

March 2006 Edition

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CLUB MEETING: April 12, 2006 at 7pm at VoTech

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FROM THE EDITOR

In case you hadn't noticed, this issue of the Inverted Flyer is a bit late. This newsletter will cover what should have seen light prior to our March 8th meeting, and we will resume with our regularly scheduled programming near the beginning of April.

BAS MEETING MINUTES

Boulder VoTech Center February 8, 2006

Meeting called to order by President Rich Anderson at 7:00 PM with 15 members present and two guests, Donna and Rick Gerren.

Minutes

Motion by Boris Sergeev, with a second by Augie Bruno, to accept the minutes of the January meeting as they were published in the February newsletter. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Ken Jochim reported a bank balance \$9259.38

Old Business

The new contract with the city has been signed by Rich Anderson and sent to the city for their signature.

Our meetings will continue to be held at our present site through the month of May.

Tony Kilwein reported on safety fence prices. A discussion was held on what type of fence to use to repair our existing fence. Wendel Wickstrom made a motion to replace the fence with the current material, which was seconded by Rudy Glick. Motion voted and passed. A motion by Dean Chandler, with a second by Tony Kilwein, to replace the present fence with chain link. Motion voted and did not pass. More discussion was held, and Tony Kilwein is going to check with AMA on the safest application before any action will be taken.

Discussion was held on an upcoming float fly. Motion by Dean Ehn with a second by Augie Bruno to not sponsor an open float fly in the near future. Motion voted and passed.

Wendell Wickstrom informed us that Glen Miller is making good progress on his recovery.

New Business

Rich Anderson has received a notice from the city park service that we need to stop with the foot traffic on the northwest quadrant of our field. Rich will talk with Matt of the city park service about a possible solution to the prob-

Augie Bruno reported that he attended the indoor fly-in at Greeley airport. He said you had to stay alert, but all had a good time.

Some of our members attended the Jeffco club RC auction. It was reported to be a success.

Show and Tell

Ken Jochim displayed a foam electric model called the tribute. It has 22oz of thrust and it weighs 12 oz. It should have no trouble going vertical.



Steve Croft displayed a scratch designed and built model of a 1946 Luscombe. This model has to be seen to be believed. It has a 2cylinder glow engine, covered with 1/64 plywood. He said it has been in the works on and off for the past 6 years. Steve's fine craftsmanship shows up in all the fine details of this model.

Respectfully submitted, Rudy Glick





ANNOUNCEMENTS

INDOOR ELECTRIC FUN FLY!

Things With Wings and Harris Aviation of Greeley, CO would like to invite you to our second indoor electric fun fly!

To be held at Harris Aviation's 13,000+ square foot aircraft storage hangar on Sat. April 1st 2006. (April Fools Day!) Flying starts at 9:00am, with doors closing around 4:00pm.

Expect it to be a great time, building on the success of our first fly in held in Jan. 2006. There will be hours of open flying, pylon racing, electric limbo, and more!

A \$10.00 charge for pilots, bring as many airplanes as you wish! The day will be FREE for spectators, bring friends and family who wish to watch the action!

Directions:

- ⇒ The hangar is located at the Greeley Weld County Airport.
- ⇒ Take HW-85 to 8th Street.
- ⇒8th Street East. 1.5 miles to Greeley Weld County Airport.
- ⇒Left on Airport Road.
- ⇒Right on Skyhawk.
- ⇒Left on Ed Beegles Lane.
- ⇒Fly-in hangar will be marked by "Things With Wings" banner.

Parking:

- 1) Early comers park on North side of hanger.
- 2) Park on east side of Ed Beegles Lane. (Please don't block Ed beagles)
- 3) Aims Community College Gravel Parking Lot.
- 4) Harris Aviation parking lot. (625 Airport Road)

Weather note: The hangar is an aircraft storage facility, if extreme weather is encountered the day of the fly-in, such as heavy snow or extreme winds the fly-in will be post-poned to the following week.

Refreshments and snacks will be served, and if lunch is wanted the Barnstormer restaurant is located in the main terminal.

