



SANDERSON FIELD

R.C. NEWS

FLY-IN MAY 27TH



CHARTER NO. 3079

CLUB MEETING

*This months meeting will be held
on Thursday May 11th at 7:00 p.m.*

at PUD #3

At 3rd & Cota

The weather is getting nicer and it's time to dust off the planes and check them out for a summer of flying. Check out the list on page 4 for things to check out before flying.

At the last meeting:

Minutes and Treasurer's reports were read.

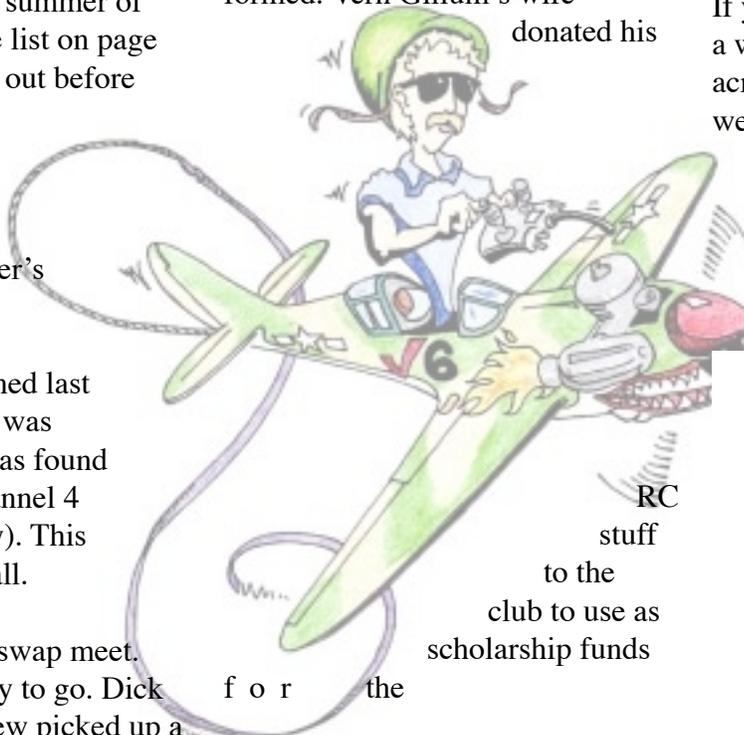
The incident mentioned last month with the Zagi was checked out and it was found the plane was on channel 4 (park flyer frequency). This will not affect us at all.

We talked about the swap meet. Everything was ready to go. Dick Robb and Bob Andrew picked up a Tiger 60 ARF for the raffle (won by Darryl Casad).

We are set to go on the Walmart Display on June 10th with the public day at the field on the 11th. Also coming in June is the forest

Festival parade float. We will need volunteers for putting the float together and planes to put on it. Contact Jody Diaz or come to the meeting and volunteer if you can help.

The Scholarship committee was formed. Vern Gillum's wife donated his



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"Vern Gillum Scholarship". We sold a lot of it at the swap meet but I don't have figures yet.

Dick Robb showed of the pilot's his sister painted, very nice! If you

are interested in having one painted contact Dick.

I took the lock off the main gate and took it in to the port office, it wouldn't lock any more. They put a new one on.

If you haven't been to the field in a while the Port is putting a fence across the runway and over to the weather station, about 500' south of the center of the pits. That is outside our "box" but it sure doesn't look like it. It looks like it's going to be a good catch barrier for long landings and missed approaches. Watch Out!



"You know you're a combat pilot when..."

Other Events in June



BELL-AIR R/C FLYERS
17TH. ANNUAL
2006 BIG BIRD FLY-IN
REMOTE CONTROL



GIANT SCALE MODEL AIRPLANE SHOW

JUNE 3RD. AND 4TH. 9:00AM TO 4:00PM

**** COME SEE THIS AREA'S BEST MODEL PLANE SHOW ****
**** AND LARGEST DISPLAY OF MODELS OF THIS SIZE ****

FREE ADMISSION TO SPECTATORS

Bell-Air Flyers 2006, "17th." Annual Big Bird Fly In. All Remote Controlled Aircraft must be 1/4 scale, or have a wingspan of 80 inches or greater. All airplanes must be 1/4 scale or have a wingspan of 80 inches or greater.

(\$10.00 landing fee for pilots for this event, including ticket for food)
Flying to start at 9:00 A.M. Dry RV camping available to Pilots

Valid AMA or MAAC Card required to fly at this event.

