

SANGAMON VALLEY RC FLYERS

January, 2007 Newsletter

web site: sangamonvalleyrc.org

Next meeting:

JANUARY 10, 2007, at the MARIO'S ITALIAN RESTAURANT

3073 CLEAR LAKE Ave, Springfield

6:30 p.m. Dinner

7:00 p.m. Meeting

Special note: If you have not done so already, please get your payment for the Christmas Party to Bob Putrich by January 6, 2007. The price is \$16.88 per person. Bob 's address is: 1203 W. Washington, apt B6, Springfield, IL 62702

Minutes of the December Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Sangamon Valley RC Flyers was held on December 13, 2006, at the Rochester Community Center. The meeting was called to order by President Bob Putrich at 7:00 p.m. with 22 members present. The President checked to see if all members had received their newsletter.

Since the majority of the members had received the minutes of the last meeting in the newsletter, the president called for additions and corrections. Hearing none, the minutes were approved as presented in the December newsletter.

Three guests were present:

- Lee Beare
- Andy Krell
- Ted Flickinger

Old Business

Christmas Party in January

The president confirmed that the Holiday dinner was being held at the **Amber Jack Ale Home on Saturday January 13, 2007**. The price will be \$16.88 per person (this will include

tax and the tip). Two choices of meat were selected by the membership.

- Roast Beef
- chicken and fettuccine

AMA Website (new potential members)

The question came up with a new potential member that contacted the AMA website. The website showed three RC clubs located near Springfield. The new flyer was looking for help with an instructor who might be associated with the club. Ron Henderson has been signed up on the website as the club contact instructor. If a new member contacts him, he can work with the member or forward the request to one of several other members that have volunteered to help train new members.

New Meeting Site Proposed

Bob said that Mike Behl has secured the meeting room at the Chatham Library for next year. The dates (second Wednesday of each month) are available for the year with the exception of January.

Discussion was held by the club for a location for the January meeting. Mario's Restaurant was chosen as the January 10, 2007 location. Dinner at 6:30 p.m. meeting at 7:00p.m.

New officers for 2007

Art Fleming reported that he did not have much luck recruiting members for the 2007 slate of officers. The president talked to the present slate of officers and ask them if they would serve another year. All agreed to serve in the same position for one more year. Bob thanked them for their help over the last year and continuing support of the club.

New Business

AMA-IMAC event

Bruce Kern reported on the future IMAC event. Bruce is trying to obtain an earlier date for the event. The date cannot be re-scheduled until after January 1, 2007. He will discuss the available dates with Wayne Gavin at that time. The present date is September 15-16, 2007. Bruce believes that more prizes than last year can be obtained for the future event.

Upcoming Flying Events

1st Annual Christian County Propbuster
February 11, 2007 (Sunday) Stonington High School Gym 10:00a.m. till 5:00p.m. Indoor electric airplane fly in and swap meet. More information call 217-246-4263

January 14,2007 Mattoon Swap Meeting

Meeting ended 7:30 p.m.

Editor's corner

Sorry Arlen

Editor's appologies to Arlen Kimbal!! In the December newsletter I refered to Arlen as "Arlen Spector" in the item regarding the aircraft frequency monitoring radio he donated to the club. This is what happens when you are doing the newsletter while listening to political discussions on talk radio.

I also want go on record to thank Arlen for the great job he is doing on the club minutes. Sure makes doing the newsletter a breeze.

Items for sale

Contact Bob Putrich at 546-8075 on the following items

Supertigre S2000, never flown, with 20-6 propeller. Still in the box.....\$125.00
K&B .40 R/C new in the box
K&B .61 R/C new in the box
K&B .100 new in the box

For sale by Jack O'Keefe

Airplane, engine, transmitter. A great starter package. I learned to fly with this plane, and now need to sell it so that I can buy something else.

- Airplane: Goldberg Eagle II
- Engine: Super Tiger 40
- Transmitter: JR 421 computer radio on channel 45
- Price: \$250.00



Goldberg Eagle II
Contact: Jack O'Keefe
Springfield, IL 62704