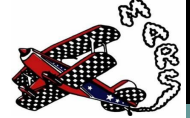


MODEL AIRCRAFT RECREATION SOCIETY



PILOTS BRIEFING

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AUGUST, 2011

SEPTEMBER, 2011 SUMMER MEETING

DUE TO CONFLICTING SCHEDULES AND TIME COMMITMENTS, THE SEPTEMBER 13, 2011 M.A.R.S. MEETING HAS BEEN CHANGED TO SEPTEMBER 20, 2011; STILL AT THE FIELD, START TIME 6:30 P.M.

PLEASE TRY TO ATTEND THIS MEETING AS THERE WILL BE SUGGESTIONS FOR RELOCATING THE FIELD FLIGHT LINE AND FLYING AREAS THAT NEED TO BE VOTED ON!

72 MHz FREQUENCY PINS

For those that still use the 72 MHz radio systems, please make it a habit to secure the proper frequency pin number before activating your transmitter. There have been several times when two or more members have wanted to fly on the same frequency, luckily without incident. The radio pin setup is there for a reason! Please use it.

E- MAIL REDIRECT TO SENDER

For those members who wanted to be contacted via e-mail for the clubs activities, please make sure that you open your e-mails, or at least empty your mail boxes once in awhile. The group e-mails are being redirected to sender due to those that have full mail boxes, causing the messages to be delayed, or not sent at all to the group. Starting on the first of August, any redirected e-mail address to the club will be deleted from the clubs e-mail listing. You will then have to get your updates through the grape vine.

NEXT M.A.R.S. CLUB MEETING

The next meeting is scheduled for SEPTEMBER 20, 2011 at the M.A.R.S. Field
Meeting starts at 6:30 P.M.

MARS MEETING AGENDA, AUGUST 9, 2011

Meeting Called to Order by President Tom Heusey.

Correspondence Received: 1). Flyers for other clubs swap meets, events sent out via e-mail to the group.

Treasurers Report: John F. Froehlich (SEE BELOW).

A.M.A. Report: NONE

Field Report: The bad weather has prevented our volunteers from mowing on a consistent basis; however, the field is flyable.

Newsletter: Nothing new.

Website: Dale, and John will be working together to get John access to the site so that he can update materials more readily.

Old Business: 1). Swap Meet confirmed date is January 15, 2012 at the MARS VFW Hall; confirmed, and the ama ma magazine ad has been placed and paid for. 2). We will keep \$400.00 earmarked for gravel for this coming fall as needed. 3). Letters to Lowe's, Sears, and Home Depot asking for a tractor donation have been delivered.

New Business: 1). Open. 2). Discussion regarding the repositioning of the field flight line; to be highlighted at the September meeting.

Show and Tell: None

Open Forum and 50/50 Raffle. None

Total number in attendance: There were 5 members present.

Total Members To date: The M.A.R.S. club has 67 current members on the books, and registered with the A.M.A. for 2011.

Meeting Adjourned.

TREASURERS REPORT

Forward Balance: \$1,537.77

Deposits: NONE

Balance: \$1,537.77

Expenses: \$163.25 (\$80.25 to Mr. John Porta-Potty, \$73.00 to Mark Wechsler for Heli-Bash food, \$10.00 to AMA for MA Magazine ad).

Ending balance: \$1,374.52

UPCOMING EVENTS 2011

M.A.R.S. SWAP MEET

The only scheduled event left for the club is the swap meet. This event will be held at the MARS VFW HALL on January 15, 2012. Click on the link below for the flyer.



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GOLDEN AGE
AIR MUSEUM
A step back in time ...

<http://www.goldenageair.org>

Golden Age Radio Control Model Meet
Sept. 30th, Oct. 1 & 2, 2011

Featuring model aircraft designs dating from the Pioneer Era through the year 1941. Any size, gas, glow or electric.

- Sponsored by the Tri-County Sky Barons
<http://www.tricountyskybarons.com> for more info.
- Breakfast, lunch and refreshments available.
- Chicken dinner Saturday evening \$ 15.00 per person.
- Model Flea Market spaces available (Please call in advance for spaces if possible.) \$ 10.00/day.
- Primitive camping available, with public shower.
- Hotels nearby.
- Museum flight demonstration by full scale antique aircraft
- Lots of hanger space available for RC aircraft storage, no charge.
- Open flying after hours, day or night.
- Biplane rides available Saturday and Sunday. Depending on weather.
- Registration fee for pilots \$ 20.00 for weekend, \$ 15.00 for single day.
- Pilot registration contact Charles Hockenberry at 717-527-4701 or Eric Lunger at erlunger@gmail.com 717-994-7735.
- Gate admission \$ 6.00 for adults.
Children age 6 to 12 \$ 4.00, age 5 and under, free.

MAKE A HABIT OF FREQUENTLY CHECKING THE M.A.R.S. WEB SITE

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WWW.MARSRCLUB.COM

THINGS TO REMEMBER:

When CMU is test flying; all club aircraft are to be grounded, and all radios turned off.

We are guests of Mr. Wittey while at the field. Please be respectful of the property and the NO FLY ZONES.

Help keep the field neat and clean! Take your garbage home with you!

2011 Club Officers:

President:
Tom Heusey
theusey@zoominternet.net

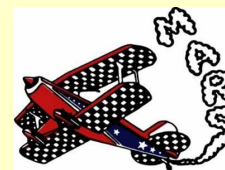
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Club Field:

300' X 60' Grass runway

Tables, covered impound, chairs and picnic benches, gas grill, Porta-Potty.

Directions to Club Flying Site:

North of Zelienople, PA. Off Route 19. Follow Route 19 North, 1/2 mile past Sally's Cider Press is Warner Lane, turn right on Warner Lane. (See map on web site).

Spectators are welcome at any time. Flying is allowed by members only. For safety, all spectators must remain behind the tables.

Classifieds

If you want to post articles for sale, please email them to frodoe@comcast.net

Thought for the day:
A MAN ONLY LEARNS IN TWO WAYS, ONE BY READING, AND
THE OTHER BY ASSOCIATION WITH SMARTER PEOPLE.
(WILL ROGERS)