FOOD CONCESSIONS ON SITE:

BOTTLED WATER, POP, HOTDOG, CHIPS, CANDY

DIRECTIONS: I-5 to exit #260, West on Slater Rd to Haxson Way, South on Haxson Way on Red River Rd and follow signs. (See map below)



For more information on this event, and information on our Club
Check out

BELL AIR R/C FLYERS WEB SITE: www.bellairflyers.com

YOU CAN GET THESE PLYERS ON THE WEB SITE IF YOU CAN'T READ THEM HERE.



THE USA'S NEWEST STEALTH FIGHTER THE F-22



IDAHO SCALE SQUADRON'S 2006 SW IDAHO SCALE MASTERS QUALIFIER



JUNE 23, 24 & 25

LOCATION: The Nampa Model Aviators Flying Field, Nampa, ID
(Runways - 40X400 Paved, 50X600 Grass - website
views of www.nampamodelaviators.org
To get there see map on reverse

EVENTS: AMA Fun Scale Division 1 (Entry Level Competition), AMA Fun Scale Division 2 (Replaces Sportsman Class) Note: The top 30% in Fun Scale Division 2 qualify for the US Scale Masters Championship in Open Class, Expert and Team. (Note: Builder must be present for Team)
Turbojet pilots must have appropriate waiver.

All contestants are advised to consult the USSMA 2006 Championship Competition Guide; there are several important changes from 2005. The Competition Guide can be found on the Scale Masters website at <http://www.scalemasters.org>

TIMES: FRIDAY - Scale 1 PM to 6 PM at the Field
SATURDAY - Static 8AM to 10AM at the Field
-Pilot Meeting 8:45 AM
-Flying starts at 9 AM 3 rounds
SUNDAY - Flying starts at 9 AM 2 rounds

FEES: Fun Scale Division 1 - \$10.00
All other classes - \$25.00
(no hat)

REFRESHMENTS: Breakfast, lunch and beverages available at the Field starting at 8AM Saturday and Sunday
PARKING: Parking is limited so we must limit RV motor homes and trailer homes to the FIRST 5. No hookups are available.

AMA Sanction No. 06-4115AMA Club #2177

For further information and registration forms contact:

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TO GET THERE:
I-84, Exit 38, Turn North to first left (Ridgecrest Drive) Follow Ridgecrest Past Golf Course Clubhouse to "Nampa R/C Field" Sign.

MOTELS IN THE AREA:

NAMPA:
Hampton Inn & Suites, Exit 38, 1-800-426-7866
Shilo Inns- 1-800-222-2244
Nampa Blvd. Motel- Exit 35
Nampa Suites Motel- Exit 36
Super 8- Exit 35 1-800-800-8000
Budget Inn- 908 So. 3rd. St. 1-208-466-3594

MERIDIAN: (6 MILES)
Mr. Sandman- Exit 44- 1-800-959-2230
Best Western Ramada Inn- Exit 44 1-800-528-1234

Mason Creek R. V. Park



COMMERCIAL RV PARKING
NAMPA:
Mason Creek RV Park
807 Franklin Blvd
Exit 36- 1-208-465-7199

BOISE: (11 MILES)
Flying J- Exit 50- 1-800-733-1418
Quality Inn- Exit 53- 1-800-228-5151
Comfort Inn- Exit 53- 1-800-228-5150
Inn of America- Exit 53- 1-800-469-4667

WINTER PROJECTS



ON A SOUTHWEST FLIGHT (SW HAS NO ASSIGNED SEATING, YOU JUST SIT WHERE YOU WANT) PASSENGERS WERE APPARENTLY HAVING A HARD TIME CHOOSING, WHEN A FLIGHT ATTENDANT ANNOUNCED, “PEOPLE, PEOPLE WE’RE NOT PICKING OUT FURNITURE HERE, FIND A SEAT AND GET IN IT!”

After the lousy winter for flying, we’re finally getting to see what some of our members have been doing all winter.

Upper left is Bob Andrew’s P-6E. It is powered by a O.S. .120 FS and flys very well.

Upper right is Darryl Casad’s Edge 540 it’s powered by an O.S. .300 twin and does it sound nice.

