



Spring is here: Fly em if you got em

Spring is here and you need some help with your new plane or looking for someone to go out to the field and have a good day of flying with? Well go to the SIRS website and chat with your fellow club members in the Forum area. You can also check out new and past club newsletters.

Check it out at: www.sirs.cc



Karl Laun (left) and Wayne Geffon take advantage of a nice weekend day in March. Picture provided by Wayne.

Member News:

Congratulations to Wayne Geffon on his fourth place finish in the unlimited class at the JR Challenge in Punta Gorda, Florida last month. Way to go Wayne!

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Club Meetings

Club meetings are held on the second Saturday of each month at the flying field in Covell, IL. Meetings begin at 7:00pm during the winter (CST) and 8:00pm during the summer (CDT).

SIRS Inc Meeting

March 11th, 2006

CALL TO ORDER:

President Jim Danforth called meeting to order at 7:00. There were 10 members present.

PREVIOUS MINUTES:

Mike Wilson read the previous minutes from the February meeting.

TREASURE'S REPORT:

Treasure Jim Danforth gave the treasure's report. Motion passed.

NEW BUSINESS:

Discussion about updating the club rules and club constitution.

His and Her Hobbies will a Hobby Day promotion on May 13th in the afternoon.

NEW MEMBERS:

Please welcome John Adams and Jerry Martin from Hobby Land.

SHOW & TELL:

Bob Hawkes showed us his Gremlin plane that he made.

Chad showed us his Century Predator Gas Heli with a computer link system to take ariel photos.

Stan Thompson was presented with an Aeromaster Bi-Plane from the club for his commitment to the club existence. Thanks Stan!

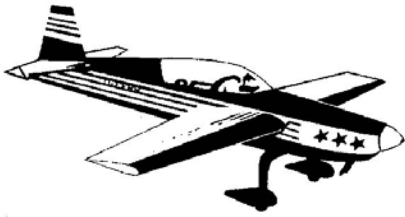
ADJOURNMENT:

Meeting adjourns at 7:35pm. Motion passed.

At the Feild

Thank you To Wayne Geffon, Dave Haas and Mike Wilson for the pictures:





SIRS BIG BIRD MIDWEST FLY IN SATURDAY JUNE 10, 2006

**150x600ft crew cut grass runway with unlimited over fly.
Primitive camping at the SIRS field. Motor Homes Welcome
Awning setup and open flying after 2:00pm Friday.**

**Pilot requirement: AMA & IMAA Membership # Current!
Pilot meeting: 9:30am – No Landing Fee
Concessions at field ---- 50/50 Raffle**

**Plane Requirements
80 inches Mono --- 60 inches Bi-Plane
True 1/4 scale**

Web Site: www.sirs-rc.com

Directions to SIRS Field:

**Interstate 55&74 west side of Bloomington
Exit 160 west on Rt 9 - 3 1/2 Miles to Covell Rd
4 Miles to SIRS field**

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From the President:

The good weather is almost here and I am ready for it. I was hoping to have several planes ready to fly this year but I had a busy winter. I just started getting going on building; repairing and I think I just picked up a used helicopter thanks to Chad Beavers. I feel I have been going along in slow gear with the club so far this year and I have not been doing my job (as President) quite as well as I would like to. I feel the upcoming warm weather will get me moving. What would really help motivate me is to see more smiling faces at the club meetings. So if you have not been able to make it out lately, I hope to see you for the April meeting.

I have received calls from several new interested r/c pilots lately. The fliers we put in the local hobby stores have been a success.

I hope to serve the club well this year. So if there is anything you would like to see done, changed or just like to talk about r/c flying please give me a call. I am at 261-6893 and I am available any week night or week end. Remember to support your local hobby store!

Tom Kirk,
SIRS INC. President



SIRS Classifieds

FOR SALE

**** YOUR AD HERE ****

Submit your classified ads to the SIRS Newsletter Editor at:

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