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Notes from the President

By Gene Morse

Happy November, everyone, and hasn't it been beautiful?!? I hope you have all been getting in some late-season flying before we're all driven indoors by the cold for foamie season!

A few things:

- Please don't forget our regular monthly meeting this month has been moved due to Thanksgiving. We will be meeting on **Thursday, November 19th** at the Wichita Aviation Museum at 7:00. Remember, this is election month! Come prepared to nominate your favorite candidate and let your voice be heard!
- Dawn has reserved a date at Stroud's for our annual Christmas party and awards ceremony. The date is Saturday, December 5th at 6:00. Please put this on your calendar to save the date. Reservation and cost information will be available at the meeting on the 19th.
- We need to nominate and determine our Modeler of the Year. Please come prepared to nominate someone for this annual honor!

We're looking forward to celebrating the end of the year with you!

→ Gene





2009 Christmas Party

- * Saturday, December 5th @ 6:00pm
- * Stroud's Restaurant, 3661 N. Hillside

Bring a \$10 wrapped item for the gift x-change
RSVP to Dawn Morse no later than
November 31st: 687-4678

****November Meeting****

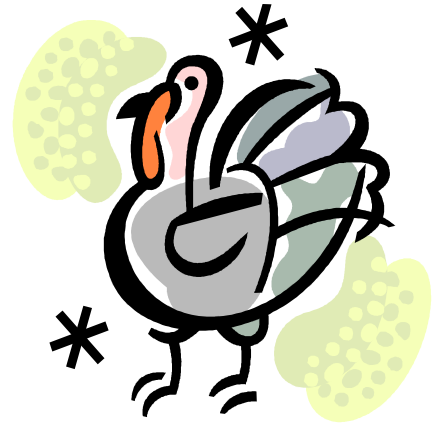
The November meeting will be on the 19th at the Wichita Aviation Museum at 7:00.

Here are some topics and updates we will discuss:

- Officer Nominations
- Modeler of the Year
- Christmas Party
- WRCC E-Fly booth
- Attendance drawing for \$75!!

Please feel free to bring up new topics in the "new business" portion of the meeting.

See you there!



WRCC Auction is Just Around the Corner!

-submitted by Fred Harvey

The WRCC's 2010 auction will be held on Saturday, February 20th, with move in and set up on Friday the 19th. I know that sounds like a long way off, but now is the time that the advance planning needs to be done so we can minimize the number of nasty last minute surprises.

There are a number of key jobs that still need to be filled:

- Auctioneer: I need a volunteer, or two, who would like to assist Doc Watson with the auctioneering duties. This person doesn't have to be a professional, but just someone with a gift of gab who thinks that he can milk the bids out of the audience.
- Admin: The recent tragic death of Jim Embree has left a hole in our club. He was a truly good guy. He was also the one who ran the Admin tables for us. I need someone to step forward who has both good organizational and computer skills. This is an important job involving a lot of paperwork and dealing with the public.
- Printing: The auction requires a lot of printed material! Auction flyers, seller's sheets, buyer's sheets, bidder's numbers, post cards and more, all have to be printed. Last year Jim Embree also handled this chore. I need people who have access to the right kind of equipment that can print the myriad of different products that we need.
- PA Equipment: The auctioneer and the person describing the items to be sold need microphones, preferably wireless mics, that can be tied into the public address system at the 4-H building. If you have the equipment and talent to do this, you're needed. Last year we also had some headphones for the scribes at the front table so they would not be distracted by people talking around them. Hopefully we will have this function again.
- General Help: As in all the past years we need every club member who can be at the auction to help out. Setting up chairs and tables on Friday is a big job. As is checking in sale items. On Saturday we need help moving tables of items, people for the impound areas, folks to move sold items to impound, plus all the clean up afterward.

Please mark your calendars for the 19th & 20th of February. Together I think we can make auction a success.

WRCC Monthly Meeting

October 29, 2009
Wichita Aviation Museum
Meeting began at 7:00

Gene Morse called the meeting to order and thanked everyone for coming!

Thanks to Hobby Town USA for help on the raffle prizes!!

Terry Powell gave a treasurer report.

Minutes of the last meeting were reviewed.

Visitors: Chad Suenram visited for the first time. Welcome Chad!

Reports:

Calendar – nothing new to the calendar this month

Safety – no report

Newsletter – thanks to those who contributed, please send more.

Website – nothing new.

Chapin – had Past-President fun fly there on the 18th. Field was in good condition, looking forward to having full access again.

Beech – training and mowing has been discontinued for the year.

Afton – Don Pemberton reported that the rock has been put in. Had 3 volunteers shoveling rocks to fill holes. Would like to consider a larger load of gravel to redo the whole parking lot. Will bring this up in a future meeting.

Fall Jumbo Fly – Chisolm club has been notified of the date we would like to have. Terry Grimes is working to secure the date.

Auction – Fred Harvey reported that the ad has been submitted to Aviation Magazine for December and January. Tweaks are being made to the software to make transactions smoother. Will need the first ½ of the usage fee before the event – will get with Terry Powell for payment. Date is February 20th 2010

New Business:

Gene announced the death of Jim Embree, and talked about how much he will be missed. Don mentioned that he was the only volunteer besides Jim Shiels (trailer owner) and himself that helped with the gravel. The club did send flowers to the visitation. The group shared a few memories of him.

November Meeting: need to decide when November meeting will be. Officer elections are in November. Motion made to move meeting one week earlier on November 19th 7:00pm at the Aviation Museum. Gene will check with the museum

December Meeting: have had the meeting in conjunction with the Christmas Party. Dawn suggested we have this year at Stroud's. Will try to find a date and report at the November meeting.

Clearview Field E-flight. 11-13th of December: Ken Stitt talked about the event. They are already getting media attention and have flyers signing up from around the country. Would like to see WRCC have a booth. Covered booth with electricity is \$225, no electricity \$175. Need volunteers to run the booth. Terry Powell and Scott Stoecker agreed to help. Motion made that we have and run a booth. Motion seconded. Discussion included some media needs like a laptop with flight simulator and/or slide show. Static displays of model planes would be nice too. Will get some members together to have these items taken care of. Motion passed unanimously.

Members will need to group together and come up with a plan to set up and run the booth. Will be discussed more at the November meeting.

Next meeting: November 19th 7:00 at the Wichita Aviation Museum.

Group took a break.

Meeting re-adjourned at 7:40.

Gene called the meeting back to order.

Show and Tell:

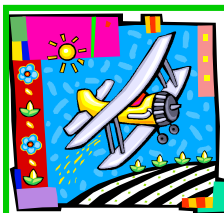
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Nametag drawing: Don Pemberton's name was drawn, but he didn't have his nametag!! Next month will be \$75!!

Raffle Winners:

Dawn Morse (2)	Jim Shiels (2)	Matt Paulson (2)
Ken Stitt	Terry Powell (2)	Stephen Albers
Chad Suenram	Marvin Blankenship	Randy White
Dennis Demoure		

Meeting adjourned at 7:55.



Newsletter Submissions

Submit your stories and pictures to the WRCC News!
Deadline is the 2nd Friday of each month.
E-mail to newsletter@wichitaradiocontrolclub.org.
Please include your contact information.