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### Who's Who?

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### Prez Sez

At the last meeting we gave out the awards we give every year for “Most Outstanding Member of the Year Award” (Pierre Fath), the “Officer of the Year Award“(Dick Magee), and the “Most Spectacular Crash of the Year Award” (Robert Ponte). We also gave out plaques to the web master (John Bouchillon) and the newsletter editor (Don Shelton). All the recipients were well deserved and it means a lot to the club that there are members in our club that give their time so graciously and does such a great job at that. Thanks again!

For the month of December and January we’ve been blessed with some half way decent weather and several of the retired members have been taking advantage of this blessing. So, if you’re free on the nice days, join your fellow members and have a ball. We don’t get to many winters like we’re having this year.

The members that have been coming to the monthly meetings are the ones that make a club all it can be. To the ones who have not, you’re missing out. I know it is a small room but we are working on getting a larger room so come to the next meeting and help make our club be all it can be. We would love to hear your ideas and if you come, bring your new plane for show and tell.

See you at the next meeting, Thursday, 7:00 PM, February 9.

Paul (The R/C Nut)

# Meeting Schedule

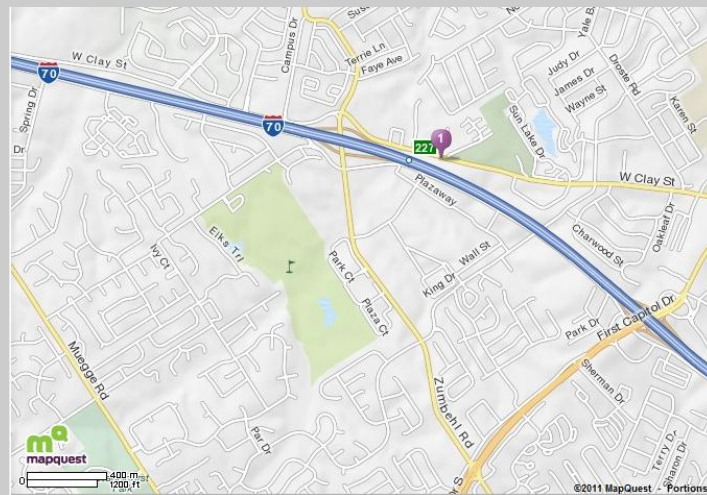
**Meeting Dates: 2012: Feb 9, Mar 8, Apr 12, May 10, Jun 14, Jul 12, Aug 9, Sep 13, Oct 11, Nov 8, Dec 13**

**Meeting Time:** 7 to 9 pm

**Meeting Location: Meeting Room at Mark Twain Hobbies**

From I-70 take the Zumbahl 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.

**NOTE:** Bob Ponte has talked to the St Charles Library, and found that we are NOT able to schedule monthly meetings past 30 days. So our meetings will continue at the hobby shop.



## Meeting Minutes

Meeting called to order at 7 pm 1/12/2012 by President Paul Trendley.

Roll, 11 members present. 25 members currently on the roster. (Get your dues in if you have not already).

Treasures report beginning balance Dec 1, 2011	\$4317.61
Debits,	
Dues	\$2000.00
Credits,	
Gift for landlord	\$50.00
Trophies	\$107.45
Ending Balance	\$6160.16

Secretary report, motion to accept secretary report as printed in the newsletter, membership aye.

Field report: Field is covered with snow.

Safety report: No report.

Old Business: None.

New Business, Changes to safety rules were discussed with some changes made to the changes at the meeting. Motion to accept changes to safety rules, membership aye.

Bob Ponte to see about possibility of meeting in a meeting room at the St Charles Library.

50/50 went to Pierre Fath. Pierre donated his half to the club. \$9.00.

Attendance prize, Benny Boisseau and Glen Basler.

End of year attendance prize, Rich Gwyn and Gary Cathy.

Show and tell, Bob Ponte brought in a gas power generator from Harbor Freight. Pierre Fath brought in an eflight Shoe String pylon racer made by Seagull Models made in Viet Nam.

Awards,

Outstanding member Pierre Fath.

Outstanding officer, Dick Magee.

Crash of the year, Bob Ponte.

Club appreciation awards went to Don Shelton for doing the newsletter and John Bouchillon for being the club webmaster.

Congratulations to all, it is much deserved and your efforts on behalf of the club are much appreciated.

Special Note. On the awards was a picture of the Hell Diver. That is the first plane that Dick Magee worked on while in the military.

Motion to adjourn, membership aye.

**The following links are to local SWAP MEETS that may be of interest to our club members.**

Belleville RC Flyers Swap Meet - Feb. 18<sup>th</sup> 8:00am to 12 noon

<http://www.bellevillercflyers.com/EVENTS/BRCF%20swap%202012.doc>

St Louis Radio Control Flying Assoc Swap Meet – Feb 25th 9:00am to 1:00pm

<http://www.slrca.com/images/stories/feb12swap.jpg>

## SHOW AND TELL

### Pierre's Shoe String



### Gas Generator from Harbor Freight



**Member of the year  
Pierre Fath**



**Officer of the year  
Dick McGee**



**Crash of the year  
Bob Ponte**

