

PLANE TALK

Lancaster County Radio Control Club, Inc.

www.lcrcc.us

Meeting Notice

When: Monday 1st January, at noon.

Where: Club field.

Agenda: Flying, hot chocolate and pork.

BBQ (menu at Harris' discretion)

Please try to attend. This is when we make the decisions about our club.

Winter's Coming, Please Read This:

If you need to store your batteries for the winter, we would like to help you make sure they are fresh and flight ready for spring. Li-Poly batteries do not handle being left in the fully charged or drained condition very well. To insure you have good batteries for spring please follow these basic steps:

1. Charge the battery for storage to 3.8v to 3.9v per cell.
2. Check the voltage with a Digital Volt Meter once a month while they are in storage.

Hello there Lancaster R/C club.

It's getting close to that time of the year again. The "older" members of the club know what I'm talking about - the Central Penn flea market. This is the one big event a year that puts \$\$\$\$ in our coffers, so we can have all those wonderful picnics, build and fly's, nite fly's, and other club sponsored events. Please make a point to be at the February meeting at my house. I promise it will be nice and warm! It is a great help to myself and the entire Central Penn committee, if a majority shows up to that meeting, as I will be making up the work schedule for the door. For new members, it's no big deal to just take money and stamp the hands of patrons who enter. We really need everyone to work at least a 1 hour and a half shift, preferably 2. Also, Friday set up and Saturday tear down members are also needed. Please help out, as it's your club and we all benefit from member participation.

Thanks!!

Harris J. Malkin

Time is Running Out!

Today, January 1st, is the last day to get a discount on your LCRCC 2008 dues.

Your Lancaster club subscription is due for renewal, also your AMA subscription and insurance are about to expire.

A renewal form for your club subscription is printed on page 5 of this issue. Please complete it and either mail it or give it to Bob Heine at the next meeting along with your check. Please ensure that you fully complete the form as this is how we ensure that the club records are updated.

Remember that you need to renew your AMA to continue to be able to fly in 2008. I have already received my green 2008 AMA card, what about yours?

3. Re-charge them as necessary to keep them at 3.8v to 3.9v per cell.

4. Keep them stored in a cool, dry area with a stable temperature of 40 to 70 degrees F.

We hope this will make it easy for you to jump right out and resume flying when spring comes.

This article copied from Thunder Power RC, www.thunderpowerrc.com



Support our local hobby store, they have supported us with prizes for some of our club events, for which we thank them very much. (717) 625-3661

2008 Club Officers

President	Craig Peck	475-2482
Vice-President	Hrayr Avakian	
Secretary	Bill Henry	687-7981
Treasurer	Bob Heine	355-0827

2008 Club Officials

Safety Officer	Rick Rutter	859-1466
Field Marshal	Brandon Wright	314-5502
Newsletter Editor	Jim Wiker	768-7952
Webmaster	Steve Liebl	898-6468

Club Fuel

Our club has fuel available at a reduced cost over what you'd buy in a hobby shop. See Craig Peck for your fuel needs.

See Craig at the next meeting for yours (call him first to make arrangements to have your fuel delivered at the meeting).

Craig Peck 475-2482 or email cpeck@flyingmedia.net

Club Calendar

Unless otherwise specified all meetings will be held at the field

Monday Jan. 1st, noon

Freeze Fly at the field! 12 noon until whenever.

Come out and fly regardless of the weather! Hot chocolate and pork BBQ sandwiches will be available. *(Menu may vary at Harris's discretion)*

Thursday Feb. 7th, 7pm

Meeting at Harris's house - sign up for Central Penn roles.

Thursday Mar. 6th, 7pm

Meeting in the clubhouse.

Saturday Mar. 8th, all day

Central Penn Flea market at the Lebanon County showground. www.cpa.us

Thursday Apr. 3rd, 7pm

Meeting in the clubhouse.

Discounted membership fees - see membership renewal form on page 5 for details

Minutes December 6th, 2007

Meeting was opened by Steve at 7:30 after the crowd feasted on Pizza .

Minutes: one correction - food at the freeze fly will be pork BBQ not beef as written.
Otherwise minutes were accepted as published

Treas. Report: Presented by Steve in Bob's absence – Club remains solvent.

