

Hangar Talk



Issue 5 – May 2008

NEXT MEETING
May 19th, 7:30

From the Prez'
Club President Bob Kleis



“Moving Forward”

I was flying at the field this last Sunday and it was a beautiful day. Lots of flyers and great weather.

Went to Steve Shoops Saturday and there was a good turn out and lots of fun but the wind speed was massive. My poor little Slo-stick actually got a broken wing sitting on the flight line.

Looks like it is going to be a great summer for flying. Lots of variety of models. I would like to get involved in some kind of terminal combat, if there is such a thing, with inexpensive models and a streamer for looks, but if you made full contact, no big deal. Is that legal in the AMA, and is anybody interested?

See you at the meeting, May19th.

Your President
Bob Kleis, Jr.

There will be a discussion on turbine engines being flown at our field at the next meeting. We have been approached by an AMA member from the Bedford area wanting to know if he could fly his turbine powered jet at our field.

This issue should be addressed by as many members as possible.

PLAN TO ATTEND

The VP's Perspective
Club Vice President Mike Bryant



Well hello again,

It's May and I already have a sunburn HA HA.

First of all I would like to thank all who has help keep the grass cut, THANKS a lot.

The first thing coming up will be the club fun-fly so dust off a plane come on out for some fun and food should be a good time.

The shed roofing is also coming up and if anyone can help out with that it will go pretty fast.

We have some new members this year and if u can help them out this would be a good thing to guide them in the right direction.

Safety at the field is always first and foremost so keep an eye out to. There is still an opening for Field Marshal if someone would like to take on the task.

That's about all I have for now.

See You Out There

Mike

Meeting Minutes

Fred Rasener – Recording Sec.



**Meeting Minutes
April 21st, 2008**

Meeting called to order at 7:30 with 20 members present & 2 guests

Pledge of allegiance

Minutes from last meeting read and accepted.

Treasurer's report read and accepted.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Scott proposed a donation to the Camp Atterbury War Veterans Memorial of \$250. Reasoning is that this is the most under funded area at the base. This good will gesture will better our relationship with the base who we depend on. Motion that we donate \$250 made by Stan and seconded by Dutch. Motion carried.
2. Denny discussed the frequency shelter roof project with the Park Board and they said that we could do whatever we decide. After some discussion the consensus was to fix the roof the same as it is with brown shingles due to the cost and ease of repair being best. Tentatively set the work day to do this repair on June 28th.

NEW BUSINESS

1. The Park Department called a meeting with all the clubs at JCP. General opinion of the board is that the clubs add a lot of value to the park and they feel the current ones all belong and would like to keep them. They have a tight budget but would like to tear down the big buildings behind the park office.
2. Pres Bob attended a leadership seminar put on by the AMA. He reported that he learned a lot and it was a good meeting. There were 25 club presidents in attendance.
3. The Senior Pattern Association. Event is set for July 26 & 27th. Kitchen volunteers are needed to staff the concession all day Saturday and Sunday till noon.
4. Bob did a 20 minute talk about RC flying at the last Rotary Club meeting. At that meeting Lynn Schowalter mentioned that he thought the mall show was a really good event.
5. Wilson queried about making our events a tailgate swap also and charging \$5 for that. Scott made motion to have an unofficial swap meet fee of \$5 in a vendor area. Motion was seconded and passed.
6. The smoker that was stored in the Ladies restroom has disappeared without evidence of a break-in. Mike B made a motion that the club buy a new one and secure it better. Motion was seconded by Shoop and passed.
7. The mowing list is posted in the frequency hut. Please sign up!

SHOW AND TELL

None

NEW MEMBERS

Al Oliver
Thomas Whittington
Ken Whittington
Danica Hornaday

Meeting Adjourned



From the Editor
Dennis Runge

Hi everybody.

There is a "grass mowing" sign up sheet in frequency shed. Any members that can help out on the mowing duties please pick out and open date a SIGN UP. If we can't get enough members to share in the mowing duties we are going to have to find alternative means to get the job done.

June 28th has been set for re-roofing the frequency shed. If you can and want to help out in this endeavor, keep this date in mind. The more help the quicker we can get it done, and get flying!!!

