



SANDERSON FIELD R.C. NEWS



CHARTER NO. 3079

Olympic Museum Air Show June 27-28

CLUB MEETING

*This months meeting will be held
on Thursday June 11th.*

At the field Weather Permitting

***21 W Sanderson Way Shelton, WA
Or at the PUD***

Minutes were read and
1 correction was made (not boat
club, dive club)

Treasurers report was read
and accepted as read.

Gordie Osberg and Dick
Robb came to the board meeting
because the scholarship search
netted two candidates who were
both deserving. The packets were
sent out late and the awards were
to be given before the regular
meeting so they asked the board to
allow two scholarships this year.
The board voted to fund them
both.

Jody Diaz talked to the
port manager John Dobson. Jody
asked if we could drop Friday
the 29th of May and John had
no problem with that. Jody also
talked about our lease and our lack
of weekends. John had alternate
sites for possible weekend flying.
The board will investigate. Also
discussed was Aviation days, John

would like us to participate and
liked the idea of flying demo's on
the runway, he said he would look
in to it.

Paul Hunter told Jody that
he only wants one cutting of hay
and we could mow it however we
liked after that. He also offered
a Christmas tree staging area as
a possible site. The board will
investigate that also.

Tom Jr. talked to the race
track owner who seemed receptive
to the idea of a flying site on their
property and wants to set up a
meeting with the board. They
don't have said property yet
but are looking to buy more and
would probably be interested in
leasing something to us (80-100
acres). Sounds good but we will
have to see what happens.

The scale qualifier is on
track, a list was made up for the
work party on Thurs. noon and
also for the weekend. Everything
needs to be set up before 9:00
Friday morning. Royce will take
pictures.

Jody talked to Buzz Wilson
again and he will get some dates
and get back to Jody.

Dick Robb gave a report on
the scholarship selection. He Also
motioned that all the profits from
the swap meet should go to fund

the scholarship program.

Sharon Diaz and John
Tupper reported on the Oysterfest
committee's progress. Oysterfest is
the first full weekend in October.
They have decided to make crab
sandwich's, they are setting up a
sub committee for the exhibit. John
has talked to the exhibit chairman
for Oysterfest and was told we
would be set up next to the boat
club. John said that anyone looking
for more info or wanting to sign up
to help to get ahold of a committee
member,

There will be a fly-in at
Hunters starting at 10 on Saturday
and we will push it to Sunday if
the weather is bad.

Tom Jr. noted that Sat August 8th
seems to be a good date for a dawn
patrol. a motion was made to set
that date. seconded and passed.

Dick Robb noted the first
sea plane event is June 20th at
lake Isabella, the same day as the
Toledo swap meet. If you are going
to Toledo, the sea plane event will
go all day so stop by.

Welcome new member Jeff
Sterba.

The people in the running
so far for free membership next
year are Burt Daggett, Bob Treinen,
Dave Southwick, Jack Mitchell and
John Tupper. All you have to do is
attend the meetings and you'll get
a chance to get free membership
for a year.

Meeting adjourned 7:45

SCALE RALLY AND USSMA QUALIFIER



On May 29th through 31st, 2015, the Sanderson Field RC Flyers hosted our first scale contest and United States Scale Masters Association qualifier.

Setup began Thursday with lawn mowing, concessions setup, and other field prep, and contestants began showing up Thursday afternoon. By Friday we had 22 pilots in attendance!

Pilots came from as far away as Eastern Washington, Idaho, Canada, and Oregon. Static judging at test flying went on all day Friday, and five classes were flown over the course of Saturday and Sunday, with aircraft ranging from WWI biplanes, golden age racers, agricultural aircraft, WWII warbirds, and modern military aircraft.

Saturday proved to be a bit challenging for pilots with strong sustained and gusty winds. Sunday was a much better weather day, with four rounds being flown over the weekend.

Concessions were provided all weekend by the lovely wives of the Sanderson club, and a pizza dinner was held Saturday night for contestants. All of the

entrants had a great time, and are looking forward to coming back again next year! A huge thank you to all of the club members and wives that came out and helped with set up and tear down, judging, concessions, first aid, and all of the other miscellaneous jobs there were to do!

A special thanks to Royce Tivel for handling the photography all weekend! These events would not be so successful without everyone's help! Another big thank you to Valley View RC for providing all of the prizes for the end of contest raffle! Here are your winners for the weekend.

