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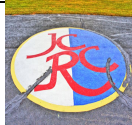
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President's Report

Greetings and salutations!

Reminder; Our next JCRC Monthly meetings will be held, at the Harbor House Restaurant located in Johnson City on Tuesday, January 26 & February 23, (weather permitting) at 6:45pm. Please show up early so you can enjoy your meal before the meeting. If the weather turns bad, I will e-mail the club (before 5:30pm) to inform everyone that the meeting will be canceled.

We will be discussing several important topics at this meeting, the possibility of scheduling another indoor fly-in on Saturday, February 23, 2016. This proposed fly-in will be held at Camp Tapa-win-go in Watauga Tn. This camp is easy to find, only 7.7 miles from the Unaka/Watauga exit off of I-26 in Johnson City. The facility is slightly smaller than the Kingsport Civic Center, but the ceiling area is slightly larger. I will be sending out notices (after the meeting) if we decide to have this event with detailed directions to the camp.

I will also be informing every one of the latest FAA regulations and how they concern our club. The AMA is now requesting that all members register on the FAA website (<https://registermyuas.faa.gov/>) before February 19. Live phone support will be available starting December 25 from 7am to 5pm Eastern, seven days a week. Phone assistance is available at 844-244-3565.

Our lease with the city states that we will be conforming to any and all AMA safety rules, thus all JCRC members must register with the FAA before February 19, 2016. This registration is free until the 19th; afterwards, you will have to pay a \$5.00 fee to register with the FAA.

You will need to keep proof of FAA registration with you when you are flying. You will receive proof of registration in an e-mail shortly after you register. You only need to register once, one registration number for each pilot.

Once you have completed your registration, please send a copy of your proof of registration e-mail to our club secretary, Michael Lick (secretary@flyjrc.com). Paper copies will also be accepted.

I will keep everyone updated as things progress with this topic.
Thanks! Clear skies, smooth air, and safe landings!

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Combat



Yes, combat is possible when flying radio controlled airplanes. Everyone ties a long streamer of crepe to the tail of their airplane and launches them into the air. Then the real fun begins as everyone tries to cut the streamer off of everyone's plane while protecting their own.

Below is the plane most are using at the field. It is called the Bloody Baron and a kit may be bought at <http://flitetest.com/> . It is foam and easy to repair (a good characteristic for a combat plane).



Ed McEntire's Bloody Baron



Michael Lick and his Bloody Baron.

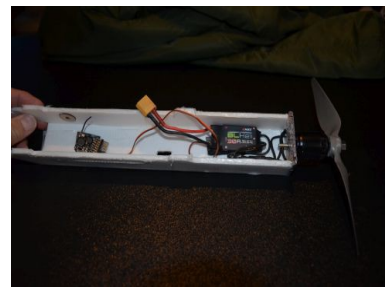
Coming Events

January 26th - Club Meeting at Harbor House in Johnson City 6:30

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Above is a picture of my Bloody Baron after a little combat. We should just say I miscalculated a small amount in altitude. A great thing about this kit is with damage like this all you have to do is swap out a power pod. Below is the power pod assembly. The plane builds using hot glue and this is a very easy kit to build.



Check out this kit at the following link:

<http://store.flitetest.com/bloody-baron-speed-build-kit/>

Mike

Scenes From The Field 1/1/16





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From our Indoor Fun Fly 1/9/16







Our club was included in the Kingsport Times News on the left and the Bristol Herald Courier on the right.



Time for me to fly

Jackson Bernard takes a drone for a spin Saturday at the Kingsport Civic Auditorium, where the Johnson City Radio Controllers held an indoor electric fun fly. A variety of electric-powered aircraft were piloted by members, and the general public was also invited to take part.



A member of the Johnson City Radio Controllers Club starts his aircraft in motion during Friday's "Fun Fly" at 36 Cities Model Airport in Kingsport. TOP: A remote-controlled plane passes by during the event. BELOW: Other planes used to be flown. Model aircraft enthusiasts start off new year on high note

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