Prospective Members: none present however Harris reports that Dave Aument , a previous member would like to rejoin. No objections. He will have to fill out an application in order to get all his information on the records.

Field Marshall : No report It was noted that the privy has blown over. Steve will email Bob to warn the vendor of the problem. It was also noted that Mike did a great job on repair of the wheels on the gate.

Safety : nothing to discuss

Events: Freeze Fly on Jan 1 at noon Come out and fly and have hot chocolate and Pork BBQ.

CPAA all is rolling along -- A motion was made and passed to reserve 2 tables for LCRCC. This will be done at the next CPAA meeting.
It was suggested to provide an ATM at Lebanon. This will be looked into.

Newsletter: Kudos again for Jim.

Web Site: Kudos also for Steve

Old Business; Election of officers. Mike B withdrew his name for President. This left only one nominee for each office. Craig Peck – President
Hrayr Avakian – Vice President
Bob Heine – Treasurer
Bill Henry – Secretary

It was moved, seconded and voted to elect the slate as nominated.

New Business None

50/50 won by Charlie Zirkel

respectfully submitted by: Bill Henry

For Sale

Hangar 9 Extra 260 (this is the one featured in the December 2007 issue of Model Aviation) and Saito 220a. Both are in very good condition--no crashes. Comes with an onboard glow driver and new single cell 4300 mha battery for idle enhancement. Prefer to sell as a combo--add your radio gear and fly--for \$550, though I will sell separately.

Also for sale is an Extreme Flight Extra 300-E complete with Torque 2818/900 motor and Air Boss 35 speed control. Just add radio gear and fly. Needs a 3S 2100 mha battery. Paid \$400 new; asking \$250.

For more details and/or to make an offer contact Roy Bender at 717.293.1513 or lrbender@aol.com.

Flight Instructors

Roy Bender	293-1513	Airtronic, Futaba, JR
Mike Geiger	393-9803	Futaba
Bob Heine	355-0827	Airtronic, Futaba
Steve Liebl	898-6468	Futaba - helicopter
Peter Caddick	393-8684	Futaba—heli/plane
Rick Rutter	859-1466	Airtronic, Futaba,
John Zimmerman	355-2160	JR.
*Jeff Troy	392-0353	Futaba, JR.
*Warren Wasiewski	399-3811	Futaba, JR.
*David Muchmore	519-6972	Airtronic
*Phillip Adams	354-8059	Futaba

* - Apprentice Instructors

Instructors are available to members for flight instruction and training. It is advisable to make arrangements with an instructor before coming to the field.

Order your LCRCC T-shirt today

Life Is Good



On The Goat Path

You have seen them worn by fellow members, you still have a chance to obtain your very own LCRCC T-shirt. The shirt color is ash. Prices and sizes are;

S-XL \$10

2XL \$11

3XL \$12

Contact steve@lieblweb.com to "order" shirts prior to the meeting to have them brought to the meeting.

Shirts are only available on a 'first come first served basis' on all sizes. Unfortunately we can not ship the shirts, delivery to a meeting or club event only.



LCRCC MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FORM—2008

Please note that all information MUST be filled out, even if none of your information has changed. This will allow us to keep all of our information up to date.

Thank you for your cooperation.

NAME: _____ AMA#: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE #: _____ EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

RADIO FREQUENCIES USED: Primary _____ Secondary _____ Other _____

(IMPORTANT INFORMATION)

MEMBERSHIP TYPE: RETIRED \$36 before January 1st, 2008
(Please check only one) \$48 after January 1st, 2008

Checks can be made payable
to: "LCRCC" and mailed to:

JUNIOR \$12 before January 1st, 2008
\$18 after January 1st, 2008

Robert Heine

328 East Spruce Street

New Holland, PA 17557

REGULAR \$60 before January 1st, 2008
\$72 after January 1st, 2008

You can mail this completed form to Robert Heine, or bring it to a club meeting

In an effort to save club funds, our newsletter *Plane Talk* is available electronically on the internet. Those with internet access can view the newsletters online. You can also receive a printed copy of the newsletter, if you choose.

PLEASE CHECK ONE BOX

Please send our newsletter to my home through the mail.

I will view our newsletter online at www.lcrcc.us.

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