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Next Meeting is Tuesday March 18th @ 7:00PM.
The New meeting location is the new Salem Library
Located on Rt 85 about one mile North of the Salem
Four Corners.

March 2008 NEWSLETTER



Museum 1/4 Scale
Proctor Nieuport 28-C1
Being built by Fred Meyer

Here is the finished structure;
still need to sand and stain
plus fit all of the control servos
and radio equipment. Trying
to find a Gas Engine that will
fit without too much
modification to the firewall.
Only have 5-1/4" for spacing.

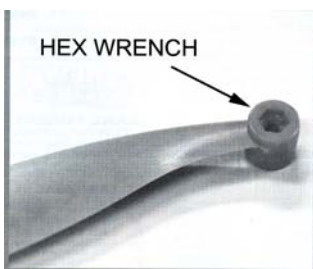
More Photos inside.

***PLEASE NOTE THE GATE COMBINATION HAS BEEN CHANGED
TO PROTECT THE FIELD. IT IS STILL A MUD HOLE.***

Tip of the Month **HANDY PROP WRENCH**

Getting tired of looking for a small wrench or pair of pliers to loosing or tighten the prop nut of your GWS or similar power system. Look no further, just don't throw away that last GWS plastic prop you broke.

Polish off that broken blade & you have the wrench you need-cheap & efficient, & with that orange color, easy to locate.



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HIGHLIGHTS

- CHECK THE FOR SALE ITEMS AND PLEASE ADVISE IF ANY ITEMS SHOULD BE DELETED.
- PLEASE CHECK YOU E-MAIL ADDRESSES AND BE SURE WE HAVE THE CORRECT ONE SINCE SOME OF THEM ARE NOT ACCEPTING E-MAILS FROM ME. LIST FOLLOWS INSTRUCTOR LISTINGS.
- PLEASE PUT MY ADDRESS IN YOUR ADDRESS BOOK SO YOUR SYSTEM DOES NOT THINK IT IS SPAM.
- NEXT MONTH LOOK FOR DETAILS ON A GIANT SCALE CORSAIR BY GEORGE HOVEY.

CHECK OUT OUR [WEB SITE](#). RICH IPPOLITO IS DOING A FANTASTIC JOB.

Get the newsletter on line, new photos of the Warbird & Vintage A/C are on our site.

The photos were taken by Hal Robb & one of our visitors, I did not get his name.

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

JR Receiver and spare X-tals for Sale.

- JR Receiver Model No. NER-226X with X-tal on Channel 39. \$25.00
- Futaba dual conversion Crystal, CH 34 \$ 5.00
- ICL dual conversion Crystal, CH 20 \$ 5.00
- Hitech dual conversion Crystal CH 52 \$ 5.00

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

Two Plane Special \$1200.00 (with Futaba 7 P.C.M.)

1. Great Planes - Super Skybolt Biplane 1/6 scale.
Includes: O/S 120 Surpass 4 stroke, Futaba Flite Pack/Servos, Removable Hatches for Landing gear and battery compartment. Plane is kit built in New condition, flown test flights only. Ready to Fly.
2. Cap 232 Sport (Breitling) (ARF) 1/6 scale.
Includes: OS 91 Surpass 4 Stroke, Futaba Receiver and servos. Fun to Fly. Ready to Fly.



" Can separate for individual offers." (No Reasonable Offer Refused)

3. Boeing F4-B Biplane 1/5 scale. Includes: Super Tiger 2500, Bisson Pitts Muffler, Futaba 6 channel with Flite Pack and servos. Plane is in Flying Condition - Flown only 3 times, Motor needs adjustment and breaking in. \$450.00
4. Tme's Simple Smoke Pump System with Oil Tank \$20.00
5. Slimline Pitts Style Smoke Muffler w/2 adaptors for OS 120 + YS 120 \$35.00 or \$50.00 for both.
6. YS 120 4 Stroke Super Charger System, Pressurized Fuel System with Check valve + fuel lines. One custom made muffler manifold with muffler. One straight pipe for other type of applications in original box with paper work and instructions. 1-2 hours runtime \$250.00 or reasonable offer
7. Top-Flite Muffler header for Super Tiger 0.61-0.75 2 cycle engines - new \$6.00

Contact Paul Franciosi (860) 445-4482

For Sale

1988 IMP 270 Liberty

27' boat with trailer. The boats motors are both seized, I had purchased the boat from a man that told me everything worked, but when I got it in the water, it didn't! I invested about \$3000.00 to get it running, I do have receipts.

I used it for one summer and I didn't realize that the heat exchangers for the fresh water cooling system were rotted on the insides so I was sucking salt water into the engines when I drove it.

