



Sanderson Field R/C News



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SANDERSON FIELD R/C FLYERS, SHELTON, WA
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Selena Pearl Lane Myers

June 5, 1935 ~ August 29, 2017

We lost our beloved matriarch Selena Myers last month. Selena left the earth to be in the arms of the Lord. Selena was married to our founder Stacy Myers for 64 years. They shared a love story that was more profound than any Nicholas Sparks novel. She was a very kind and loving soul. Her grace, love and kindness will be dearly missed.



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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- The next club meeting will be on Thursday, September 14th, **at the PUD3, Skookum Room.**
- The Dawn Patrol was a great success. So great, that we are doing it again November 12th, 2017
- The monthly club fly-in is Saturday, September 16th Hunter Farms at 10:00 am

CLUB MEETING

The September Club Meeting will be held on Thursday, September 14, 2017 at 7:00pm

Location: PUD 3 Skookum Room

CLUB MINUTES

Club Meeting Minutes

Thursday, August 10, 2017

Meeting was brought to order by Bob Treinen

Jack Mitchell read the Treasurer Report: All bills are current. Treasurer report was passed as read.

Bob Treinen went over the Board meeting.

Dick Robb gave an update on the RC Southsound Swap Meet scheduled for 11/4/17. Dick asked for more volunteers for set up on

11/3/17, and tearing down on 11/4/17.

Club members discussed relocating the Scale Qualifier to Faro Field. More research is being done as to possible dates.

Sharon Diaz gave an Oysterfest update. The club oven will be looked over prior to Oysterfest to make sure it's working up to health department guidelines. A sign up sheet was passed around for volunteers.

Club Officer nominations are in October.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:17pm

SFRCF WINTER BUILD CHALLENGE UPDATE

The Winter Build Challenge is quickly spreading across the country. It's great seeing the enthusiasm nationwide. The Rogue Eagles in Medford Oregon has just announced a WBC (see flyer for more information), and it is generating a lot of interest.

We will be officially announcing the 2018 Winter Build Challenge next month. In the meantime, start thinking about what you want to build. There will be

kits for sale at the upcoming RC Southsound Swap Meet.

Special thanks for our sponsors, Remote Control Hobbies of Olympia,

Northwest RC, and Bruce Tharpe Engineering for your support and generosity.

We are hoping to see Dave Matthews join us again in 2018 either virtually, or even better, in person.



OYSTERFEST OCTOBER 7TH & 8TH 2017

It's our 3rd year participating in Oysterfest. Oysterfest will be October 7th and 8th this year. This is the club's biggest fund raiser of the year.

We will be serving the Crabwich again. And we will have an Exhibit booth again this year as well. The event is a lot of fun for volunteers and spectators alike. The club profited over \$1700 in both 2015 and 2016.

This will be Sharon Diaz's third year as Oysterfest Committee Chairman. We are very fortunate to have repeat very enthusiastic volunteers this year. The more volunteers we have also means the shifts will be smaller. So the more the merrier. Our volunteers is what makes this event the huge success that it is, and for that we are very blessed and grateful.

If you would like to volunteer for Oysterfest, contact Sharon Diaz at 360-490-0191 via text or call, or email sharonelenya@gmail.com. There will

be a sign up sheet at the club meeting this Thursday, September 14th at the PUD3 bldg (7:00 pm)

Excerpt from www.oysterfest.org :
Welcome to the biggest charity fundraising event in the South Puget Sound. All our food vendors and exhibitors are non-profit organizations doing good things for the community and world-wide. Unlike other festivals, every penny that is made at OysterFest is plowed back into charity organizations that provide services for those in need.

Oysters, wines, microbrews, live music and so much more come together for two days every year on the first weekend in October. Hosted by the Shelton Skookum Rotary Club Foundation and attended by thou-

sands, OysterFest is home to the West Coast Oyster Shucking Championships and is Washington State's

official seafood festival.

The festival also features a popular cook-off, hands-on water quality exhibits, and is itself a giant a food pavilion with nearly 100 unique items on the menu: BBQ oysters, fritters, spring rolls, garlic shrimp, fresh cider and so much more. Better yet, your culinary adventure supports about 100 local non-profit service clubs and organizations, as well as funding scholarships and local community improvement projects. What hidden pearls will you find at OysterFest?



OysterFest October 7 & 8, 2017
Shelton, WA

We can't wait to see you!

36th Annual WA Seafood Festival | OysterFest 2017

Thank you to our 2017 Event Sponsor | Les Schwab



5TH ANNUAL R/C SOUTHSOUND SWAP MEET

Hi, Everyone,

The 2017 RC South Sound Swap Meet is nearly here-- just less than 2 months to go. Tables for the event are now available for purchase. You can either purchase tables online or with a mail-in form available at [rcsouthsound.com](http://www.rcsouthsound.com). We look forward to seeing former table holders again and to welcoming new table holders this year. Please visit <http://www.rcsouthsound.com> for the latest event information.

For more information and directions visit www.rcsouthsound.com

There are three table types offered this year:

Wall Tables, \$40 — **SOLD OUT (Email rsrobb@msn.com to be placed on the waiting**

list.)

Regular Floor Tables, \$20 -- and

Special Floor Tables -- 15 available, \$30 — more room behind tables.

Vendors are required to purchase one to a maximum of three wall tables.

