



Wind Sock



The newsletter of the Lake City Radio Control Club (LCRC)
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The next Club meeting will be this Sunday, February 6 at 2P.M.

It will be over long before the Superbowl starts!

Club Officers:

President- Dan Flemming (386.243.1981)
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Treasurer- Mark Witt (386.623.5600)
Secretary- Bob Wheeler (386.776.2969)
Field Marshal- Dan Beard

1st Representative- James Grimsley
2nd Representative- Tobe Morrow
Safety officer #1- Jim Fletcher
Safety officer #2- Bob Wheeler

Club News: Meeting Agenda:

Eating:

We will be having something simple like hotdogs and drinks at the meeting.

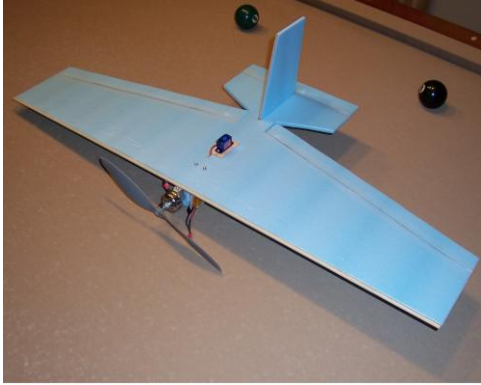
Mower:

The Sears mower we talked about was no longer on sale. So, no action has been taken in finding another. Come to the next meeting and let's discuss this more. Spring usually brings mowers on sale. Also, the possibility of a mower that can be pulled behind the present riding mower is still a viable option.

Fun Fly Combat planes:

Some of the members of the LCRC Club will be starting streamer-combat with foamy planes. There will be some rules (work is in process.) that will apply, but this event will be fun, and will probably generate a lot of interest. Dan Flemming is building 6 planes under the "rules" guidelines, and will have them for sale. If you think you will be interested in participating in these combat events, contact Dan Flemming (386) 243-1981. Dan will have at least 2 combat planes ready by the next meeting, and if all the parts come in, he may have 8 ready to fly. Current club members will have an opportunity to purchase one.

More.....



Here is an update from Terry McGee on the combat plane performance:

Dan and I had our first combat skirmish Sunday late in the afternoon. We each had a combat plane in the air with streamers and what a riot. I can't wait until the next match. They fly like a dream, They haul butt, are very acrobatic and can also fly real slow. Dan did a wonderful job making the prototypes. If you get one you could practice easily at your house if you have room. We sent off for a lot of cheap equipment and Dan has a bunch of them cut out of the foam, they are modular. One can take any damaged part off that can't be just glued right back, (mostly fuselage and wings or tail) and replace it in a very short time. I just thought I would give you the latest from the field. Terry

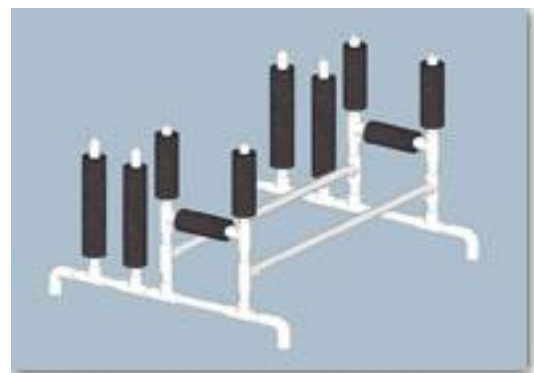
Planning:

Do you have suggestions of events or activities for the club this coming year? (Like fun-fly, picnics, demos, etc.) Please bring your suggestions to the next meeting.

Continued from last issue: PVC Stands Bob Wheeler

In the last issue of the newsletter, I wrote about building a PVC plane rack to use in transporting models to and from the field. A picture of a configuration was shown and is repeated below on the right. I put one together to try and it's pictured below. Notice I added a support for a second small sailplane. Also, I added a carrying handle by extending two center vertical tubes.

By the way, the pipes are not really bent. It's just the wide angle lens on the camera.



Need assistance in learning to fly or other club information? For club information, questions, and suggestions contact Dan Flemming 386-243-1981 or Dan Beard 386-719-6563. For flight training information and scheduling contact Dan Flemming. 386-243-1981. For a copy of the club by-laws or roster contact Bob Wheeler 386-776-2969 (Email - hwheel4@windstream.net).

Upcoming events:

Save your money! The big Southeastern Model Show will be March 4-5 in Perry, GA!!

Feb.

2/11/2011 - 2/13/2011 -- Deland, FL (C) 22ND ANNUAL WINTER FESTIVAL OF GIANTS. Site: Deland Airport. Jessie James CD PH: 386-734-6321 Email: jjames308@hotmail.com. Visit: www.delandrcclub.com. 60/80 rules and 1/4 scale. Dry RV parking. Vendors, pilot awards, great fun, great food. Pilot coordinator Donnie Bryans. Sponsor: DELAND RC CLUB

2/19/2011 - 2/20/2011 -- Lakeland, FL (AA) POLK PATTERN CLASSIC. Site: Club Field. Lawrence Odom CD PH: 863-646-0172 Email: lodomjr@verizon.net. Events 401-406(JSO). Directions I-4 exit 38 go north to 1st road on left, turn left on Tomkow Rd to dead end, gate is across intersection. \$30 fee includes BBQ lunch on Saturday. Sponsor: PROP BUSTERS INC RC CLUB

2/26/2011 - 2/27/2011 -- Ocala, FL (C) OCALA ELECTRIC FLY IN. Site: Club Field. Gary Doeren CD PH: 920-737-4852 Email: grdoeren@aol.com. Visit: www.ocalaflyingmodelclub.com. Great flying site, 50x600' paved runway, rustic camping w/no hook ups, separate helicopter flying site. Plaques given for best of show, spectators and pilots choice. Climb and glide, speed runs. Food and drink on site. Sponsor: OCALA FLYING MODEL CLUB

March

3/3/2011 - 3/6/2011 -- Lakeland, FL (C) FLORIDA JETS. Site: Lakeland Airport. Frank Tiano CD PH: 863-607-6611 Email: frank@franktiano.com. Visit: www.franktiano.com. Three hundred jets, demos, manufacturers area, 6 flight lines, awards. One of the most awesome flying sites on the planet. Sponsor: IMPERIAL RC CLUB INC



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