Enough said. See you at field. HAPPY FLYING.

Denny

Club Safety
Safety Officer- Steven Maxwell



Well it looks like spring maybe coming, I know this gets old but at this time of the year it's time to cycle batteries and make sure they have at least 75% of there capacity, if not it's time to replace. Don't forget to form your new batteries, for NiCd and NiMH first charge at 10% of capacity and for time you need to charge for 1.6 times the capacity.

For example a 700 mah receiver pack charge at 70 mah for 16 hours ($700 \times 10 = 70$ x $(700 \times 1.6 = 1120)$ so $1120 / 70 = 16$ hr).

For lipo charge the first 5 or 6 charges at 1C and discharge easy less than there rated C rate for only 1/2 flying time this also applies to stored batteries that have been setting for the winter at 50 % of capacity, over stressing new or stored lipo is one of the ways to shorten life cycles.

Always be safe

Steven Maxwell
Safety Officer

Randy's Ramblings
Roving Rptr. - Randy Schwersenska



Hi All

First I'd like to take the time to thank Don Glick for getting a box of stick on lead weights for the club.

Next, put out an ALL POINTS BULLETIN for Steve Maxwell missing in action.

I sold 2 trainers cheap to help out new perspective flyers.

Here's a heads up on June 14th Fun Fly. We will have a pitch in dinner and a canned food drive for the members only Fun Fly. The plan is to collect canned foods for Johnson County Food Bank and help out the local charity a little.

You still have time to practice and decide what plane to fly at the SPA contest on July 26-27th. The count is up to 14 members that said they want to participate. I have a new for me Warbird for the Warbird Fly-in on July 19th. It is a Global Fokker D VII biplane. Come on you evil English, French and Americans---Bring It On---

The Roving Polish Reporter

If there is anyone interested in going to a Senior Pattern event before the JCRCF contest in July. The next contest and the closest to us is in Knoxville TN. on May the 17-18th (Sat & Sun). here is a link to the Flyer.

<http://www.seniorpattern.com/Contest2008/Knoxville/knoxville2008SPAcontes>

I know the price of gas is up, but what the heck. I figure about a 5 hour drive and plenty of motels close. Scott M. and Randy S. will be attending. I heard the Motel 8 and Super 8 are about \$40-50 a night. Let me know if you want to attend. I think it will be fun. You can show this blurb to your wives to get permission. Hah---Yes I already got my permission and even asked my wife if she wanted to go. She passed it up but called me a GOAT HEAD.....

Randy SPA #385

The Roving Polish Reporter

*Come see us on
the web!!*

www.jcrcf.net

Sign-up to keep up to date in between meeting happenings. Download Club Newsletters, Fliers etc. It's a great way to stay in touch!

(Did I mention it's free & painless?)

Support your local Hobby Shops!

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Hobby R/C – 1102 S. Franklin Rd., Indy, (317)-359-6242

Hobby Town USA – Greenwood Place Shopping Center, Indy. (317)-882-3175

Hobby Town USA – 6336 82nd St., Indy. (317)-845-4106

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JCRCF Inc. Canned Food donation
JUNE FLING MEMBER FUN – FLY

Saturday June 14th, 2008

Rain out date Sunday 15th

Competition starts at 1 PM to 4 PM

Picnic to start at 12 noon (bring ice)

This will be a pitch in picnic and club will
provide the meat and drinks.

(chicken legs, and hot dogs)

Please bring a covered dish, chips or desert

If you require special drinks, bring them.

{Please bring canned food for Johnson County Food Bank}

Single flyer events

Closest to 2 minute flight

Best target landing

Egg bomb drop from a loop

2 man team flyer events

Vegas dice roll fly

Pony express

All competition will be over grass next to runway with target
painted on grass.

Rules for planes

Must have landing gear and be able to take off from grass. Must
be large enough to hold paper cup and egg.

Event Director - Randy Schwersenska

Any questions – 317-422-5516 or speedster1919@juno.com

We have no stinking trophies, plaques, or prizes.

Families are welcome. I want every member to attend.

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