Sunday Flyers E-News November 2020

MEETING, Meetings have been suspended a/c Covid19



A few people are using the field in the afternoon and a few more on weekends. Field has been mowed and is ready to be used. Please stay out of the clubhouse unless you are alone. It only takes 2 to spread the virus. Make a thoughtful decision. Wear a mask. The virus is always on the attack.



We lost another member last month... **Cliff Tacie**. His battle with cancer started a number of years ago (unknown to most of the current core group of flyers). He went into remission for quite some time. He was well loved by all that knew him. As he was well known for creating a pilot in his likeness in the planes he created, he still lives at the field, in those planes he had sold to a few members. He has been sorely missed. [Ed. Note] See his full page interview in the Current (Dec 2020) Model Aviation magazine...Page 116.

The latest report on the virus:
 The current spike of cases distances the first and second waves. We should be smart enough to understand that small groups are a problem. Visiting during the holidays outside of your "Safety Bubble" is a tremendous risk. Out of all the cases, 50% of those infected are in there 20's.

The rest is spread between all other age groups. Being "20 something" at this moment (with all the urges, ignorance and boldness that comes with youth) is a recipe for disaster. I have been asking everyone I know if they have a friend or family that's been affected. If you have had someone close to you affected and want to share, I would like to gather some stories of who, age and if they figured out how they contracted it.

I cannot stress this enough. Wear your mask, stay apart.

Covid Animated chart thru Nov 30, 2020

Bird Field Issues

- I'm trying to find a burn barrel for a reasonable price (\$30 or so). Does anyone know of any available? Don't send me Craigslist or Facebook Marketplace links. They all crapped out.
- Paul McRann replaced our beat up flag. Thank you.
- The canopy structure is still standing and of no use to us. I understand Bill Cox volunteered to fund half of a new one for next season.
- I sent out the field lease check (\$1250) just before Thanksgiving. That was to cover this year, 2020.

<u>Upcoming Events</u> - <u>Nothing -</u>

Notice: If you go into the woods. Wear the orange vest.

It's in the plastic cabinet. Please put it on and, of course...return it.

TREE CLIMBER Dave Novak - 410-574-4667

Fee: \$60 minimum. ****

**** <u>May be more</u> depending on distance traveled and complexity. Last two tree rescues were \$70.

His name and number are also on our website home page. http://www.sundayflyers.com

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