



# SANDERSON FIELD R.C. NEWS

Summer opener Pylon Race May 3rd and 4th  
Fly-In May 10th



CHARTER NO. 3079

## CLUB MEETING

*This months meeting will be held  
on Thursday May 8th at 7:00 p.m.*

*at PUD #3*

*At 3rd & Cota*

Minutes were read and accepted as read.

Dick Robb ran the meeting as the president had prior commitments.

Dick talked about the mailing the club had received.

Airport windsock  
corporation  
FAI scale event raffle  
Spektrum/JR receiver  
give away

I have the info on these things if anyone is interested.

Dick talked about the scholarship packet received from the school district. Since the club has no money for the program the board thought we could ask for donations from the members to fund it. Gordie Osberg was asked to look over the applications. Dick noted that we have \$100 donated at this time.

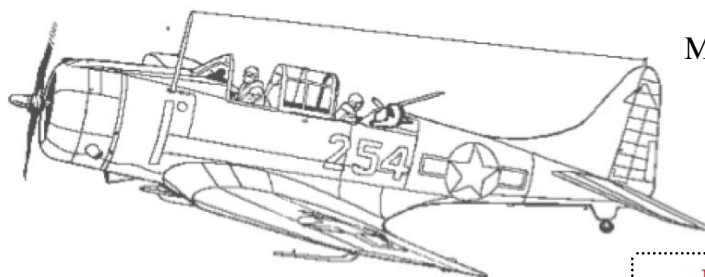
The parade is on May 31st and we'd like some more people to help with the float. We plan on taking

the float up to Walmart after the parade for a display/demonstration and can use all the help we can get.

A new page has been added to the Web site listing other events in the Northwest. If you'd like to see a particular event listed there let the secretary know. To find the list look on the left side for OTHER EVENTS.

Gordon Osberg suggested we start charging a landing fee and charging

They will need 14 people to man the stations and run some sort of lunch. Tom Strom also spoke about the September event. This can be a lucrative endeavor for the club if we wish to take it on. Tom asked about spending the night on the field, as of right now we have permission to do so. He also asked about changing the pit area to the left side of the runway in the grass, the port has asked us not to park in the grass but we will ask.



Meeting adjourned 7:40

for lunch, Dick Robb suggested we table this topic for the next meeting and have the membership vote on it.