I am asking \$2500.00 or best offer for the boat and trailer.

Please email me at goincampin@charter.net if you are interested

Please pass this on to anyone that might be interested, I am flexible on the price.
Thanks, Cliff Perkins, 860-942-4341



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.

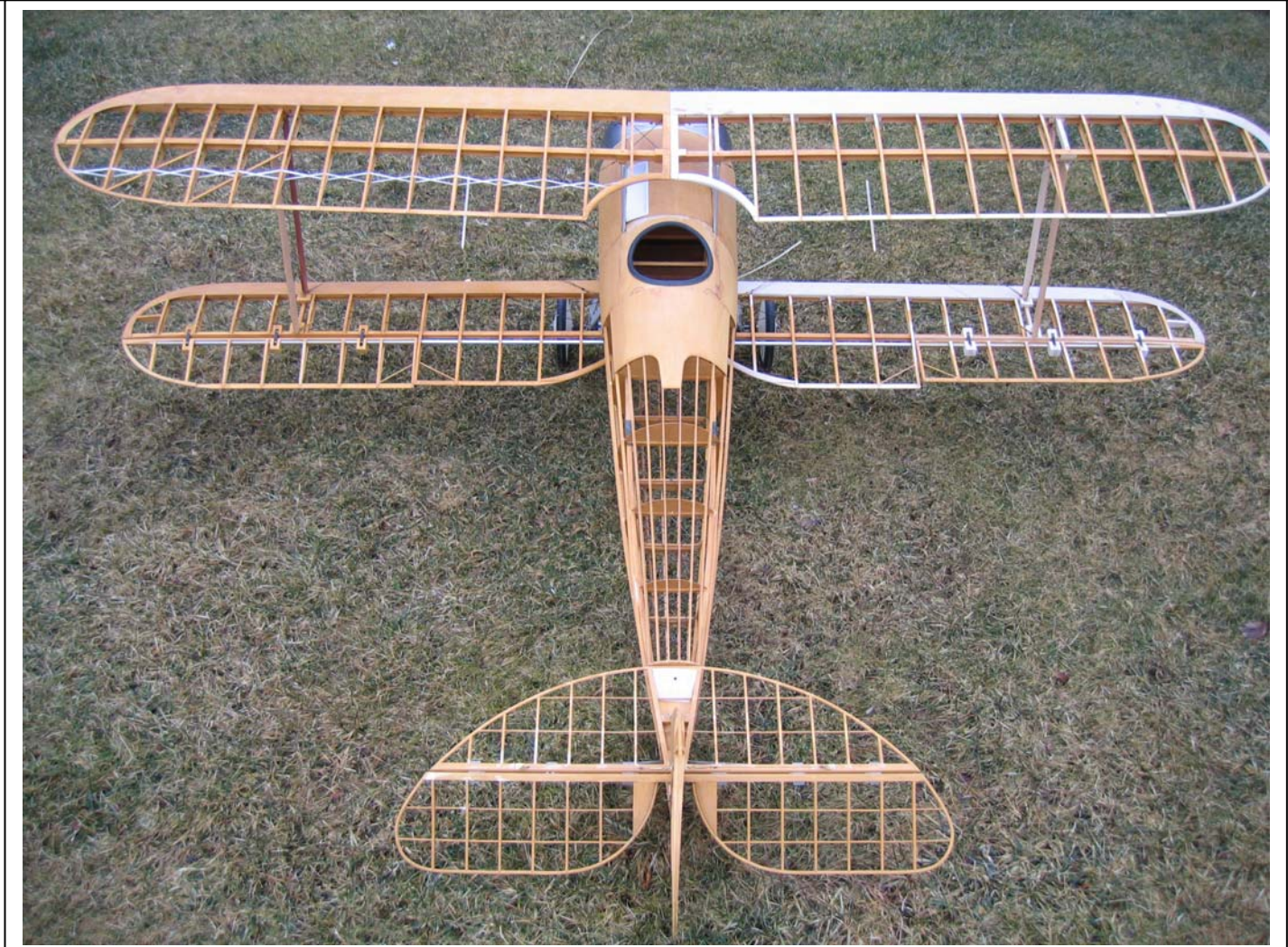
Incorrect e-mail addresses or just not accepting mail from me.

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Proctor Nieuport 28-C1

Here are some additional photos of this project. Expect it to fly in 2009.
Just a little sanding and staining and it will be ready for the radio equipment & covering.



Minutes of February 19, 2008 Meeting

The February 19, 2008 meeting of the RC Propbusters was called to order at 7:00 PM with 19 members present. The minutes of the January meeting were read by Bill Mares and accepted. Ron Czikowsky gave the Financial Report and it was accepted.

