and should be ready for the fabric covering to start.

We have the new magnetos, sparkplug wires, sparkplugs and a new lightweight starter for our 85 horsepower engine.

Wilie has been busy and has repaired more wing ribs for the second wing.

Next Workshop on 15 January 2011:

The emphasis will be on:

1. Getting the first wing ready to cover (last few items) and wrapped in Dacron. Seeing the wing on the fuselage was exciting but seeing a wing wrapped will be equally encouraging.
2. Work on the toolboxes to hone metalworking skills.
3. Work on the Model Airplanes and viewing the progress there.

We must expecting typical Colorado winter weather (anything and not usually following the weather forecasters script) and the food will be courtesy of our rotating fleet of culinary volunteers. We hope for good attendance to start off the New Year on a good footing-- hopefully including you!

Come, inspect and critique!

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