



Astrowings
AMA Charter Club #1167
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Astrowings club officers:

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If you have suggestions, or submissions for the newsletter please contact Jim Hendrickson at toolmanjh@wi.rr.com.

Astrowings membership meeting notes:

The Astrowings August membership meeting was held at the Grafton Senior Center August 17th.

Opening: President Steve Tarney opened the meeting at 7:30 PM.

Treasurer's report: The treasurer's report was read by Dick Husting and approved.

Field condition: The field was reported to be in good condition.

Old Business: Fun Fly- the Fun Fly event held in July was reported to be successful, with 96+ cars parked, and over 300 people attending.

New business: President Steve Tarney discussed the current WEENERGIES

construction project and noted that truck traffic on the road at the field has increased.

He asked the membership to exercise caution when using the road, parking, and flying at the field, and reminded members that if there are WEENERGIES personnel working, you must confine flight activity to the center of the field, and under no circumstances fly over the road, trucks, or workers. Steve will also be meeting with the town of Grafton regarding the renewal of the club's conditional use permit.

Old Business: Thanks are due to many individuals for their work this summer- The membership would like to thank Bob Lemon for his work in disposing of the old benches from the field, Dick Husting and Jeff Thompson for their work on the club picnic in

August, Mike Crotteau for his work on the webbing and tires on the golf cart trailers, Tom (The Terminator) Johnson and Steve Tarney for their work on the golf cart roof supports, all the volunteers who worked at the Fun Fly event in July, and Jack Spooner and Steve Tarney for mowing all season long.

Raffle: Dick Husting won a cutting mat and X-Acto knife, Steve Tarney won CA glue and activator, Bob Lemon won a mini Quadcopter, Jeff Thompson won a Horizon Sport Cub S, and Tom Johnson won RC Sport Flyer magazine.

Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at 8:30 PM.

Announcements:

The WEENERGIES construction project previously announced at the club meetings is under way, and truck traffic on the road at the field has increased tremendously.

Please use caution when entering or leaving the parking area, and remember that for the duration of the project when construction crews are working and trucks are using the road, we must not fly over the trucks or close to the road. Please confine your flight activities to the center field area.

The next Astrowings membership meeting will be held on September 21st at the Grafton Senior Center. Bring a plane for Show and Tell and get a free raffle ticket!
Please be prompt as there will be a demonstration by the Heritage Christian School Robotics Team.



Dick Husting wins the cutting mat in the raffle.



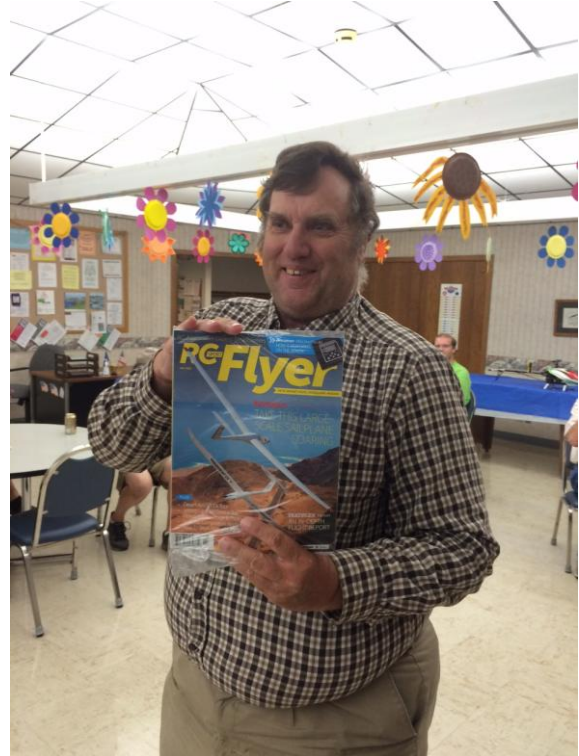
Jeff Thompson wins the Sport Cub S in the raffle.



Steve Tarney wins CA glue and activator in the raffle.



Bob Lemon wins the miniquad in the raffle.



Tom Johnson wins RC Sport Flyer magazine in the raffle.

Submitted by Jack Johann:

If you see a bomb technician running-follow him!

- USAF Ammo troop.

"You've never been lost until you're lost at Mach 3"

-Paul F. Crickmore (test pilot).

Any ship can be a minesweeper. Once.

-Unknown.

"Whoever said the pen is mightier than the sword obviously never encountered automatic weapons".

-General Douglas MacArthur.

"It is generally inadvisable to eject over the area you have just bombed"

-U.S. Air Force Manual.

See you at the meeting!



FRIGHT FEST

Fun FLY



October 10, 2015

Saturday

9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Halloween Costumes are welcomed.

Pilots, Families and Friends

Flight Line Events

ONE TRICK CONTEST, judged flight for one maneuver giving it your best shot to impress the judges. "Trick is Limited to 30 seconds with 3 minutes to complete.

BEST PILOTS COSTUME, must fly to win. Pilots are allowed to remove any part of the costume that would inhibit safe flying.

3D Friendly Event, Fixed Wing, Multi Rotor, and Helicopter. FPV welcome....controled flight line order.

BEST Guest and Kids COSTUME

NO landing Fee! This is a FREE Event!

AMA santioned Event, AMA membership required to FLY.

PRIZES Rain or Shine Info takunath@sbcglobal.net

FOOD Will be available to purchase,

Hot Apple Cider, Hot Dogs, Hamburgers and Chilli.

Flying Electrons Field,
Menomonee Falls, WI
FlyingElectrons.com
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