



## November 2008 Newsletter

### Thompson Cup Results

Congrats to Justin and Bob  
Tied for first place! 101 laps

A three way tie for 3rd Place  
Mike, Ken, and Jerry. 91 laps

- 6th- Dave L. 80 laps
- 7th - Gene 76 laps
- 8th - Duane 74 laps
- 9th - Chris V. 19 laps



“I think that this Thompson Cup was the longest, most intense twenty minutes I have ever flown...can't wait till next year!”

This was a fantastic race. There were no crashes or damaged cars, trees, etc.

Our thanks to Bob Hawkes who has agreed to run this event next year around Sept 20th.

### Club Swap Meet Report

9/27/2008 - We had 22 tables with 4 clubs having representation. Several planes were sold and Roger Stegall won the Funtana 300 door-prize.

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News and article submissions are encouraged

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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

Moki 1.80

Has about 1 1/2 gal of FAI fuel with 20% castor oil, radial mount, Pitts-style muffler, 4 stroke glow plug, aluminum spinner, and drill bit for reaming prop.

\$200.00

- Fred Logue

### SIRS, Inc Meeting Minutes - October, 11 2008

President Mike Wilson called the meeting to order at 8:00 PM. There were 13 members present.

#### Previous Minutes:

Minutes were approved as published in the newsletter.

#### Treasurer Report:

The club has \$2000 in the account.

#### Old Business:

Swap Meet: Doug, Dave, Fred and Gene were all thanked for the work.

Thompson Cup: There were no crashes. Bob Hawks and Justin Worden tied with 101 laps. Mike Wilson, Jerry Worden and Ken Ausli all tied with 92 laps. Dave Ludington had 80 in fourth.

Awards banquet: November 8th doors open at 5:00 supper at 6:00 from Famous Dave's. Please return your flyer or contact Mike Wilson with your reservations. \$12 per person.

New Business: 2009 club officers were voted in.

Mike Wilson - President  
Fred Logue - Vice President  
Jay Cappis - Secretary  
Jim Danforth - Treasurer  
Doug Mock - Editor  
Dave Ludington - Safety Officer

The club lost \$40 in cash from the soda machine last month.

New member Joe McGuire was voted in to the club he has always wanted to fly RC and is excited to try. He was given the last donated field box.

Dave Ludington has sent his paperwork in to be a CD for the club.

Mike and Gene will run the Swap meet next year.

James Richter will keep the trainers flying.

Please send any pictures you may have to Mike for the picture video.

Next years club events were decided:

January 1st first flight and Chilly-Chili Fun Fly  
March 28th Field Clean-up Day  
April 25th Static Show, Open House, and Fun Fly  
April 18th IMAC work shop  
May 23rd 4star Race  
June 5th, 6th, & 7th SIRS/Leukemia Society Benefit Flt-In  
June 20th and 21st 424 pylon race  
July 4th war bird day  
September 5th and 6th 424 pylon race  
September 20th Thompson Cup

The meeting adjourned at 8:52

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

Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Guests \_\_\_\_\_

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

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