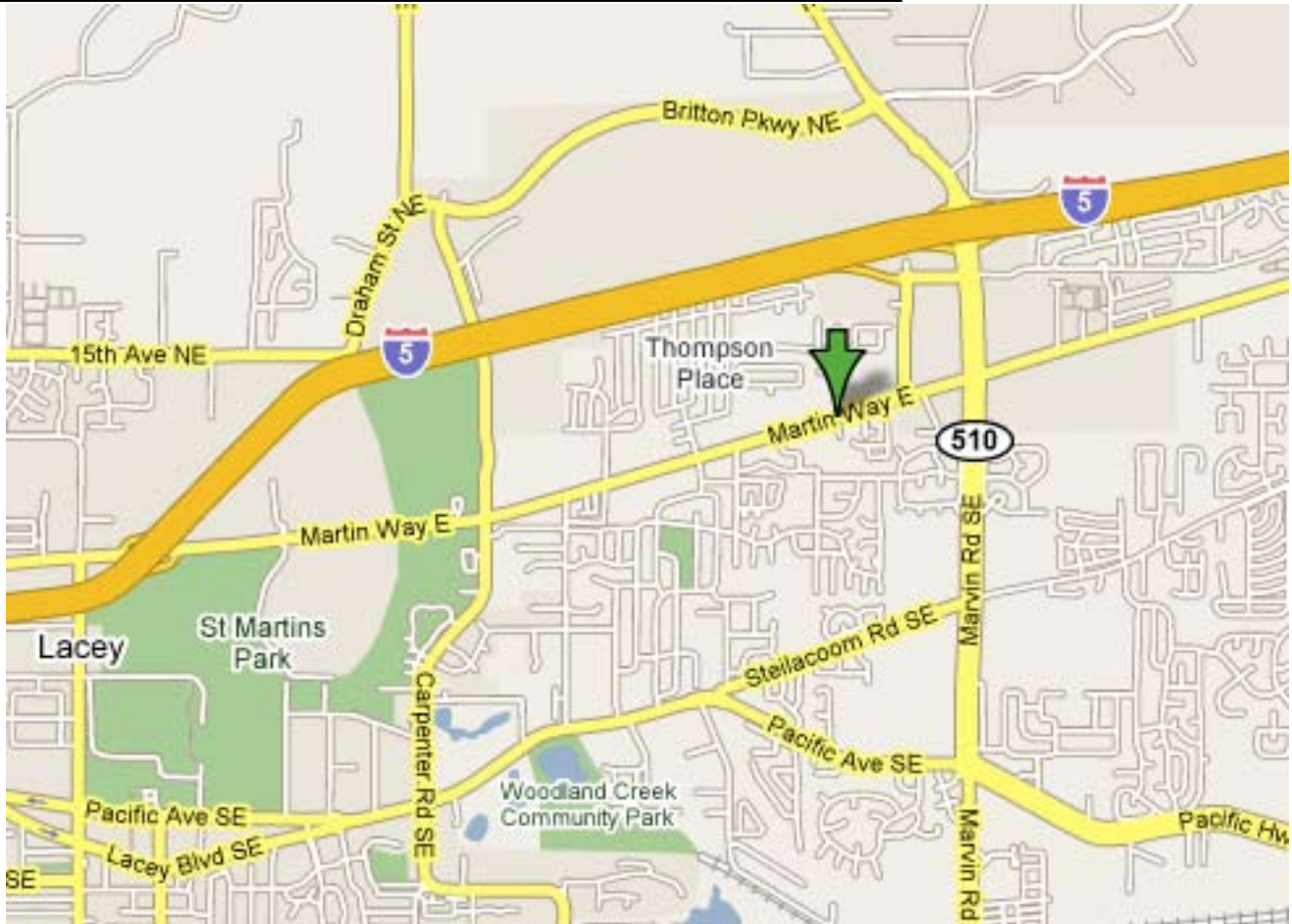
Eric Ide, club member and president of Props talked about the upcoming pylon contests in May and September. They would like to know how much support they will get from us especially for the September contest. They expect racers from all over the world and these people don't run the Event.

### NEW HOBBY SHOP IN LACEY!

THOM MARTIN, FORMER CLUB MEMBER AND PYLON RACER IS OPENING A NEW HOBBY SHOP IN LACEY!

THOM'S A GREAT GUY, IN CASE YOU DON'T KNOW WHO HE IS, HE'S THE GUY WHO BROUGHT AND READ THE CHRISTMAS STORY FOR OUR FIRST GIFT EXCHANGE A COUPLE OF YEARS AGO. PAGE 2 HAS A MAP AND MORE INFORMATION.

# New Hobby shop in Lacey



## REMOTE CONTROL HOBBIES

7837 Martin Way East - Suite B-101 Lacey, WA 98516

**Phone - 360-456-4517**

Opening May 2nd, Grand Opening May 17th

Store hours will be:

10-7 - Monday through Saturday

10-5 - Sunday



# 2008 14TH ANNUAL SWAP MEET



First I'd like to thank everyone who came early and helped set up.

We held the swap meet in the Mini Dome this year, The Prom was to be held in the Sub that night and there was a scheduling problem. We were asked if we could move. The mini dome worked out very well and the maintenance person was very helpful. I had hoped for a better turnout but we covered the bills plus a little. The 50/50 raffle was won by Bob Beatty (sorry Dick). It was worth \$61, which is going towards my 8103's conversion to 2.4 GHz.

