

THRUSTLINES

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The Editor's Corner

We have had some good flying weather at the field and as we move into fall it should even get better. Sunday, Sept 30, starting at noon is our annual fall Club Picnic/Pitchin. The club will provide hotdogs, buns and condiments. Members are asked to bring a dish to share and your own drinks and place settings. This event is for all family members and as I write this the weather forecast looks to be excellent.

This is the time of year that Vern will start taking your club dues for 2019 which are \$85 for single and \$115 for family. For him to issue you a 2019 club card you will need to have your AMA membership paid through the end of 2019. Many of us have just received our renewal notices from AMA so until you have that sent in and recorded by AMA you will not be issued your club card for 2019.

With the sun setting earlier we will move the club meetings back to the church for the winter season. Gene Crider has confirmed the meeting room and gym. Flying will be in the gym from 5-7pm and the meeting will begin at 7pm

In addition to the picnic on Sept 30 we have the fall float fly at Roy Wilsons pond scheduled for Oct 7. Stay tuned to your email and the club Facebook page for more info on that event.

As I receive notice of area swap meets I will forward to all via email.

See you at the field -Ted



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Meeting Minutes Sept 2018

Presidents Corner

Event Calendar

The next meeting will be held on Monday, October 1 at the Church

Minutes from the Indianapolis RC Modelers Meeting 3 September 2018

Meeting was opened at the field at 7:01

19 member present—current membership is 55

Minutes of August Meeting and Treasurers report were approved

Discussion was held on future events for the club. We will establish events and dates at the Oct or Nov meeting. If you have any thoughts on new events or how to improve the current events let one of the officers know or bring it up at the next meeting.

Discussion was held concerning having a Club Christmas dinner. If you would be interested in attending a dinner in Morristown in January please let Steve Woods know. Decision to hold a dinner will be made depending on interest in membership. Firm date to be set at a later time.

Discussion on upcoming events—Heart Nut Festival Flyin at Johnson County club field and the ADA fund raiser at the Indy RC South field.

George Horning thanked everyone that walked the corn to help find his plane.

At the Labor Day Warbird event Steve Woods lost orientation while flying his big P-47 and it was destroyed in a crash.

Discussion was held about setting and checking the failsafe operation of your TX/Aircraft. We have had to recent incidents where planes have gone into Failsafe and have continued to fly for an extended period of time before crashing. If you don't know how to setup the Failsafe for you TX/RX system please ask a club member and please check it to make sure that the controls are moving to position that you would like.

Club fall Picnic/Pitchin will be Sunday Sept 30 at the field.

Meeting closed at 7:38

Minutes from the Indianapolis RC Modelers Meeting 3 September 2018

Well Hello My IRCM Friends,

October is here and with just a few flying days left of outdoor flying, let get them in. I know I only have one big event left and that is the Warbirds and classics over KY. This has been one busy year.

We still have two club events left and that is the club picnic on the 30th of Sept. and the float fly on the 7th. I don't have high hopes for the float fly. Check your emails and facebook for more info.

The club meeting will be held at the Trinity Park United Methodist church at 7pm. We do have the gym for indoor flying starting at 5pm. So bring something small and fun.

As our Fiscal year closes out, I know that we will yet again be in the negative numbers and this is not great but on the positive note we lost a lot less than previous years. We have been trying several things that seem to be working. And finally the best news, Our membership is on the rise. Yeaaaaaah. Lets keep up the good work.

With the year winding down, its time for thoughts on choosing new board members for next year.

Step up to the plate and help out. Voting to be held at the December meeting.

One of the things I noticed about this past year is all of the conflicts, I think the earlier we set the schedule for next year and get it published the better chance of a flying conflict being avoided. I would like to discuss the events the club wants to hold so we can publishes it.

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Enjoy flying

Stephen Woods

RC and Aviation Events 2018

Sept 30 – Fall club Picnic/Flyin at the Field

Oct 1 – Club meeting at the Church

Oct 6-7—Red Bull Air Races at Indy 500 Track

Oct 7 – Float Flyin at Roy Wilson's Farm

Nov 5 – Club meeting at the Church

Dec 3 – Club meeting at the Church



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