Committees

Tractor Committee. Chelsea Groton bank offered a secure loan with the money in our account and have an interest of 5.4%. That would be us putting down \$5000 and the bank securing the other \$5000 with our account. However that will mean we would only be able to access money in our account in excess of the \$5000 to pay the loan and expenses. This is too risky as it would deplete most of our savings. Ron will look into another type of loan that will be more suited to what we want.

Fred will be listing the old Tractor and Utility trailer for sale starting at \$1200. he took pictures today and will be listing soon.

AMA EVENT. Wants to have the AMA event again this year in the Sept. to October time frame.

ALL Model EVENT. Fred is organizing and June 21-22 was picked. It will be called A "Memorial to all Propbusters Missing in Action" cost will be \$5.00 for 1 or both days and no fee to club members. Fred will be letting us know who and what he needs for help.

Neighborhood Fun Fly. Will be in August on the 10th and we are looking for a volunteer to run it. we will be seeking club members to donate towards the raffle.

Old Business:

Dennis is working on the event for the Quiet Birdmen, it will be the first Thursday in June, and will let people know who he needs for help.

Mohegan Sun is getting dates for us in March and April and some other times before games start. The got a new Blimp and we will be looking for volunteers to fly at games.

Bill took Dennis to a pond in Franklin near an Egg Farm for possible use as a site to fly float planes. Dennis has the point of contact for the property and will be contacting him to see if it is possible to use.

New Business:

It was asked if we would ever consider an auction type event. It was brought to our attention that the NCRCC might be stopping their yearly auctions and maybe, another club might be interested in taking it over. After discussion, it was decided that if anybody would like to head up something like this then they should look into it and bring more information back to the club.

AMA is starting a new program called Park Pilots Program. It has a cheaper AMA membership and its up to individual clubs to admit them if they want. See AMA web site for more information.

Good and Welfare

Last month Fred asked for people to contribute to the News Letter. So if you have any articles, Tips, etc. send them the Fred via email.

New Members

Emil Tillona
Welcome

Model of the Month

Fred brought in the wings for Proctor Nieuport 28-C1 that is under construction. He wanted to show us the intricacies of the fabrication. Great job Fred.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 PM.

Respectively submitted by Bill Mares.



RC Propbusters

New England
Am AMA Chartered Club
Founded in 1936



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/RENEWAL

INSTRUCTIONS: PLEASE FILL OUT THIS FORM COMPLETELY AND SUBMIT IT WITH THE APPROPRIATE DUES TO THE **CLUB SECRETARY**. THE SECRETARY WILL VERIFY YOUR AMA CURRENCY AND YOU WILL BE MAILED YOUR MEMBERSHIP CARD IF YOU SEND A SASE. IF YOU HAVE A CURRENT AMA MEMBERSHIP CARD WITH YOU, YOUR RC PROPBUSTERS MEMBERSHIP CARD CAN BE ISSUED AT **THE NEXT** CLUB MEETING HELD PER THE NEW SCHEDULE CONTAINED IN THE NEWSLETTER. 2ND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH, OCT-MAR 7:00PM, APR-SEP 8:00PM.

MAIL TO: BILL MARES, 145 PRESTON ALLEN RD, LISBON, CT, 06351

PLEASE NOTE YOU MUST SEND A COPY OF YOUR **2008 AMA CARD** WITH YOUR APPLICATION.

DUES: \$50.00 PER MEMBER UNTIL THE FEBRUARY **2008** MEETING, THEREAFTER \$55.00. JUNIOR MEMBERSHIPS ARE FREE.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

ST/ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____

FAX: _____

E-MAIL: _____

AMA No. _____

CLASS (CHECK ONE):

OPEN ()

JUNIOR () DOB _____

SENIOR () DOB _____

L.M ()

C.M ()

PLEASE LIST THE RADIO CHANNELS YOU USE:

I FLY (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY): AIRPLANE () HELICOPTER () GLIDER ()

I AM AN INSTRUCTOR: YES () NO () **I NEED AN INSTRUCTOR:** YES () NO ()

PRIMARY AREAS OF INTEREST: SPORT () SCALE () PATTERN () IMAA ()

GAS () ELECTRIC () COMBAT () OTHER ()

DESCRIBE OTHER INTERESTS OR PROGRAMS YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE IMPLEMENTED:

I hereby agree to abide by all AMA rules and RC Propbusters by-laws. I will follow all field safety procedures the published rules of etiquette while flying at the club field.

SIGNED: _____ DATE: _____

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DONATION: \$ _____

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\$ _____