

The Sunday Flyer

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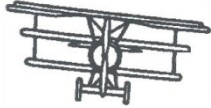
February 16 – Meeting at Grange Elem. School – 6:30 PM

➤ **Don't Forget – SWAP MEET at MEETING**

March 12, 2011 - Lebanon Flea Mkt –

<http://www.cpaa.us/>

This year, advanced sale of Genl. Admission tickets are available.



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Reminder

No smoking on the grounds of Grange Elementary and please don't enter the building before 6:30pm.

December Meeting

Club members were greeted by refreshments. Thanks to the members who help set up and clean up.

John opened the meeting congratulating the winners of the First Pilot competition. Our esteemed leader then let it be known the club was mentioned in the January 13th 2011 edition of the East County Times, page 13. The article titled "Some Fly Without Ever Leaving The Ground" included a quote from **John**. The article can be found online at <http://www.eastcountytimesonline.com/>. Search for

the edition in the ARCHIVE.

FEBRUARY SWAP MEET

The Club was also informed that a SWAP MEET will take place at the February meeting. Bring in what you think you may want to barter or sell.

The Float and Fly is scheduled for August 28, 2011.

Bill provided a detailed Treasurers report which included him announcing the marriage of his daughter. Congratulations went out from across the membership, as **Bill** started passing his hat for donations in jest.

The field report included updates about spring plans to perform more work on the road. Positive comments about the roads condition show the hard work and our combined efforts to slow down have made a difference. Let's keep up the positive trend.

The club welcomed prospective members **William Geiger, Bob Vick and Ray Drewry.**

Bomber Don thanked **Loren** for assistance and his expertise in fixing a crashed plane. The reconditioned airframe is back together and airworthy thanks to **Loren's** help.

The Monthly raffle, a Great Planes Escapade ARF was won by **Bob Sauer.**

AMA Membership

By now everyone should have renewed their AMA membership. If not, please renew as soon as possible. You must be an AMA member in good standing to fly at Bird Field.

Simulator Review
Club Member, **Roger Cooper**, uses a Mac computer and found a simulator that will work with this operating system. He provided the following information "Aerofly Pro Deluxe RC Sim w/TX Interface for Mac at Tower Hobbies (<http://www3.towerhobbies.com/cgi-bin/wti0001p?&I=LXXUS5&P=ML>) for \$139.99 and a Y-adaptor \$19.99 to hook up to a my Spektrum Radio. I installed it last night and WOW, the graphics are amazing. I also notice that it was harder to land the planes which seemed to me to be more like flying up the field. Just wanted to let you know just in case anyone in the club has a Mac and was looking for a nice simulator." Thanks for the review. I am sure this information will be helpful to members.

Wounded Warrior Flying Event Exceeds Expectations
By **William Kahl**

On Saturday, December 18th, 2010 many area modelers gathered at **Hobby Hangar** in Chantilly, Virginia for a

hastily arranged event to support the wounded warriors at Walter Reed Medical Center in Silver Spring and DeWitt Army Hospital at Fort Belvoir, Va. **Food and drink were provided by Hobby Hangar.** Modelers donated equipment, tools, planes, helicopters and a lot of cash to support this worth while cause. Gary Heath spoke, giving his signature Armistice Day faux Champaign toast to the nations warriors and remembering their many sacrifices to this country. A silent action was held on many items donated by Hobby Hangar. A raucous auction was lead by long time NVRC auctioneer Bob Burnett. Bob did an excellent job of squeezing extra money out of all the bidders. FSA modelers were numerous in the crowd and contributed in many ways to support the cause. Final tallies are that approximately \$15,000 worth of goods and services were donated. The money and equipment will be used to get and keep these wounded veterans flying. A big thank you should go to **Hobby Hangar** for stepping up in a big way to support our wounded veterans. If you want to help out, let us know, we can always use help to build and repair damaged aircraft and as flight instructors. There is a helicopter effort

proceeding at Walter Reed and FSA Konterra field will likely see some budding helicopter pilots in the spring.



Club "Early Bird" Dues.

If you pay your dues by the March meeting, you will be entered into a \$200 drawing to be used to buy R/C items. See **Bill Polhamus** at the meeting or mail a check with **Self Addressed Stamped Envelope** to Bill at 8 Ranger Ct. Balt 21234
Dues -\$50
61 years or over -\$40
65 years or over -\$20 (after 5 years of membership).

Float Fly – Not set yet Tom Obringer aiming for August 28 to avoid having it on Essex Day.



Membership Raffle

Last month, **Bernie Bernardelli** would have won the Membership Raffle if he had his name in the book and was present at the time of drawing.

The raffle prize was \$38. It will grow as members buy into it. For those unsure how it works: You contribute \$1 at the meeting and put your name in the book for that evening's drawing. Everyone in the club is in the raffle "hat." A name is drawn, from the "hat." If it's your name and you have your name in the book for that meeting, you win 80% of the pot. If the person drawn isn't at the meeting or didn't contribute the \$1 for that meeting, the pot is heldover till the next meeting and continues to grow.

February Raffle:



Electro Stick ARF

Includes RimFire brushless motor, ElectriFly SS-45 ESC, 11 x 8.5E prop, spinner and three micro servos

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