High Static Judging: Tie between Mike Brewer with his Stinson, and Bob Benjamin with his Taylorcraft

High Flight Score: Randy Smithhisler with his Cub Coupe

Pro-Am Sportsman: 3rd Place, Rick Wood (Piper Pawnee); 2nd Place, Bob Beatty (P-39 Airco-bra); 1st Place, Marc Winz(Piper Pawnee)

Pro-Am Pro: 3rd Place, Paul Haynes (Sopwith Pup); 2nd Place, Gary Ritchie (Yak-54);

1st Place, Mike Ingram (Laird-Turner Meteor LTR-14)

Advance: 2nd Place, Del Herring (Ercoupe); 1st Place, Mike Ingram (Chipmunk)

Expert: 3rd Place, Randy Smithhisler (Cub Coupe); 2nd Place, Bob Benjamin (Taylorcraft); 1st Place, Mike Brewer (Stinson)

Team Scale: 1st Place, Bob Benjamin (Pilot)/Randy Smithhisler (Builder) (Piper J3 Cub)

The next page has some of the planes entered in the contest, to see Royce's entire article on the contest go to:

<http://www.selectdigitals.com/gallery/qualifier.html>

To see other articles and photo galleries by Royce Tivel go to:

<http://www.selectdigitals.com>



GENERAL INFO

The scale rally went well and we even managed to make a few bucks thanks to some generous donations from some of the participants. Many thanks to all who participated and helped. A special thanks to Eric Oberg and Greg Yates for being available EMT's, we did have an issue with one of the judges and it was good they were on hand! Also a big thanks to Bob Treinen for all his work over the whole weekend!

June 20th is the Toledo swap meet and also the Lake Nahwatzel float club's float fly. If you are so inclined the float fly will still be going when you get back from Toledo.

This month's meeting will be at the field right after training, bring water, it looks like it's going to be pretty warm!

I have noticed the hay fields around my house are starting to be cut, it shouldn't be long before Hunters is cut. The

runway at Hunters is looking really good, hopefully it won't get trashed by the haying. Sanderson is closed this weekend, if we want to have a fly-in it will have to be at Hunters.

The Olympic Air Museum air show is the 27th and 28th this year and we, along with TCMAA will have an exhibit for scale RC airplanes again this year. We are still looking for NICE scale planes for the display. We will set up the club's big canopy and Jody will have his box trailer there for overnight storage. If you have a plane or two you would like to display, contact Dick Robb at 360-427-4521 and let him know.

The airshow will include a Tuskegee airmen exhibit along with a P-51 in the traditional red tail in honor of the Tuskegee airmen. Also in the airshow this year will be a couple of MV-22 Osprey's.

They will also be flying the Museum's newly restored FG-1D Corsair and the P-51.

A few more planes from the scale rally



DUES ARE \$75 IF PAID BEFORE JAN 1ST, \$100 THEREAFTER.

IF YOU PAY BY MAIL SEND YOUR DUES, PROOF OF 2014 AMA MEMBERSHIP AND A SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE TO THE TREASURER:

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June 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31 Scale Masters qualifier	1 9:00 AM RC Breakfast	2 SFRCF Board meeting	3	4 3:00 PM Training night	5	6
7	8	9	10	11 SFRCF Club meeting 3:00 PM Training night	12	13 Closed Runway
14 Closed Runway	15	16	17 Closed Runway	18 3:00 PM Training night	19	20 10:00 AM Float fly lake Isabella
21	22	23	24 3:00 PM Training night	25	26	27 Oly air show
28 Oly air show	29	30	1 3:00 PM Training night	2	3	4

Training nights are ALWAYS weather permitting, check the weather at the field before leaving
 Sold days can change, check out the website before heading to the field.

<http://sfrcf.quintex.com/event/events.html>

Club Scheduled Events for 2015

Event dates in black are scheduled. Events in gray are complete.

The new contract allows us to schedule non-exclusive days again, however if the car clubs don't go to the new track we may not keep many.

January 1st 9:00 amFirst fly of the year - Sanderson field - Locks will be changed!

May 29th, 30th & 31stUSSMA qualifier and Scale rally

December 10th.....Christmas Party @ the Colonial House from 6 to 10

dues \$75 before January 1st and \$100 on or after

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