

JCRC FLIGHT LINE

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The Presidents Report

Hello Everyone,

I hope everyone had a great summer. I know mine sure has been busy. Things may settle down a bit now that school is back in session. With four school age children, that is wishful thinking. At least it will cool off some.

Speaking of temperature, the Giant Scale Fly –In was “HOT” in more ways than one, Derwin, Ed and Ed did it again. We had a great time. Wal-Mart supplied all of the food for the concessions, Coke supplied a Coke Wagon fully loaded with coke products on the fountain, and Saturn supplied a really nice (very large) grill to cook the burgers and dogs. Thank You Wal-Mart, Coke and Saturn for making our event even more special. John Yuhas did an awesome job working with these sponsors and getting things organized with the concessions. However, the concessions wouldn't had been as great if it weren't for Dee Dee and Kelly who came out and did all the hard work serving us. Thank you, ladies for your willingness to help. Once again this year, there were many wonderful door prizes for the pilots that participated in the fly-in. In fact we had so many door prizes donated for the event that even the spectators took something home as well. There will be more on the door prizes to come.

Have fun

Eddie

IMAA News ...

Chapter 693

<http://www.fly-ima.org>



If you are an IMAA member contact Ed Fennel to add your name to the JCRC chapter at no charge. Give him your IMAA number so that he can update the membership roster. His number is: (423) 538-9667

Next Meeting is:
Tuesday August 30, 2005
6:45 PM at the airfield.

Items for Sale:

- 1/3 scale Pober Pixie Ws 118 inches 2100 sq. inches weight 28 #s Plane Only \$ 350.00
- 1/4 scale cub Ws 108 inches 1800 sq. inches weight 19 #s Plane Only \$ 350.00
- NIB. OS BGX-1 35 CC glow engine \$ 175.00
- New Thunder Tigre .61 - \$ 65.00

Bill Lester 282-2855

- GILES 202 Quarter scale, ST2000, Hitec servos 605BB. Plane and engine like new. \$ 500.00 OBO.

Mahlon Tenney 423-743-5768.

- Spectrum ARF 46 assembled needs engine and radio. \$125.00

Donnie Roberts 477-4342 or 477-8768

- VQ Models 40 size SNJ. Blue color. With OS-52 4 stroke and servos. No receiver. Spring Air retracts. - \$250
- Saito 72 4-stroke. Great shape and runs well. Removed from my pattern plane. \$110
- Killer Chaos Pattern plane built from kit. Needs 60 size 2-stroke or 72-90 4-stroke. No engine or servos. Airframe only. Taildragger. Fixed gear.- \$90
- Supertiger G-61 ringed. Bench run only. \$75
- Supertiger G-75 ringed. New in box - \$85

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Senior Pattern:

For more information about Senior Pattern go to: <http://www.rcpattern.net/spa/>

Monthly Meeting Minutes:

Meeting Date July 26, 2005

Scheduled meeting time 7:00 PM

Jerry Black called the monthly meeting of the JCRC to order at 7:00 PM. There were 14 members present.

VISITORS

None

MINUTES

Jerry Black presented the minutes as printed in the newsletter. He asked if there were any questions about the minutes. Being none, Steve Weller made a motion to approve with Don Martin giving a second. The motion was approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Nic Nicodemus presented the treasurer's report. Rob Basham made a motion to accept the treasurer's report. Steve Weller offered a second. The motion was approved by the membership.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cookeville flying club will have a fly in Aug 6th.

Eddie Cline bought 100' roll of new fencing just like the existing orange fencing. The fencing will be replaced in the near future.

There will be a quick work day July 30th to do a few minor things at the field to prepare for upcoming events. Please attend if you can.

Jackets with big logo are \$60 and \$52 for no logo on the back. Contact Ed Fennell if you wish to order a JCRC jacket. We have a couple of jackets on hand if you want one.

Giant Scale fly in will be Aug 20. Vendors have been contacted for various prizes. We also have flyers available for the fly in. Come fly your giant scale for a day of fun.

Vic will have a pattern contest the first weekend of August. There will be expert instruction available along with judges available to discuss pattern flying.

When flying remember that the left hand side of the field is shorter than it appears. If you have a long approach you are over the gas station on the left side. Please try to stay in the boundaries of the landfill when flying.

Everyone should know that there is a zero line that we are not allowed to cross. It is the yellow line on the near side of the runway and it extends forever in both directions. Do not fly behind the line. If you are seen flying behind this line you will be asked to stop. If you continue to break this safety rule your flying privileges may be taken away. With houses going up everywhere we can't afford to have any safety issues.

If you are going to do low passes please push them out over the grass on the far side of the runway.

Please make a habit of using the frequency board even when there are only 1 or 2 folks at the field.

When leaving the field please be sure to close the gate and put any items up and lock all buildings.

OLD BUSINESS

New frequency scanner will be in frequency cabinet shortly.

Club is now incorporated and the incorporation document will be posted.

NEW BUSINESS

We have had our first 3 month temporary AMA member and we must have a system to address this change in AMA membership. Derwin Cartmel made a motion as follows to address this situation:

For people that wish to fly at JCRC and have only a 3 month AMA membership we will amend the by-laws to allow the 3 month membership, define the 3 month dues structure, and define

the rules associated with the 3 month membership. A 3 month member will be required to pay in full the years dues (no runway fee or mowing fee) at the time of application. 3 month membership will run out when the AMA card expires. If the 3 month member decides to become a full member in the calendar year of the 3 month membership the dues will apply to membership (they will only owe mowing fee and runway fee). The 3 month member will be issued a special temporary card without the gate combination. The card will have the expiration date clearly marked to be policed by members and officers of JCRC. The member will be allowed to fly when club members are present and if learning to fly must be instructed as normal.

A second was provided by Ed Fennel and a discussion was held the motion was approved by the membership without opposition.

Derwin Cartmel made a motion that the club allot \$1500 for sealing the runway. Steve Weller made a second. Motion was approved without opposition.

The next meeting will be August 30, 2005 at the airfield.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:40 PM.

Editor's Corner

Well, we had nobody turn out for the pattern school/contest. We did have both judges, Bill Kite and Rhea Starnes, and an expert pattern flier, David Hoppes, from Spartinburg came. We also had food and a cook and an absolute outstanding demonstration of pattern flying skills. There was also a technical dissuasion of how to build a pattern plane and more importantly why it does what it does, what works best and what to avoid. There are trade offs one has to consider as you build a plane for pattern as well as other types of special types of flying. Our clubmembers missed a valuable discussion and an incredible flight demo. – Vic Koenig

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Notice to Membership

Access to the "Members Only" section of the JCRC Website is as follows:

Username= jcrc (lowercase)

Password= current gate combination

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