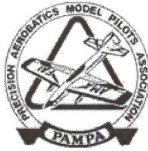


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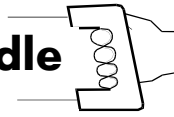


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Ramblings from your Editor

Greetings Circle Masters, Summer is in full swing and there's a lot of activities on the agenda this time of year. First of all the July meeting date has been drastically altered. Conflicts with other events at the park have pushed us all the way on back to July 18th for the meeting. I hope everyone gets this message on time, so we don't have mass Circle Master confusion breaking out. Next, The Bong Eagles are holding their pizza party at the East Troy airport on the evening of July 14th. This event is underrated as far as I am concerned. The Eagles invite us to this deal every summer, via John Schram, and few of us have attended. It's a cool outing, they make room for you to fly, the spot is memorable, with several vintage, full scale birds in the host hangar available for viewing and the \$5.00 deal on pizza can't be beat. In addition to all of that, it doesn't hurt to visit with other model airplane people from the area. Go! You won't regret making the trip.

On to the next item. *KidVenture* starts in a couple of weeks. I probably don't need to say a whole lot about this one. The whole KidVenture control line phenomenon was started right here by our club years ago. Many of the faces have changed, but many have also been coming back every year to fly with the kids. One could argue that we don't see any return on the investment for the effort put in, there is no flood of children entering the hobby as a result of trying it at Oshkosh. However, it is satisfying to see the young'uns having a blast flying the Tuff Babies. KidVenture has also morphed into a major social event for the control line community. We get people from all over the country helping out, partly because they enjoy each other's company. It's quite a list of characters and the Wednesday night party is fantastic. Melissa and Kelsey made the trek down to Oshkosh and roped off the camping compound at camp Scholler last week. I just put new tires on the Dodge diesel to drag the Hindenburg (Melissa's Airstream camper) to it's annual spot. Should be another good time.

The contest has been wrapped up for another year. The weather was a bit dicey, but we made it happen. It was great to see the combat guys join us this time around, hopefully this will be a yearly occurrence. Thanks to all who helped out, participation by our members was the best I can remember. There's a fabulous contest photo album in this issue. Pics are from John Schram and me.

We won't be at the meeting this month, foiled again by work. You guys have fun without us, and somebody take some pictures.

Howard

CIRCLE MASTERS FLYING CLUB ***MEETING MINUTES for JUNE 2015***

The monthly meeting of the Circle Masters Flying Club for June 2015 was held at the Sussex Park Flying Field. A flying session preceded the meeting with no unfortunate occurrences observed.

The meeting was brought to order by Pres. Greg at 1:05 PM when he welcomed all members present (14) to this June meeting. The members had all received, read and approved the minutes of the May meeting.

The Treasurers report was given by Ralph who outlined the current financial status of the club. A motion to accept this report was made and seconded.

REPORTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS: Pres. Greg reported that he had sent an email to AMA regarding the extensive coverage of C/L in the last issue of Model Aviation.

Wayne reminded the members of the conflict in meeting dates for the July club meeting. It was decided to change it to the 18th and have the August meeting prior to the Lisbon Heritage Flying Demonstration.

OLD BUSINESS: Pete outlined preparation for the contest tomorrow morning as well as duties and responsibilities for all. Set up begins at 6:00 AM rain or shine. Also, the new title for the contest is Wisconsin State Control Line Championships.

Greg discussed the first draft of the club history compiled by Don and Wayne for use in the new club flyer. Don also provided a mission statement for the flyer. Greg read both items to the members and asked for suggestions or changes to them. He will continue to work on the new flyer.

NEW BUSINESS: John reported that the Bong Eagles will once again hold a pizza fly-in on July 14 at the East Troy airport. Contact John if you want to go. That is the same night as the MLB All Star Game.

Since there was no more business to discuss Greg called for a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was made and seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 1:55 PM.

SHOW & TELL: A silent auction was held for some engines, a kit and some misc. items belonging to a former modeler who wished to sell it all.

Submitted by: Wayne M. Schmidt, Secretary

06/29/2015

Upcoming Events

Bong Eagles Pizza Party: July 14th 4:00 PM at the Tabor hangar, East Troy airport. See flyer on the following page. John Schram is our go to guy if you need more info.

July Meeting: Saturday July 18th, Sussex Village Park. Meeting at 1:00 PM with flying before and after.

Kidventure at EAA Airventure in Oshkosh: July 20th through 26th, annual party Wednesday evening at the Kidventure volunteers camp site area.

August Meeting: Sunday July 9th, 10AM Meeting held at Lisbon Heritage days event. Flying all day. This is where we usually smash up all of our planes and don't have them for the steam show. Let's try to avoid that scenario this year!

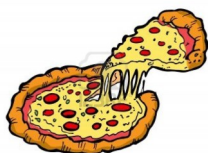
Sussex Antique Power Show: August 29th and 30th, Sussex Village Park. We have been flying at this event forever and it is always a great time. The people who attend the show are a great fit for our flying demos. Plenty of food and interesting stuff to see. I'm a bit concerned that the Antique Power club's web site appears to have disappeared, so I hope all is well.



From the Past

This oldie comes to us from Art Weber's collection. It appears to have been taken with a square, medium format camera. When is the last time you saw one of those?





BONG EAGLES PIZZA PICNIC
Tuesday, July 14, 2015
EAST TROY AIRPORT
SAM TABOR'S HANGAR

4:00 PM -----
No admission fee!
Open Attendance
Bring Family and Friends!

Cost of \$5.00 for cheese and sausage pizza and soft drinks.
Or
Bring your own lunch.

Pizza ordered at 5:00 pm. Anyone arriving after 5:00 can call -
Jim Gerszewski
Home # 262-786-3689
Cell # 262-717-8299

Jack Boon will be remembered at 5:00 PM with the dedication of an engraved stone placed at the base of memorial propeller blade located near the East Troy Airport administration building. Please plan to attend.

Bring a model to fly - weather permitting

The airport is near the intersection of highway 20 and Interstate 43, on County Road L. To open the airport gate, you'll need to call Jim

***Full scale planes will be on display.**

