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Declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous works among all the peoples! (Psalm 96:3)

Teens Inspired Toward Missions at MATA

During the last week of July, we were privileged to serve 18 campers during our aviation camp. Clayton gave a devotional encouraging the teens by giving examples of how God can use just one person to make an impact for eternity and how to receive wisdom from God on how to live life for Him. He also trained a young volunteer who helped in I.T. Becky got to share with & encourage a camper who wasn't sure of her salvation. All the campers earned logbooks representing about 10% of the minimum flight & ground hours required by the FAA for pilot training.



Excited Teens from Across the U.S. are Introduced to Mission Aviation



MATA's Cessna 206 enroute to Arlington after Alaska Summer Ministry

Childrens Lives Transformed at Camp

MATA used the Cessna 206 for transporting children to and from the Alaska Bible camps over the summer. These camps see dozens of people give their lives to Christ every year. Our 206 is now back in the MATA hangar undergoing mechanical work to prepare for new students. It will be used for pilots who will soon be in their missionary application process to begin serving with mission agencies. Their flight evaluations can be rather intense, and they greatly appreciate enrolling into MATA's "Technical Evaluation Preparation Course".



Purchased Aircraft Begins its Ministry

To God be the Glory. Over the summer, negotiations were made to purchase a Cessna 180 located in Alaska. Unlike all the other aircraft in the MATA fleet, this airplane uses a tailwheel. This airplane is expected to improve upon the stick & rudder skills needed by students who are preparing for the mission field. Funds from MATA contributors and a matching gift from a generous organization made this purchase possible. This aircraft was quickly pressed into service by a MATA board member to provide transportation in ministry opportunities for people in need.



MATA's Cessna 180 stopped by the lodge at Tanalian Bible Camp in July



Zach Kupser



Abigail McMillan



Eddie Hooke

New Faces at MATA Zach, who desires to serve in AK, enrolled for Private Pilot training on August 1st. Abigail, who just graduated from the Ethnos Bible Institute, has begun training as an apprentice to earn her mechanic credentials. Eddie will serve MATA as an aircraft technician next year.

Praise & Prayer: We continue to be very astonished at the ways God continues to uphold our ministry at MATA! Frequently, He clearly makes His calling on our lives evident through your prayers and the valuable resources you share with us for His Kingdom work.

Please pray that God will send more laborers into His harvest so that multitudes of people will be introduced into an amazing and intimate personal relationship with God, that is made possible through Jesus Christ.

Please continue to pray for the MATA staff and students to be healthy, safe, and productive.

Thank You!