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Prez Sez

Sunday 9/29/13, I just got back from the field and let me tell you, this had to be one of the best flying days of the year. It was a little chilly in the shade. Otherwise, it had to be the bluest sky, a little wind and the fellowship with the fellow modelers was great.

Last week I took a few days vacation and went to Muncie, Indiana the headquarters of A.M.A.. They were having a free flight R/C glider contest and a free flight powered contest. It was quite different. Unfortunately the weather didn't really cooperate. It was a little windy, cool and absolutely no lift. A good flight was 3 or 4 minutes and the goal was a 12 minute flight. But all said and done it was a lot of fun and I enjoyed it a lot.

While I was at headquarters I took in the museum and to say the least it was very enjoyable and interesting. If you ever get a chance to go, I would sure recommend going to the museum. They have an old fashion hobby shop on display and it sure brought back a lot of memories of when I was a kid and I use to go to the local hobby shop. It was also reminiscent of the hobby shop when I first got into the hobby more than 40 years ago. A place called Afton Hobbies over in Afton and owned by a man called Bob. I'm not sure I ever knew his last name but it was very similar to his place.

At the next meeting let's bring any new planes you might have just built or put together. We can all gain a lot from these meetings if we all join in at show and tell time.

Hope to see you at the next meeting (10/10/13) at the Mark Twain Hobby Shop.

Paul (The R/C Nut)

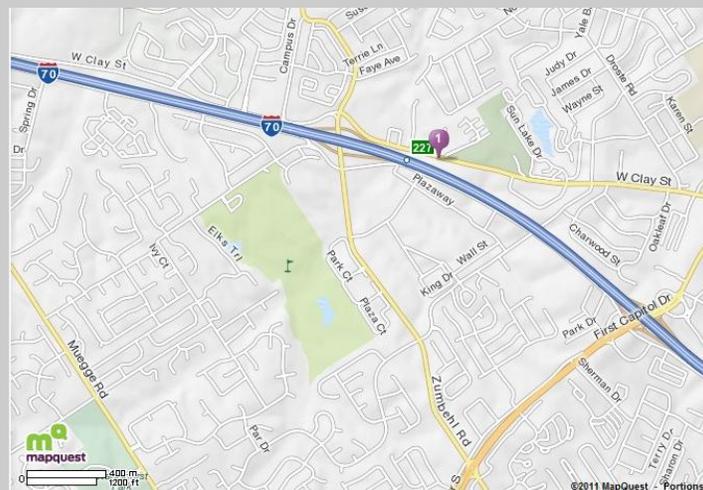
Meeting Schedule

Meeting Dates: 2013: Oct 10, Nov 14, And Dec 12

Meeting Time: 7 to 9 pm

Meeting Location: Mark Twain Hobby Shop

From eastbound I-70 take the Zumbuhl exit north and turn right on West Clay. Go 1/4 mile. Mark Twain Hobbies will be on your right. The meeting room is entered via the leftmost outside door for Mark Twain Hobbies.



Meeting Minutes

Meeting called to order 9/12/2013 by President Paul Trendley.

Roll call by Dick McGee. Jeff Jarboe, new member stated that he has had two planes in 25 years but hasn't flown yet. He tried a trainer 2 weeks ago, couldn't get it to fly. We all welcomed him aboard.

Roll - 59 members, 11 opens, 15 members present. None were new members.

Membership aye.

Bob Ponte was present at the meeting. He gave the treasures report. He talked about flying in the mornings on weekdays. Bob received information from Dick Wallace that he was injured after he fell about 16 feet from a tree after his ladder fell and left him hanging from a tree limb. Dick is a runner and has won marathons in St. Louis and New York. He broke a lot of bones in his foot from the fall and will be laid up for a good while. President Paul asked everyone present at the meeting to sign a get well card.

There was a motion to accept the Treasures report as printed.

There was a motion to accept the Secretary's report as printed.

Pierre Fath was not present and President Paul mentioned that the field was in really good condition.

Safety report - Ron Kilb, nothing at this time

Old Business: None

New business: none

President say's the next meeting will be held at Mark Twain Hobby shop.

50/50 – Dick McGee. Dave Hammock. Harry White and Dave Hammock won the attendance prize for Mark twain.

Show and tell – The secretary brought his Eflite Eratix 3D. The plane is taunted as a 3D-capable sport plane designed to make the transition from sport models to more challenging 3D aircraft a lot less demanding. Its large wing area and light wing loading with very forgiving flight characteristics, especially in slow flight.

Motion to adjourn.

Show and Tell

Hawkeye's Eflite Eratix 3D

