



October 2008 Newsletter

Fun Fly Contest on Saturday August 23rd

What a great time! Mike did an awesome job cooking and providing the dogs and buns. Thanks to Doug and Debbie for the chips and other stuff and to everyone else the brought out items for everyone to share.



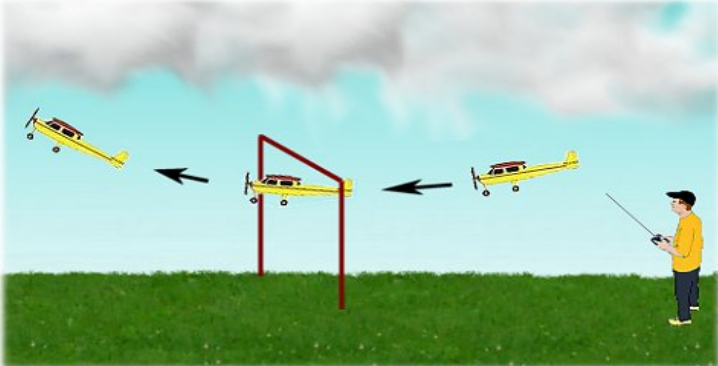
I believe that is the biggest turnout by members for a club event since I joined. Despite catching the limbo pole while landing, I had a great time. Who knew duct tape was such a great building material for wings?

Todd should sell a hundred of those indestructible Tangos after pulling the tape off and knocking over the limbo poles while still managing to fly off into the sunset with no damage.



The dog fighting was, well, destructive if nothing else. Jeff Feasley set the record for the shortest flight (ten seconds) in the dog fights when he and Justin Worden mid aired. Still wondering how Nate managed no damage after a mid-air and flat spinning inverted to the ground. Must have been the builder.

—Submitted by Dave Ludington



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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).

Classified by members

Wayne G has a ton of foamies for sale. Far too many to list.

Pat is selling a Hobbico Nexstar 46 - \$300

Don't forget to bring out your items to the swap meet September 27th 9:0 am Covell Town Hall

SIRS, Inc Meeting Minutes - September 13, 2008

Call to order:

Vice President Gene Barker called the meeting to order at 8:00 PM. There were 17 members present.

Previous Minutes:

Minutes were approved as published in the newsletter.

Treasurer Report:

The club has \$2470.38 in the account.

Old Business:

Please remember to use catch cans for your fuel overflow.

Swap Meet September 27th

* Saturday morning will be for table setup @7:30 please come and help.

* 9:00 to 3:00 \$5.00 a table and \$1.00 to get in.

* Door prize Funtana 300 foamie.

Four star banquet September 27th

* 5:35 pm Covell Town Hall

* \$15 per person - Famous Dave's

Thompson Cup Sunday 9/28 at 1 pm

Club Banquet November 8th

* 5:00 pm Covell Town Hall

* \$15 per person

* Catered by Famous Dave's

New Business:

Officer Nominations for October Election (with induction at November banquet)

* Mike Wilson - Pres

* Fred Logue - Vice Pres

* Jay Capps - Sec

* Jim Danforth - Treas

2009 Events will be posted online

Washington R/C Open House 9/14.

Welcome new member: Trent Johnson - interested in helis - we offered a field box remaining in the shed.

Raffle was held for two Hobbyland gift certificates - Jim Danforth and Father Ric won

Show and Tell

* Nate showed off a Guillows WWI Neuport

* Todd showed us a Funtana 300 foamie build

* Tom showed off his new helicopter it was suggested that he add floats

The meeting adjourned at 8:21.

Advertising: Commercial advertising rates and submission information is available from SIRS-RC.com. Advertising is also available on the SIRS website and may be included in print advertising packages. Classified Ads may be placed by members for no additional charge. These are to be of a private sales nature.

**SIRS Annual Awards Banquet
Saturday - November 8th, 2008**

This year's awards banquet will be held on Saturday, November 8 at the Covell Town Hall. Social hour will start at 5:00 PM and dinner will be served around 6:00 PM by Famous Dave's for \$12.00 per person. The menu will include two meats, BBQ chicken and BBQ pork, 2 sides, corn bread, drinks. In addition to the food, there will be a 50/50 drawing and a lot of pilot prizes. It will be a great way to end the year. Bring your family, friends or somebody that has an interest in getting into the hobby.

RSVP to:

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Preferred RSVP to mmpjs.wilson@comcast.net

Make check payable to SIRS Inc. or you can reserve now and pay at the door

Member Name: _____ Number of Guest: _____

Please RSVP quickly so we can tell the caterer how many to expect.

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