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Glitch Busters

Delaware R/C Club, WWW.Delawarerc.org



Next Club Meeting: July 10, 2007

- Location: Pavilion at Lums pond flying field
- Raffle: 50/50
- Program Topic: Setup for Warbirds

Next Club Event: Warbirds over Delaware



LUMS POND STATE PARK
KIRKWOOD, DE

The Prez Sez

Where did June go?

Warbirds will be our next big event and we will need all the help we can get to run it.

The trash dumpster will be delivered on Tuesday. I will pick up the Gator on Tuesday as well and drop it off at the field.

We will start set up on the weekend before the event and do a little more each day leading up to Tuesday when we must finish the set up process.

We won't have a club meeting on July 3rd; it will be on July 10th if we

have time. If we get the field set up done by 7:30, we then will have time for a short meeting. Our Heli event will follow Warbirds by two weeks. The dates for the Helis over Delaware are July 29th - 30th.

The new signs have been put up by the state letting everyone know they must be a member and are certified to fly at Lums Pond flying field. Now that the state has given us all this support, is now our job to keep our flying site as one of the best in the country.

Please remember that all of the pilots and their helpers are our guests during these events and we are expected to treat them as one of our family.

Pete and Dave are the CDs of the event and they are the only ones who need to have contact with the rangers. Brian and Dave are CDs of the Heli event and the same rules apply.

Thanks in advance for your help and cooperation .

Dave



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Delaware RC Welcomes

New Members: Walt Wurst, Bennie Blunt, Christian Paley, Enrique Tiscareno, William Jackson, Mark von Kleeck, Robert Pleasanton, John Snyder, Jr

Meeting Minutes

The June 5, 2007 General Membership Meeting was held at the Flying Site. President Dave Moyer called the meeting to order at 7:32 PM.

New member **Kevin McDonald** was introduced.

Old Business

Jim Schlapfer and Tony Albence gave a “wrap up” on the Two Tonys Memorial Fun Fly which was held on May 19th. Conditions were a bit windy. There were 12 registered pilots. Donations were made by Sonic-Tronics (<http://www.sonictronics.com>) and RCHotDeals.com (<http://www.rchotdeals.com>).

Dave Moyer gave an update regarding the new Park rules about to go into effect regarding all pilots that fly at our field. Rules have been printed in the Club newsletter. Signs will be placed shortly announcing the new rules and the start of enforcement.

Safety

Dave Moyer reported on the heli accident that injured a pilot recently. The incident could have been avoided with the proper separation between pilot and aircraft. Keep all aircraft pass the centerline of the runway at all times during flight, takeoff and landing.

John Kirchstein reported on the recent Bandit jet crash at Joe Nall. It is believed that another pilot turned on a transmitter without the frequency pin. The pilot was using a PCM radio.

New Business

Tony Albence has Warbirds Over Delaware 2007 T-shirts and hats for sale.

Jake Ruddy reported on the progress of the training program. Jake asked for additional assistance to help lighten the load.

The Fun Scale contest will be held on Saturday June 9, 2007. Volunteers and judges are needed. CD: **Dave Malchione, Jr.**

Pete Malchione reported on the upcoming Warbirds Over Delaware event (July 12 – 15). Volunteers are needed and past volunteers should concentrate on the duties they’ve performed in the past. Many new vendors will be attending. All positions along the fence line are reserved. Do not setup tents along the fence.

The July General Membership Meeting will be held on Tuesday July 10, 2007 at the Flying Field. Setup for Warbirds Over Delaware will start in the afternoon. The field will be closed to all flying while the event setup is in progress.

Dave Skinner reported on the upcoming Helis Over Delaware (July 27 – 29).

Treasury Report

Dick Stewart reported on the Club’s current financial status. Also, updated member rosters were available.

50/50

This month’s 50/50 winner was **Tony Albence**.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 8:11PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Brian Pasternak, Secretary

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TWO TONY'S ELECTRIC FUN FLY

Another Electric Fun Fly and YES, there was some wind. I think the weatherman's forecast for the weekend had a lot to do with the low turnout. I, myself, flew all three planes that I brought with me so it couldn't have been too bad. We had twelve fliers sign up and they all flew different planes they brought with them.

George Haak brought his huge plane with him and at first glance I thought there was a car starter on the front. It must have had a DieHard Battery.

Stan Michalski brought two large planes, a large Spitfire and a Cessna 310 – WOW they flew great. I flew my Hobbyco Twin Glow converted to an electric and it flew super.

We had three plane contests for the pilots who that came.

Power on Spot Landing 1st place Terry Blanch

2nd George Haak

3rd Charlie Reeve

Dead Stick Spot Landing 1st place Dave Malchione Jr.

2nd place Charlie Reeve

3rd place Richard Pulliam

W.W.II Scramble 1st place Charlie Reeve

2nd place Richard Pulliam

3rd place Dave Malchione Jr.

A large amount of prizes were donated by: Hank of Sonic Tronics Inc. and R/C Hot Deals. The two CD's for this event were Jim Schlapfer and Tony Albence, you couldn't miss them. They were the two gray hairs bobbling around on canes.

I want to thank all the people who helped out. Dick Stewart ran the Scramble and took a lot of pictures you may see them in the newsletter or on the website. Thank you to the Boy Scouts for the food stand. Every one did a fine job.

Jim Schlapfer



George Haak's Monster



Dick Stewart prepares the Scramble



Pilot's Meeting



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Set Your Course for Upcoming Club Events		Additional Waypoints of Interest	
July 12 - 15, 2007.	Warbirds over Delaware		
July 27-29, 2007	Helis over Delaware		
Saturday, Nov. 3, 2007	Annual Club Auction	August 15,2007	Atlantic City Airshow http://www.atlanticcityairshow.com

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