OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF SANDERSON FIELD R.C. FLYERS SHELTON, WA



# SANDERSON FIELD R.C. NEWS



Club meeting at Sanderson Field

Thursday August 11th

# CLUB MEETING

The PUD has closed the meeting room access until further notice due to COVID-19

Minutes from last months meeting:

Winter build is this weekend at Sanderson field, landing fee is \$20 We will be cooking burgers and dogs for lunch. There will be safety inspections before maiden flights. A general fly-in will be held on Sunday also at Sanderson.

Bob Treinen may have found a way around the EFIN problem so we are planning on doing oysterfest and also the display booth. Oysterfest is the first weekend in October.

The Jamboree went well and the AMA has asked us to host again next year. We made a little over \$2000 this year in large part to the raffle. The dinner/lunch did pretty well also.

A vote was taken and hosting

the Jamboree next year was approved.

An incident happened recently involving a club member and the state patrol which ended up with the State patrol complaining to the port. The short of it is that if someone shows up to use the runway, talk to them nicely, then leave, even if they are not on the schedule.

Do we want to do the swap meet again? I believe Tom has talked to the air museum in Tumwater and they are OK with it.

We most likely will have the Christmas party at the church, Aaron is pretty sure it's okay but will check to be sure.

Meeting adjourned 7:22

The next upcoming event is the Dawn Patrol at Hunters August 6th.

The UW design, build, fly team came out to Sanderson again for a photo shoot and some pavement runway practice on Friday the 29th. The team got 9th place out of 60 some entries with the plane they designed. The goal of the contest was to take off in 25', fly the pattern, land in a specified distance, drop a block with a sensor on it with out tripping the sensor and repeat 6 times while keeping the CG in the right location. I was told that one day of the contest the winds were about 40 knots

They got there about 3:00 pm, it was *only* 93°, and set up.

The Viper club guys were already there to set up for their weekend event. They set up the North end and waited for us to be done.

See the pictures on page 3.

#### HUNTER FLYING SITE

Paul Fleming brought his tractor (which hates blackberries) down to Hunters and pushed the blackberries back 8 or 10 feet and leveled out the ground so it can be mowed.

Hunters had a big tractor with a disc on it Paul had to work around but it turned out great! (sorry blackberry pickers)

While we were there we noticed someone had damaged the clasp on the roller AGAIN! We moved it to a new location, hopefully that won't happen again. It's going to take a whole new piece the ball goes into to repair it.

A couple of skydivers pulled in while we were there, one of them was the one in the picture of Draco with a guy in a squirrel suit hanging on the wing. They had a helicopter take them up to jump. The helicopter landed on our runway and blew hay all over the place. I believe it's supposed to be bailed today (July 28th)







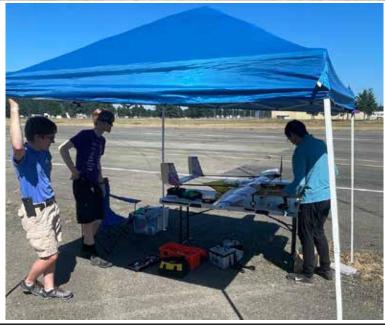


## UW DESIGN, BUILD, FLY TEAM









Dues are \$75 if paid before January 1st, \$100 Thereafter.

If you join in the last quarter of the year your membership is good for the following year.

IF YOU PAY BY MAIL SEND YOUR DUES, PROOF OF 2022 AMA MEMBERSHIP AND A SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE TO THE TREASURER:

BILL JUDGE 1726 STEWART ST. Shelton WA 98584 Make checks payable to SFRCF

## CLUB OFFICERS

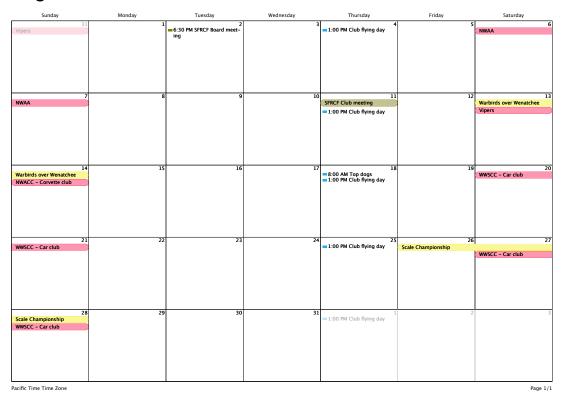
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## BOARD MEMBERS

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#### August 2022



Thursdays are ALWAYS weather permitting, check the weather at the field before leaving Sold days can change, check out the Port's website before heading to the field.

<a href="https://portofshelton.com/inactive-runway-users-group/">https://portofshelton.com/inactive-runway-users-group/</a>

## Club Scheduled Events for 2022

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

January 1st ...... First fly of the year - Sanderson Field - 9:00am
June 3rd, 4th & 5th ..... AMA Jamboree - Sanderson Field
July 16th & 17th ...... WBC / General fly-in - Sanderson Field
August 6th ..... Dawn Patrol and golden age fly-in - Hunter farms field

December 8th..... Christmas party

Dues \$75 before Jan 1st and \$100 on or after

Check out our web site at <a href="http://sfrcf.quintex.com">http://sfrcf.quintex.com</a>