Any questions concerning the event or directions can be directed to:

Jeff Mitchell (303-332-7935) or Flyinhigh025@aol.com

FIELD PARKING

There are parking spaces at the field marked and designated as handicap parking. We've been notified that if City Park Rangers see vehicles parked in those stalls without a proper handicap tag displayed they will start issuing violation tickets. **The fine for this type of ticket is \$125.00**. All members need to be aware that, if you park in a handicap stall without a tag and a ranger comes by, it could become *an expensive day of flying*.

CLUB DVD LIBRARY OPEN

The Club DVD library is open: milehighwings.com/club/dvd.htm

You can request a title via e-mail and pick up the DVD at the club meeting. Don't miss *Tucson Aerobatic Shootout*, the best R/C video of all times!

Please feel free to <u>e-mail</u> me your suggestions regarding the new DVDs to add to the library.

Boris Sergeev, Club Librarian

Club Dues are DUE!

If you haven't paid your club dues already, note that they are due as of January 1st. Please remit your dues payment along with this sheet (or equivalent information) **and a copy of your current AMA card** to our treasurer, either at the club meeting (April 12th) or by mail to:

Ken Jochim
3865 Norwood Court
Boulder, CO 80304

Make checks payable to "Boulder Aeromodeling Society" or "BAS".

BAS Membership Renewal Form

Name: _____ AMA Number: _____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Phone: ____ Email Address (if applicable): _____

Frequencies Used: _____

The dues for this year have been raised from last year as follows:

- Regular Membership with e-mail delivery of the newletter \$45.00 per year
- Regular Members with postal delivery of the printed newletter \$50.00 (to cover newsletter mailing cost)
 - Regular Family Membership \$55.00
 - Junior Membership (for those under 19)—\$15.00

All Regular Memberships require, for the first year only, an additional \$30.00 field upkeep cost. [This fee is paid when one joins the club or when one renews the membership after not being a member for a vear or more.]

FLYING FIELD HOURS

9:00am to dusk on weekdays 10:00am to dusk on weekends

CLASSIFIEDS

AIRPLANE KITS WANTED

Looking for airplane kits, new or old, that will never get a chance to be built, or are no longer needed. Please contact Wan Suwito at (720) 212-8464, or email me at suwitow@yahoo.com

Ken Jochim submitted the following ad:

FOR SALE: USB Interface Cable for **Futaba**, **Hitec**, or **Tower Hobbies** Transmitters

(more info at milehighwings.com/usb cables.htm)

Also includes a CD with FMS & PRE-flight simulator software

My son won this item at the raffle this summer, but we don't own any Futaba gear. (I have the JR version and it works great!)

\$20.00

[Editor's note: MileHighWings.com sells it for \$40 + tax]

INSTRUCTORS LISTING

Call if you need help getting started:

Tony Kilwein 303-438-8500 Futaba Wendell Wickstrom 303-494-9324 Airtronics Ken Jochim 303-444-3206 JR James Mack 303-819-6669 Futaba

THE YELLOW PAGES

A listing of area merchants, whose products are of interest to R/C enthusiasts; provided as a service to our members. Some will give you a discount with your current club card.

Mile Sky Hobbies (formerly known as **HSJM Ltd. Hobbies**), 1300 W Midway, Broomfield (303-439-2640), Steve Clark

Action Hobbies, 1477 Carr, Lakewood, (303-233-6275), Glen A. Magree

Hobby Town, 800 South Hover Rd. Longmont, (303-774-1557)

Mile High Wings store@milehighwings.com Your source of R/C Simulator interfaces and all-composite ARFs: www.milehighwings.com

Don's Hobbies, 815 10th Street, Greeley (970-353-3115) Tony Farro

Things with Wings, 6268 W. 10th #2 Greeley (970-352-1067) Jim Richardson

Hobby Town, 6815 W. 88th Ave., Westminster, (303-431-0482), James Miley

Hobby Giant, 5545-A, Olde Wadsworth, Arvada, 303-940-9238, Larry Cencich.

Heliport Hobbies, 1400 W. 70th Street, Denver 303-430-8828, also Magnum Fuels