

The Sunday Flyer

2970 Baldwin Mill RD
Baldwin, MD 21013

Important Dates:

July 21 – Meeting at Bird Field – 6:00 PM

Aug 5 - 8, 2010 - Liberty Bell Jet Rally

<http://www.libertybelljetrally.com/index.cfm?fuse=information>

Aug 6 - 8, 2010 - Wings over Piper

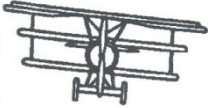
<http://www.wingsoverpiper.com>

Sept 11 and 12 - Bealeton Air Show and Fly-in

<http://www.flyingcircusairshow.com/schedule.html>

September 19 - *Sunday Flyers Club Picnic At Merritt Point Park*

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CONDOLENCES

We lost another good guy. **Bob Stith** passed away on June 29 succumbing to cancer.

Our condolences to his family.



an O.S. 46 and was pleased with the airplane but recommended replacing the hardware. **Gary Wadsworth** was the winner of the airplane raffle taking home the “Twist”. Last but not least was **Joe Kocsan** winning the membership raffle prize of \$595. Congratulations to **Joe**. (Can I borrow 20?)

Visit www.pegasusrc.com for more information. For those willing to travel a little further Wings of Williamsport will be hosting the “Wings Over Piper” event again this year at the William T. Piper Airport in Lock Haven, PA August 6th thru the 8th.

June Meeting

John opened the June 16th meeting with a big thanks to **Gary Likens** for working on the driveway. **John** also took credit for the sunny weather that we enjoyed at the meeting. **Bill Polhamus** reported \$177 spent on the new flight stands (**Thanks Bob Sauer**) and \$200 on the asphalt millings. **Bill** also introduced new member **Donnie Lake**. **Dennis Bledsoe** took home the prize for Model of the Month with his World Models P-51. **Dennis** powered his model with

Check It Out

A lack of participation at the last few Sunday Flyer events has resulted in a hopefully temporary hold on any further competitive flying events. However, those interested in organized events, there are several within a reasonable drive if only to go watch what other clubs are doing. One such club is Prince George’s R/C Club in Upper Marlboro, MD. PG R/C is hosting AMA sanctioned Q-40 races August 14th-15th. If interested contact Steve Baker at 301-352-4580. Pegasus R/C Club of Hagerstown, MD is hosting a giant scale fly-in on August 14th.

In The Air

I was looking thru an old RCM pattern book and came across a rather challenging maneuver called the Figure M. It’s an old pattern maneuver from the sixties, but it takes a decent amount of skill to do it right. You enter with full throttle preferably into the wind and pull up and chop the throttle. Then pull a right stall turn and open the throttle on your way down. Then you pull up into half an outside loop. Then apply full throttle

and climb until you can do another right stall turn and then fly out. Ideally the entry and exit should be at the same altitude and so should the stall turns. The half outside loop should be done at the entry/exit altitude as well. Steve K

T-Shirts

Bill P has re-thought the tee shirt thing and has dropped it. It was making him crazy. But, **Gary Wadsworth** has found a way to do them on a shoestring budget. Buy tee shirt transfer film at an office supply store. Download a picture from the internet. Pull it into your Word Processor. Add some wording and print it using your color printer. Cut it out and iron it on to the tee shirt of your choice. You wind up with your own personalized shirt with the color you like and the number of pockets you like and the image will be just where you want it. Maybe you can purchase the blank transfers from **Gary**. I don't think you can buy them one at a time.



Bob Sauer and the Cub Scouts

Once again, Bob held his annual Cub Scout Day, taking the Cubs through building balsa planes and getting the kids on buddy boxes. They seemed to have a lot of fun. Parents were enjoying it too. **Good job Bob.** Thanks also to **Loren Baker** and **Bill Ey** for manning the cafeteria.



Membership Raffle

The raffle stands at a \$0 prize at the moment. It will grow as members buy into it. Last month the club netted \$149 when **Joe Kocsan** took home \$595

* IMPORTANT *

Puffed up LIPO Batteries

Unfortunately if a Lithium battery has begun to swell or puff there is no way to fix it, it must be disposed of properly. Make sure to immediately unplug your LiPo battery if this happens. After that put your battery in a bucket or tub of saltwater. You can make your own saltwater by using a bucket filled with 3-5 gallons of water and add a cup of salt per gallon of water. Let it sit for a few weeks and allow it to lose any charge left in the battery.

WELCOME

Please welcome new flyers applying for membership:

Chris Owensby
Ethan Hoenig
Kevin Cook
Bonnie Seibel



July Raffle



Miniature Recorder for recording flights, just like the big boys. See Gary the Cej for tickets \$2 each or 6 for \$5

Wing SNAKE

How do I snake my servo wire from the in-wing servo to the receiver? Go to your hardware store and purchase 4 feet or so of small bead chain. This is the stuff that looks like a bunch of BBs wired together. It may be found in the lighting center, since its main use is for lamp pull chains. Hold the wing vertically. The bead chain is extremely

flexible, and will slither its way down the wing thru the openings made for the servo lead; shaking helps. Shortly, the free end will appear where you can grab it. Nasty job complete.

G.E. Scott

Control your screws

If you have trouble holding small screws in place and you don't have a magnetized screwdriver, you can make your own. Just take your screwdriver and touch the tip to a strong magnet, repeat this several times and you will magnetize your screwdrivers. Put the screw on the tip of the screwdriver and problem solved.

Experimental Aircraft Assoc and the AMA



THE SPIRIT OF AVIATION

EAA and the Academy of Model Aeronautics (AMA) signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) in Oshkosh on May 24, 2010 pledging to work collaboratively on

programs and initiatives to expand participation in aviation.

The MOU, signed by EAA Chairman/President Tom Poberezny and AMA President Dave Mathewson, calls on the two organizations to collaborate on youth engagement efforts; pursue opportunities to work together at the local level by encouraging AMA clubs and EAA chapters to work together and promote participation in aviation; and actively encourage their members to participate in each other's activities, including EAA AirVenture Oshkosh and the annual AMA Expo.

"We look forward to beginning this relationship with AMA," Poberezny said. "Model aviation is an important part of the flying community, and since many of our members are actively involved in modeling—or initially became interested in aviation through modeling—we see this new relationship as an opportunity to further engage people in aviation. Working together will also provide added value for EAA and AMA members, especially for those who want to participate in aviation in new ways."

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