Bottom left is Chuck Kentfield’s reaction 54 from Bruce Tharpe

CLUB OFFICERS		
President	Jody Diaz	(360)427-6102
Vice President	Dick Robb	(360)427-4521
Treasurer	Charles Kentfield	(360)866-9473
Secretary	Bob Beatty	(360)426-5601
Field Marshall	Charles Kentfield	(360)866-9473
Safety Officer.....	John Tupper.....	(360)426-6383
BOARD MEMBERS		
Board Member.....	Jody Diaz	(360)427-6102
Board Member.....	Dick Robb	(360)427-4521
Board Member.....	Stacy Myers.....	(360)426-9367
Board Member.....	Bob Beatty	(360)426-5601
Board Member.....	Dave Southwick.....	(360)426-2869
Alt Board Member	Bob Mason	(360)426-9256
Alt Board Member	Chuck Kentfield	(360)866-9473

RADIO CONTROL CHECK LIST

List courtesy of Chuck Baker and Doug Gifford

AIRFRAME

Check wing for warps and use a heat gun to correct if necessary.

Check wing attachment mechanism (dowels or bolt on)

Check for loose covering and seal down and remove wrinkles if needed

Check physical attachment of fin and stabilizer

Verify that name, address, and AMA number are in or on aircraft and are legible

CONTROL SURFACES

Check linkage for flexing/bowing—should be able to move servo with control surface (Note that some servos do not like to be reverse-driven, so be gentle)

Check control horns and clevises for tightness/wear/keepers and replace if necessary

Check thread-on metal clevises and tighten jam nuts and check keepers

Check brass threaded couplers—use only on throttle (use stainless on control surfaces)

Check for broken or worn hinges and replace if necessary

RADIO INSTALLATION

Check servos, servo tray, and servo rails for secure mounting

Check servo output arm screws

and linkage attachments (clevis, EZ connector, Z-bend)

Check receiver on/off switch for proper actuation and mounting

Check all servo connections to extensions and the receiver itself

Check receiver and battery foam padding—replace if worn or fuel soaked

Check antenna integrity and routing

Check battery capacity with cycler or ESV—replace if less than 80% of rated capacity

LANDING GEAR

Check landing gear for bends and replace as necessary

Check that landing gear mounting screws are tight

Check nose gear/tail wheel linkages—verify travel and no binding

Check that wheels spin freely and tighten wheel collars if necessary (use fuel tubing outside of collars)

IF YOU HAVEN'T PAID YOUR DUES YET IT'S AFTER JANUARY 1ST NOW AND DUES ARE \$40.

IF YOU PAY BY MAIL SEND YOUR DUES, PROOF OF 2006 AMA MEMBERSHIP AND A SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE TO THE TREASURER:

***CHUCK KENTFIELD
6843 Gallagher Cove Rd NW
Olympia WA 98502***

ENGINE / PROPELLER

Check engine mounting—engine to mount, mount to firewall, firewall to airframe

Check engine cylinder head bolts and muffler attachment

Check valve clearances on four-cycle engines

Inspect propeller for nicks/cracks

Check needle friction for both high-speed and low-speed needles (if applicable)

FUEL SYSTEM

Remove fuel tank and check for debris and/or leaks (vacuum test)

Replace fuel tubing between fuel tank and engine if it looks worn/old

Use filter between muffler and fuel tank to eliminate debris

Hold airframe nose up and shake to verify that fuel tank clunk is free

SUPPORT EQUIPMENT

Empty out your flight box and clean it

Review tools carried and remove any you don't use

Stock up on glow plugs and props that you will need

Charge/check 12-volt starter battery

Charge/cycle glow plug battery and replace if necessary

Test electric fuel pump/lines/filter to verify everything works properly



YOU JUST THOUGHT THIS HOBBY WAS EXPENSIVE! THIS MODEL CRASHED AND BURNED ON THE FIRST FLIGHT. YOU MAY HAVE SEEN THE VIDEO ON THE INTERNET. IT HAD 8 SMALL TURBINES

BELOW ARE THE SCHEDULED EVENTS FOR 2006

Club Scheduled Events for 2006

January 1st.....Annual 1st fly of the year
 January 15thPylon Race
 February 12th.....Pylon Race
 March 12thPylon Race
 April 15thSanderson Field RC flyers annual swap meet 9:00 to 12:00 SHS Sub
 May 27th.....Fly-In 9:00 am to ????
 June 3rd.....Forest festival Parade float
 June 10th.....Display at Walmart
 June 11thPublic Fly-In
 July 15th.....fly-in with novice fun fly - 9:00 a.m. to ?????
 August 12th & 13th.Pylon Race (tentative)
 August 19th.....Scale fly-in with novice fun scale event - 9:00 a.m. to ????
 SeptemberFly-In 9:00 a.m. to ????
 October
 November.....
 December

It's time for 2006 dues, dues are \$40.00

Check out our web site at <http://sfrcf.quintex.com>