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Next Meeting is Tuesday November 20th @ 7:00PM. The New meeting location is the new Salem Library Located on Rt 85 about one mile North of the Salem Four Corners.

November NEWSLETTER

Visit RC Propbusters online at: http://www.rcpropbusters.com

Note: September and Oct Minutes are attached.

Tips of the Month

BUILD MORE

FLY MORE

HAVE MORE MODELS IN YOUR HANGER

GET MORE INVOLV-ED TO MAKE THE RC PROPBUSTERS THE BEST CLUB IT CAN BE.

IF YOU HAVEN'T TRIED ELECTRIC, TRY IT.

IF YOU HAVEN'T TRIED SILENT FLIGHT, TRY IT

IF YOU HAVEN'T TRIED GAS, TRY IT

IF YOU HAVEN'T TRIED A HELI, TRY IT.

IF YOU HAVEN'T BUILT A KIT OR DESIGNED A MODEL, TRY IT, IT IS VERY REWARDING. FRED MEYER 834 SHENNECOSSETT ROAD

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<u>HIGHLIGHTS</u>

- THIS MONTHS NEWSLETTER INCLUDES THE PROPOSED CHANGES TO OUR CLUB BYLAWS.
 - O A PAGE IS ATTACHED DESCRIBING THE CHANGES
 - O THE COMPLETE BYLAWS WITH CHANGES ARE INCLUDED.
- WE HAVE ADDED TWO NEW HELI INSTRUCTORS, BOB LARSON & MARK O'CONNELL.
- CHECK THE FOR SALE ITEMS AND PLEASE ADVISE IF ANY ITEMS SHOULD BE DELETED.

CHECK OUT OUR WEB SITE. RICH IPPILITO IS DOING A FANTASTIC JOB.

Get the newsletter on line and new photos of the Warbird & Vintage A/C are coming soon.

For Sale

1/3 scale cub (THIS IS A GREAT DEAL THAT JUST GOT BETTER, GO SEE IT)

- 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ scale Futaba servos with Metal Gears
- 1 Fuji 50cc gas engine with spring starter New in Box
- 1 J-3 cowl
- 1 PA-12 cowl
- 1 Set of Balsa USA struts for 1/3 scale Cub. Need fabrication.
- 1 fuel tank 1500cc (fly for ever) All this for \$975.00 or make an offer.

Call Les Haley (860)536-4082, Cell 860-705-9391 or e-mail lhaleyrc@aol.com

Aero Works 29% Katana, WS=84", L=75" Wing Area=1270 sq. in.
 complete with Brisson 3.2 Engine & servos, add a receiver and it's ready to fly.

Call Bernie Liskov 860-447-9561 or e-mail: bliskov@ct.metrocast.net

Composite Arf 2.6M Extra 330 (33%) RTF!!!

- · All composite construction
- ZDZ 80cc
- JTEC Custom Exhaust
- · Hitec 5945 servos x8 all around (4 aileron, 2 rudder, 2 elevator)
- Hitec 635HB Throttle Servo
- Futaba 3003 Choke Servo
- Fromeco Lithium Ion Batteries: 2-2400mah reciever batteries, 1-2400 ignition
- · 3- Fromeco Voltage Regulators with built in failsafe pin switches
- 3-Smart Fly Equalizer servo-matching devices (2 aileron, 1 rudder)
- JR 959 9 channel RX
- · Airwild Offset Bellcrank rudder servo tray
- All Airwild MLP Aluminum 1.5" and 2.0" servo arms
- · All HD Airwild Servo Extensions
- H9 Titanium pro-links
- Menx 26x8 prop-3D
- MSC 26x10 prop for sport flying/precision aerobatics
- Dave Brown 5" Spinner
- · NEW Extra set of aluminum landing from TNT Products-undrilled

Airplane never crashed or damaged. Paintjob could use some touch up and although current canopy works, it could use a new one which is available from Comp Arf for 30\$. 3D and Precision flight is excellent. Flies VERY light at 23 pounds dry. Asking \$2200 RTF with RX, Asking \$2100 RTF without RX.

Any questions call John Banks at 860.867.6599 or email

john_banks@hotmail.com for pictures.

JR Receiver and spare X-tals for Sale.

•	JR Receiver Model No. NER-226X with X-tal on Channel 39.	\$25.00
•	Futuba dual conversion Crystal, CH 34	\$ 5.00
•	ICL dual conversion Crystal, CH 20	\$ 5.00

Call Fred Meyer @ 860-445-7694 or e-mail @ fandpm@tvcconnect.net.