## SWAP MEET IN THE MINI DOME

### 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
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 Fisher .....	(360)490-2338
Alt Board Member .....	Bob Mason .....	(360)426-9256
Alt Board Member .....	Chuck Kentfield .....	(360)866-9473

## MAY 3RD & 4TH PYLON RACE

Props will be holding another contest on May 3rd and 4th, I was informed after the April meeting that they would do another raffle for the course workers. Speaking of course workers we could sure use more help at the May race. It's not hard and they'll have some nice prizes at the end of the Summer.

Props want to change things around a little as far as the pits go in preparation for the big event in September. The pits will be off the

runway North of the entrance to the runway. I talked to the Port and got the OK to park on the grass for *these TWO events*.

The September contest could be a good money maker for our club if we can get the people to commit to helping out. Racers will be coming from all over the US and from some other countries as well. I've heard estimates of a couple of thousand dollars for

our club. Please consider helping out **September 6th and 7th**. We have a while before September but we need to let Props know our level of participation so they have time to arrange things themselves if we're not going to help. If you are interested in helping out let me know. I will be starting a list of volunteers. We need at least 14 people to man the course and maybe a couple more to do food. This could really help the club financially so please consider helping out.

# Club Fly-in May 10th

## SFRCF SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Our funds for extra activities are pretty limited these days and we weren't going to be able to do the scholarship program this year. The Board talked about it and thought maybe we could get donations to fund it this year. We've gotten pledges (\$500) enough to make it worth doing but it won't go very far these days. If you would like to donate please contact Bob Beatty.

Out of the 77 applicants, this lady met our criteria in a plan for a future in aviation. Upon meeting with her, the scholarship committee was very impressed, she is an outstanding young lady and really projects herself well.

The Sanderson Field R.C. Flyers recently awarded a \$500 scholarship to Tori Peckham, a 2008 graduate of Shelton High School. Tori is the daughter of Brad and Trish Peckham of Shelton. She has been actively involved in high school activities and has maintained a 3+ grade point average. She is an excellent athlete and is a valuable member of the high school tennis team receiving several awards. Her future plans are to attend community college and then on to a four year university. Her present career plan is to be either a commercial airline pilot or an air traffic controller.

Gordon Osberg

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**DUES ARE \$100.**

**PLEASE RETURN YOUR KEY IF YOU ARE NOT RENEWING**

**IF YOU PAY BY MAIL SEND YOUR DUES, PROOF OF 2008 AMA MEMBERSHIP AND A SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE TO THE TREASURER:**

**CHUCK KENTFIELD  
3122 Madrona Beach Rd  
Olympia WA 98502**

**Make checks payable to SFRCF**

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## May 2008

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28	29	30	1	2	3 SFRCF Summer Pylon
4 SFRCF Summer Pylon	5	6 SFRCF Board meet-	7	8 SFRCF meeting get	9	10 SFRCF Fly-in
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Port activities are pretty sparse this month, a couple of DOL dates have been cancelled. We have a couple of events this month though, first we are hosting a pylon contest on May 3rd and 4th and second we have a fly-in on May 10th.

## Club Scheduled Events for 2008

January 1st.....First fly of the year (success in the rain)  
 January 6th .....Pylon Race - Come out and help officiate  
 February 17th.....Pylon Race - Come out and help officiate  
 March 9th .....Pylon Race - Come out and help officiate  
 April 19th .....Sanderson Field RC flyers annual swap meet 9:00 to 12:00 SHS Sub  
**May 3rd & 4th.....Season opener Pylon race - Locked**  
**May 10th.....Fly-In - 9:00 a.m. to ?????**  
 June ?? .....Forest festival Parade float  
 June 7th.....Display at Walmart  
 June 8th.....Public Fly-In 9:00 a.m. to ????  
 July 19th.....Scale fly-in/ Public/ potluck BBQ - 9:00 a.m. to ?????  
 August 16th.....Fly-in/ potluck BBQ  
**Sept. 6th & 7th .....Pylon Race - Locked**  
 September 13th.....Fly-In 9:00 a.m. to ????  
 October 11th.....Fly-In 9:00 a.m. to ????  
 December ?? .....Christmas Party

**It's time for 2008 dues, dues are \$100.00**

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