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### Officer nominations this month

## CLUB MEETING

This months club meeting will be held on Thursday October 8th. at

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Dick gave an update on the Swap meet. There will be 68 to 70 tables depending on what aircraft are inside that day. Over half the tables have be sold, one wall table left that is not being advertised. Raffle prizes so far are a Lancair ARF, big bingo on floats and a Supertigre 3000. Dick will have table prices at the next meeting.

Money approval for Oysterfest: Sharon asked for \$3185 with and extra \$500 in case we need more crab or other things. 60/40 mix of crab, \$1740 for dungeness and \$740 chilian crab. \$200 in cash for the cash box. Motion seconded and approved.

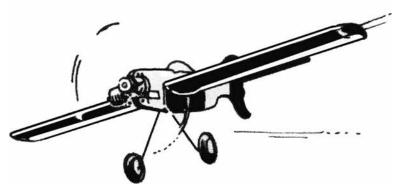
Bob Treinen has checked and cleaned the sandwich machine, it's ready to go.

Sharon will put on google groups that we need airplanes for the display. We would like to have a

big screen tv to display dvd's.

We need to put together a calendar together for port events.

Dick Robb reminded everyone that the Nahwatzel float club has an float plane event at Isabella on September 17th. I know we are going to need a new secretary and vice president this year, possibly other positions too. It's time to step up and do your part!



Nominations are next month.

Tom Jr. is calling about indoor flying. Jack paid for last seasons indoor flying but the school didn't receive the check, he will write another check and talk to the bank about the first one.

Meeting adjourned 7:45

The drawing for the free membership was not held again.

It's also time to start thinking about renewing your membership, remember, If you pay BEFORE January 1st 2017 it's only \$75. That means you need to have your AMA membership renewed before the 1st

#### 2016 NORTHWEST SCALE CHAMPIONSHIP

For the weekend of September 8th through the 11th, Bob Beatty, Marc Winz, Paul Fleming and I made the trek over to the Red Apple Flyers field in Wenatchee, WA for the 2016 Northwest Scale Championship event. As always, the Red Apple Flyers field was beautiful and well prepped for this three day competitive event, and the hospitality was fantastic! If you have never been to this amazing flying site, it is well worth every minute of the drive.

We arrived at the field Thursday afternoon and were greeted by roughly 30mph winds! As there was obviously no flying going on, static judging also had to be moved inside as the airplanes were getting very hard to hold on to. Competition flying began Friday morning with much calmer conditions, and two rounds were flown separated by the lunch break. A dinner was served Friday night prior to the annual meeting for Northwest Scale Aero Modelers, and consisted of a burger with chips and a soda. As we moved into Saturday morning, again the conditions were near perfect. Two more rounds of competition were again flown, with a lunch break separating the two rounds. A fantastic barbecue dinner was served for anyone that wanted to buy a ticket, and featured pulled pork sandwiches, marinated

chicken breast, coleslaw, baked beans, cake, and a soda. The food was fantastic! The weather Sunday morning was wonderful again, and we only flew one round of competition. Although we did not perform as well as we would have liked, we all had a wonderful time competing and visiting with friends. The club had a great raffle with loads of amazing prizes to give away, the biggest of which was a new Top Flite Cessna 310 twin ARF, and the Robarts retracts to go with it. After the raffle and trophies were handed out, we said our goodbyes and made the 4 hour trip home. It is a lot of fun to travel around and compete, and making the trips with friends and club members makes it all that much better! Had a blast, and can't wait for the next one!

Tom Strom Jr.









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### 2016 NWSAM CHAMPIONSHIP



Last month, 4 club SFRCF members traveled to the Red Apple Flyers field in Wenatchee Washington for the NorthWest Scale Aero-Modellers 2016 Championship. My self, Tom Strom Jr., Marc Winz and Paul Fleming. Tom Strom Jr. and I got there around 3:30 on Thursday after getting stuck in an accident backup on highway 18 and having to back track to get around it. The



wind was blowing about 30 mph, however Friday and Saturday were just perfect. Sunday had about 10

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mph winds but was still flyable. What a beautiful facility and a great bunch of guys, if you get the chance be sure to check it out.



There were about 36 pilots entered, Tom Strom Jr. did very well with a couple of minor glitches that kept him out of first place in the pro-am Sportsman class. Marc Winz did pretty good also but didn't place. Paul Fleming and I were at the back of the pack but we had fun.

I'm happy to report that my P-39 ran the whole time!



#### CLUB OFFICERS

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#### MOUNT RAINIER RADIO CONTROL SOCIETY WARBIRD FLYIN

September 24th a few SFRCF members went to the MRRCS scale fly-in. Their field is about an hour away and is nice facility.

As you can see from the picture they have a paved runway, covered set-up area with electricity and a club house.

The weather was cool and cloudy at the begining of the day but after lunch, the landing fee of \$5 included a basic lunch, the sun came out. There was a little wind that varied but all in all it was a perfect flying day.



MRRCS member Carl Hibbs has electric start on his 60cc P-51, pretty cool! Carl and Steve Mortenson put on a nice show flying their 50cc Mustangs together.



#### October 2016

Sunday		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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Training nights are ALWAYS weather permitting, check the weather at the field before leaving Sold days can change, call the port before heading to the field. 360-426-1151. Ask for Kim http://sfrcf.quintex.com/event/events.html

# Club Scheduled Events for 2016

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 am ....... First fly of the year - Sanderson field - Locks will be changed!

May 14th, 15th .....USSMA qualifier and Scale rally

July 9th.....Dawn Patrol

Aug 27th&28th .....Pylon Race cancelled

Nov 5th ......Joint Swap meet - Olympic Flight Museum 9-3

December 8th ...... Christmas Party @ Colonial House from 6 to 10

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

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