CLUB INSTRUCTORS

TOM VERNON - CHIEF PILOT	860-859-1548	BOB BOUDREAU - FIXED WING	860-443-8421
JOE COMEROSKI -HELI	860-848-3184	RON CZIKOWSKY - FIXED WING	860-388-2953
DENNIS DUPLICE-Fixed Wing	860-376-6230	ERIC EHRENFELS - HELI	860-501-0437
RICH IPPOLITO -BOTH	860-443-0085	BRIAN JOLLICOEUR-FIXED WING	860-464-9315
PETER KRAUSE - FIXED WING	860-460-8680	FRED MEYER - FIXED WING	860-445-7694
DICK WILKINS - FIXED WING	860-434-1211	DOMINIC TRANCHIDA-FIXED WING	860-442-8145
ROBERT LARSON - HELI	860-526-2267	MARK O'CONNELL - HELI	860-367-9067

IF YOU ARE A STUDENT HOOK UP WITH ONE OF THESE MEN AND GET TRAINED. ANY CLUB PILOT CAN TRAIN YOU, BUT AN INSTRUCTOR MUST SIGN YOU OFF TO FLY SOLO.

Photos of the Warbird & Vintage A/C Event









Minutes of September 18, 2007 Meeting

The September 18, 2007 meeting of the RC Propbusters was called to order at 7:55 PM with 20 members present. The minutes of the August meeting were read by Bill Mares and accepted. Ron Czikowsky was not present, so no treasurers report.

Committees

Heli (Aug 25, 26)- No report from Mike Swift but it did go very well

Old Business:

It was asked if we should seek any restitution for the A10 kit that was missing parts that the club paid for, for the electric raffle. After discussion, it was decided that what was done is done and that we should move on and put it behind us.

It was it announced that a float fly in Thompson would be on the 23 of Sept.

Dennis said he got an email from Bruce at Mohegan Sun to set dates to fly at the Arena and discus flying the blimp next year.

Chris James he heard nothing from Salem School as to when we could fly there.

New Business:

It was suggested the secretary include Officers on the Club Roster.

A committee was formed headed up by Tom Vernon to go over the club bylaws and make sure all changes have been added over the last few years and to make sure all wording is correct. And present any changes back to the club.

We need to look into finding another source for a printed newsletter for our members who have no access to email.

Jack suggested that all new members read all rule and regulations posted at the field and or on the website.

It was also suggested that we put together a "New Members kit" that would include copies of rules, bylaws, safety, and proper etiquette for flying at the field.

Good and Welfare

John Banks notice some motor cycle tracks on the field, so if anybody sees him please ask him to leave.

Dennis asked that we start thinking about elections of Officers and what events we would like to do next year.

New Members

Marc Denno
Drew Denno
Welcome to All!

Model of the Month

John Behne brought in a Hangar Hobby SE5a, covered in Solartex, with Magnum 4 stroke. Nice job John.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50 PM.

Respectively submitted by Bill Mares.

Minutes of October 16, 2007 Meeting

The October 16, 2007 meeting of the RC Prophusters was called to order at 8:02 PM with 20 members present. The minutes of the September meeting was read by Bill Mares and accepted. Ron Czikowsky gave the Financial Report and it was accepted.

Committees

Bylaws Committee. Tom Vernon had a meeting to discus and make sure the Bylaws are up to date. The committee came up with some word changes that need to be incorporated and a few updates. Tom discussed some of the changes at our meeting and will be publishing a finished copy to Fred and he will email it for all members to review and comment on before we vote on it.

Old Business:

It was noted that Jack hadn't been paid yet for his tent that the club was purchasing from him. Ron took care of it and gave him a check.

Dennis shared with every body that the Board of Directors had a meeting before the start of our regular meeting and the discussion of a budget. It presently takes about \$6000/year to maintain everything for the Club. One of the Bylaw changes requested was to Authorize the B.O.D. to assess the budgetary requirements yearly and adjust membership dues as needed.

Dennis heard from his friend at the mill and were going to get a piece of mat(wire) for electric flyers at the field for testing, it will be 6' wide by 40' long.

Dennis got a call from Salem school and so far our proposed dates were taken. They will contact us when its available.

When Dennis gets back from school he will check with Bruce from Mohegansun and discus flying options.

New Business:

Jack requested help for Saturday morning October 20 at 9:00 to help clean out trailer and waterproof the tables.

Jack proposed a committee to looking into getting a new Port-a-Pottie. It will consist of Ron Czikowski, he will also look into maybe getting a handicapped one.

Jack will be researching Prices on a new lawn tractor as our are starting to get worned down.

We have to new Heli Instructors that Volunteered: Mark O'Connell and Rob Larson.

Nomination for Election of Officers are as follows.

- President: Dennis Duplice
- Vice President: John Banks
- Recording Secretary: Bill Mares
- Treasurer: Ron Czikowski
- Assistant Secretary: Peter Sylvestry
- Safety Officer: Tom Vernon
- Field Marshall: Jack Holmgren
- News Letter Editor: Fred Meyer

Board of Directors: Bernie Liskov(expires 2009), Mark O'Connell(expires 2009), Carl Barker(expires 2008),

George White(expires 2008)

Financial Agent: Rich Ippolito

Since none were opposed, at the next meeting the recording secretary will cast a single vote for all offices.

Good and Welfare

None

New Members

Douglas Martone Steve Klinikowski Welcome to all

Model of the Month

None.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:53 PM.

Respectively submitted by Bill Mares.