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Indianapolis R/C Modelers Chapter 288

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The Editor's Corner

As discussed at the May meeting we have had to postpone the maintenance day and recently the club spring picnic because of weather either actual or forecast. Steve Kessler rebuilt three flight stations and Norm was able to borrow a roller to roll the field. Please contact Steve Woods to see what projects need to be done. We need to get the field looking great for the upcoming events.

Guys—a reminder that we need to keep the field in good shape and secure. Please don't leave trash laying around—if you brought it to the field—take it home. Also, when flying, put your club card in the board. If you have a guest their AMA card must be in the board and they can only fly as a guest 3 times a year. The gate has been left open/unlocked at least twice this year. The last person leaving the field **must close** and lock the building and gate.

Our annual All Electric Flyin is coming up on Saturday June 9th. I have been in contact with friends from the Ft Wayne Flying Circuits club and anticipate that we will have a good group coming from that club. We will need help with concessions and cleanup at the end of the event. Even if you don't want to fly please come out and support your club by meeting and talking with our visitors. We would like to make this event grow into a major flyin for central Indiana. If you would like to come out Friday or stay over Saturday evening and camp that would be great. Hope to see every club member out to support this event regardless of whether you fly or not. Ted



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Meeting Minutes May 2018

Presidents Corner

Event Calendar

The next meeting will be held on Monday, June 4th at the field

Minutes from the Indianapolis RC Modelers Meeting
7 May 2018

Meeting opened at 7:05pm at the field

25 members present—current membership is 50

Minutes of April meeting and Treasurers report approved

Norm Warfield was able to borrow a large asphalt roller from Steve Crim and was able to roll the field. It was moved to donate \$100 to Mr Crim for use of the roller.

A Dawn Patrol flyin is being hosted by the Tom Seres and the club in Elwood this weekend

The RC Event in Avon was very well attended

Discussion on Air Show—this is our Air Show so we need club members to not just show up but also to fly in the event. We will need members to help with setup/teardown/cleanup, Friday/Saturday Derby Days events, concessions, gate, etc...

Discussion on Field Maintenance—because of weather issues we have had to postpone our field maintenance projects several times. We will need to just fit them in as time allows. We need to do some painting, weeding the flower garden, repair flight stations.

Website/Facebook—Jack will look to see if we can link the club Facebook page and website.

Meeting closed at 7:30

President's Corner

Well Members,

May is almost over and the main flying time is here. The weather is starting to cooperate with warmer temps. Winds a little crazy. The Avon RC Day event on May 5 was exceptional. There were more pilots and people there than I have ever seen. We even had Steam Powered trains. If you did not make it you missed a great time.

Due to the weather, the club picnic needs to be rescheduled.

Upcoming in June, we have several events in the area scheduled. Starting off on June 3rd, we have the spring float fly at Roy's Place. For the float fly at Roy's, you will be able fly float planes, run boats and there is a area where small non float planes can fly.

Next is the club meeting on the 4th at 7pm (fly before meeting) and on the 9th we will have our all electric flyin. (invite all of your friends)

Now is the time to start thinking about pilots for the airshow. This is our event so we need to fly with assistance from others. I have posted some commitments on Facebook that I received so far.

Norm was able to get the field rolled. So, Thank you Norm.

Enjoy flying - Steve

RC and Aviation Events 2018

June 3 – Float Fly at Roy Wilson’s Farm **Cancelled because of pond scum**

June 4 – Club meeting at the Field

June 9 – All Electric Flyin at Indy RC Field (open to all AMA members)

June 16– Fun Fly and Ticket Fly at Indy RC South Field—2pm

June 22-24 – National Electric Flyin at the AMA site

July 2 – Club meeting at the Field

July 8—Fun Fly at Indy RC South Field—2pm

July 14 – Fly Anything Flyin at Indy RC Field (open to all AMA members)

July 21 – Johnson County Warbird Flyin

July 22—Ticket Fly Indy RC South Field—2pm

July 28 – Derby Day Parade

July 29 – Annual Tim Mills Derby Day Airshow at club field

Aug 5—Southeast Indy Fun Fly Competition

Aug 6 – Club meeting at the Field

Aug 10-11—Electric flyin at the Flying Circuits Field—Ft Wayne

Aug 18-19—Full Scale Air Show at Terre Haute (Blue Angels)

Aug 18-19—Monster Mash flyin at Flying Circuits Field—Ft Wayne

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Aug 18—Nothing by Cubs—Monroe Cty club field
Aug 25 – Toys for Tots Flyin Indy RC Field (open to all AMA members)
Aug 26—Ticket Fly Indy RC South Field—2pm
Aug 30—Sep 1—Indiana Warbird Campaign and Jet Rally—AMA Site
Sept 3 – Club meeting at the Field
Sept 4-8 – IMAC World Championship at AMA site
Sept 15—American Diabetes Event at Indy RC South Field
Sept 16—Big Bird Fly-in at Monroe Cty Club Field
Sept 30 – Fall club Picnic/Flyin at the Field
Oct 1 – Club meeting at the Field
Oct 6-7—Red Bull Air Races at Indy 500 Track
Oct 14 – Float Flyin at Roy Wilson’s Farm
Oct 14—Ticket Fly Indy RC South Field—2pm
Nov 5 – Club meeting at the Church
Dec 3 – Club meeting at the Church



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