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Next Meeting is Tuesday October 21th @ 7:00PM.  
The New meeting location is the new Salem Library  
Located on Rt 85 about one mile North of the Salem  
Four Corners.

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

## October 2008 NEWSLETTER

- **NEPRO Pylon Race Oct 5<sup>th</sup> 2008**
- **There will be lots of hardware to give away to winning pilots, so bring something to fly in the Sportsman Class, you are sure to win something.**
- **Volunteers are needed to come and help out, enjoy the racing, and join in the fun.**
- **Pulled pork will be a featured food item donated by Calvin Stewart a Propbuster & NEPRO member.**

***REMEMBER TO USE THE BUTT CANS. NO EXCUSES PLEASE!!!***

### **TIP OF THE MONTH CUT TUBING WITHOUT BURRS**

Tubing cutters do a great job but always squeeze the tube & leave a burr on the inside. Insert an appropriate sized piece of music wire into the tube as a shim & put a little lubricant on it to help with the removal after cutting. Bo reaming after cutter is required & problems with burrs or crushed tubing is eliminated.



## **MEMORIAM**

ON SEPTEMBER 23 A LONG TIME PROPBUSTER AND FRIEND, RUDY HERBST, AT THE AGE OF 75 SUCCUMBED TO THE RAVAGES OF CANCER. RUDY WAS A STUBBORN BUT GENEROUS & LOVING GENTLEMAN. WE, WHO KNEW HIM WELL, CARED DEEPLY ABOUT HIM, AND WE WILL MISS HIM VERY MUCH. WE ARE PLANNING A MEMORIAL SERVICE AT THE SALEM FIELD IN THE NEAR FUTURE. WE WILL INFORM YOU WHEN THE SERVICE IS SCHEDULED.

**CHECK OUT OUR WEB SITE. [WWW.RCPROPBUSTERS.COM](http://WWW.RCPROPBUSTERS.COM)**  
**RICH IPPOLITO IS DOING A FANTASTIC JOB.**

**For Sale**

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

- 4 - 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](mailto:lhaleyrc@aol.com)

**JR Receiver and spare X-tals for Sale.**

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| • 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](mailto: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**

**Great new Offering**

**1/3 scale Spacewalker**

Quadra 52 with Magneto and Spring Starter

All servos are 1/4 scale.

Futaba 6 channel computer radio

\$1,500.00 ready to fly

\$1,200.00 ready to fly but with a six channel analog radio

\$1,000.00 excluding radio & receiver.

\$ 500.00 Plane only.



**Contact Bob Spooner (860) 644-8281**

**Hobbico SuperStar Select 4Ch RTF 60"**

- • 100% ready to fly
- • Everything is included
- • Perfect setup to learn to fly
- • O.S. .40LA Engine
- • Futaba 4VF radio system
- • Wingspan: 60"
- • Length: 49"
- • Weight: 5.5lbs.
- • Also comes with:
  - 1gal 10% nitro fuel, pump, and fuel tubes
  - Glow plug and charger
  - Rubber bands for wing attachment
  - Extra Propeller
- Note: some repairs made on the body, but flies fine
- Selling because I don't have room to fly it at college
- Asking \$150.

SOLD

**Any questions call Paul Elliott at 860.464.1992 or email**

[jelliott6@comcast.net](mailto:jelliott6@comcast.net)

**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	AL GIANSAANTI - FIXED WING	860-887-8411
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
ROBERT LARSON - Both	860-526-2267	MARK O'CONNELL - Both	860-367-9067
We can use more instructors; call Tom Vernon if you are interested to help out.		We can use more instructors; call Tom Vernon if you are interested to help out.	

**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.**

## Our Plane of the Month

The most esteemed Frank Benedetto brought in a modified Sky Raider. This is a good flying trainer, but Frank took it one step further and made it a great flier.

The model is powered by a Saito .56, is a tail dragger, has the motor mounted sideways, and has a highly modified rudder. I can personally attest that it flies great.



## Minutes of September 16, 2008 Meeting

The September 16, 2008 meeting of the RC Propbusters was called to order at 8:00 PM with 18 members present. The minutes of the August meeting were read by Bill Mares and accepted. Ron Czikowsky gave the Financial Report and it was accepted.

### Committees

**Pylon Race.** Calvin is looking for volunteers. There will be several raffles especially the sportsman class. So bring your planes and try out pylon racing for yourself. We need all helpers out there at 8:30am. So, email Calvin at [calvinestewart@yahoo.com](mailto:calvinestewart@yahoo.com)  
This is a money maker for the club. So please help out.

### Old Business:

50/50 raffle started and our winner this month was Mark Popov-Dadiani, \$33. thanks to all that participated.

There will be a B.O.D meeting Saturday Oct4 at the field at 9:30 am.

Dennis announced that Bruce at Mohegan Sun is leaving. So Blimp flying is up in the air as to whether we will continue flying for them. They still owe us time in the Arena, If they can't accommodate us we will have think about what we will do if they still want us. We will know more when the new person contacts Dennis.

### New Business:

Andrew Justh wants to sell coffee at the meeting to try and raise money at the meetings. Meeting attendees decided to give it a shot.

Dennis suggested we look at the roller we have and make sure the bearings are good and it rolls.

### Good and Welfare

October 21 meeting will start at 7:00 pm (as well as all winter meetings)

Since winter is on its way jack will be keeping an eye on the road to the field and change the lock as required.

### New Members

## Model of the Month

Frank Benedetto brought in his Yellow tail that he made into a tail dragger, modified the rudder and added a Saito 56 mounted sideways.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30PM.

Respectively submitted by Bill Mares.

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