Note: when you select your table type online, your cart will appear below the buttons. So, if you don't see your cart, scroll down.

When you have completed your payment, you will receive confirmations of your order from both RC

South Sound and PayPal.

Although we use PayPal as our payment processor, you do not have to have a PayPal account: you will be able to pay with either a debit or credit card, if you wish.

Cordially Yours,

Richard Robb



DAWN PATROL AND GOLDEN AGE FLY IN

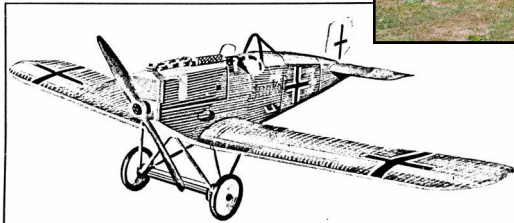
The Dawn Patrol was a great success. So great, that we are doing it again November 12th, 2017. The location is Hunter Farms weather permitting. Paul Fleming will be Contest Director again, and the event is sanctioned.

Dick Robb and Cameron Diaz have collaborated to make a collective coin for the event.

The grass is mowed, so there will be more room for parking and pilots.



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REGIONAL SCALE MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIP

Several club members participated in the Regional Scale Masters championship at the Wenatchee Red Apple Flyers.

The guys had a lot of fun despite technical malfunctions and mid airs. Dave Windom is working on Team Blue shirts for club members to wear to represent the SFRCF. Dave will have a catalog at the September meeting.



Dave Windom with his P-40 was shot down by a



TRI CITIES HUCK FEST

The Tri Citie Huckfest has another successful event in the books. This is an event everyone should see at least once.

The 2018 event has already been scheduled for 8/30-9/2. So mark your calendar.



Clark County Radio Control Society
Wet Wings Fun Fly



Come and test your nautical skills!
Sunday, September 24, 2017
8am-5pm

Vancouver Lake Regional Park
6801 Lower River Rd
Vancouver, WA 98660
\$10 landing fee

Free parking for registered pilots

\$3.00 parking for all others

Pilots meeting 8am

Open flying all day

Must have current AMA card to fly

Electric or fuel models welcome

All flying off of & over water

Hot dogs and drinks available for purchase

Raffle at 1pm

Questions?

Call Stan at (360)256-4201

***Pacific NW Swap Meet
November 4, 2017***

ANNUAL SOUTH SOUND R/C SWAP MEET

WHERE: The historic Olympic Flight Museum, Olympia WA.
(see www.olympicflightmuseum.com for directions).

WHEN: Open to the Public on Saturday, November 4th
from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

TABLES: To reserve floor or wall tables, obtain a mail-in form or order online at <http://www.rcsouthsound.com>. Floor tables are \$30 (more room behind table) and \$20.00 each. Wall tables for vendors are \$40.00 each. Tables will be available for purchase on September 1, 2017.

SETUP: Table holders may set up on Friday, November 3rd from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and from 8:00 a.m. on November 4th.

ENTRY TICKETS: Admission cost for this event is \$5.00 per person and is free for children 6 and under. All ticket sales go to the Olympic Flight Museum to promote their programs.

CONTACTS: If you need additional information please send an e-mail to: rsrobb@msn.com.

New Event Announcement

ROGUE EAGLES WINTER BUILD CHALLENGE

The main goal of the Winter Build Challenge is to stimulate and encourage traditional model building within the club. It will also be a good platform for sharing modeling techniques and will hopefully provide some good content for our newsletter and facebook page.

The WBC is for experienced builders and beginners alike. It's important to know you will NOT be judged at any time on your building skills.

The end game for this event will be a maiden flight party, some time in the Spring of 2018 (probably April). All entries will be expected to make their maiden flight, one-at-a-time, on that day. If you are not comfortable flying your plane, you can have somebody else do the test flight. After all of the maiden flights are done, successful builders become eligible to win prizes or cool stuff yet to be determined, and the field will be opened for normal flying activities.

Here's the Challenge:

- *Must be a NEW build from a balsa kit or plans. No repair jobs of previously flown aircraft. No ARFs. No foamies.*
- *Previously started kits are okay, but they should have no covering and the framework must be less than 50% completed.*
- *Models must be radio-controlled, of any size or complexity, and powered with glow, gas, or electric.*
- *To enter, you must post at least one current photo showing the starting point of your project on our facebook page or in this newsletter. Remember, this is a social event - no secret projects allowed.*
- *To finish the challenge, your plane must be flown at the maiden flight party. The plane must take off, make at least one lap, and land.*
- *The Challenge is open to any AMA member.*

For now, let's consider these guidelines to be semi-fluid. There may be good reasons to make some tweaks down the line. It's not like this is a competition. The idea is to challenge yourself, learn a thing or two, and have fun.

If you are a relative newcomer to building, take some time to research your kit options and talk with a few experienced club members for ideas and advice. If you are an established builder, grab a kit out of your stash and start gluing!

Questions, suggestions, comments, or ideas? Contact Bruce Therpe bruce@btemodels.com 541-582-1708

Complaints, gripes, criticisms, or discouraging words? Please contact idontcare@waaaaa.com



Club Officers

If you pay by mail send your dues, proof of 2017 AMA membership and a self addressed stamped envelope to the

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Make checks payable to SFRCF

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