



Flying Eagles Inc.
Newsletter for June 2011

Date: June 12, 2011

<http://www.flyingeaglesinc.org>

Next Meeting: June 30, 2011

Location: The meeting will be held at the field, weather permitting. If not, then at the Alice & Jack Wirt Public Library, 500 Center Ave (corner of Madison & Center Ave) Community Meeting Room located in the entranceway of the library. The Flying Eagles Club meetings are open to the general public.

Time: 6:00 p.m.

2011 CLUB OFFICERS ARE:

President: **Tom Dearden**
VP: **Rich Herzberger**
Treasurer: **Brian Wenzel**
Recording Secretary: **Dave Kasper**
Safety Coordinator: **Wayne Heminghous**
Newsletter Editor: **Ellen Kasper**

Club Trustees:

Peter Liehr
Mike Massey
Richard Herzberger
Dave Kasper

Visitors are always welcome to the club meetings and to join us at the club flying field. The flying sight is located at 5710 S. Mackinaw Rd., Bay City, MI.

Anyone interested in flying or in improving his or her skills should contact our club instructors:

Dave Kasper
989-894-4670

Richard Herzberger
989-686-3457

MEETING MINUTES

Tom Dearden started the meeting on 6/3/2011 at 6:05pm at the flying field with 10 members present and one visitor (Mick Greenburg) who has been voted in as a new member. Welcome Mick!

Minutes from the previous meeting were accepted as printed in the May newsletter.

Treasurer's Report – The treasurer's report showed a balance of \$1586.51 in the checking account.

Safety report – Don't screw with your radio!!! It seems that after modifying the training switch on his radio to make it more comfortable. One of our members (who shall remain nameless) proceeded to crash an airplane due to a trainer switch malfunction. Undaunted, he worked the switch a few times and it appeared to be working properly so he took off with one of his other planes. You can guess what happened next.

Web report – The webmaster has moved back to Colorado. He'll continue to update the web while watching the view of the mountains.

Board report – The report was given by Peter which covered:

- Responsibility of the members for the Dawn Patrol.
- The combination for the shed lock has been changed & mailed out to the members.
- Wayne is putting together a schedule for the Fly-in.
 - **IMPORTANT – The next meeting will be June 30th to square things up for the fly-in. We'll then have our work party/meeting on July 8th. There will be no regular club meeting on July 7th.**

Old Business:

- Went over the duties of all members for the Fly-in. Please make it a point to be at our next meeting on **June 30th** so that everyone knows what they need to do.

New Business:

- None

50/50:

- Peter won the 50/50, his share was \$5.00

Meeting adjourned at 7:15pm

Upcoming Club Events:

June 19th - Pancake Breakfast at James Clements Airport
July 9th & 10th - Invitational Fly In from 10:00am – 3:00pm
September 5th - Labor Day Picnic

Upcoming events in Michigan:

6/19/2011 - Valley Aero Club Father's Day Fly-in Breakfast, 7:00am – 12:00pm
James Clement Airport, Bay City, MI, USA
Krzysiak's "doin' the cooking." Warbirds, Static Displays, Sky Divers, Airplane Rides, Helicopters, Radio Controlled Model Airplanes, and much more! Enjoy the day at the Airport!
Contact: Charles Smith, Phone: 989-892-4620, [Send an Email](#)

7/17/2011 -- Chesaning, MI (C) 25TH ANNUAL CHESANING HELI MEET. Site: Club Field. Paul Binkley CD PH: 810-444-4558 Email: paulbinkley41@yahoo.com. Visit: www.chesaningrcclub.org. Sponsor: CHESANING AREA MODEL FLYING CLUB INC

9/11/2011 -- Midland, MI (C) MIDLAND RC MODELERS AIR SHOW. Site: Club Field. Jerry Hahnfeld CD PH: 989-631-1168 Email: hahnfeld@juno.com. Visit: www.midlandrc.org. All AMA pilots welcome. Complimentary pilot lunch and pilot prizes. Beautiful field with 350' paved runway and 500' grass runway. Open flying and demonstration flights. 10AM to 4PM. Sponsor: MIDLAND RC MODELERS

AMA and FAA stage open forum at Joe Nall

The AMA's Government Relations team, headed by Rich Hanson, continues to press our case for exemption from FAA federal regulations. If you are one of the tens of thousands of aeromodelers who are anxious about government intervention in our hobby and sport, be sure to regularly visit the AMA's government relations area of our website. Click below to learn about the latest news, including recent coverage by the *Wall Street Journal* and the Smithsonian's *Air & Space* magazine. And check out the AMA/FAA open forum conducted at the Joe Nall Fly-In by clicking on AMA TV at right.



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May's winner of the Airplane Contest was

Peter Liehr

Congratulations!

Peter correctly identified Dave's Mini-Max

June's Airplane



• Airplane Contest Rules:
• Only paid members of the Flying Eagles Inc. Radio Control Club are eligible to win. All entries
• must be emailed to emkasper@speednetllc.com BEFORE the day before the meeting (before
• Wednesday). The winner will be drawn from all correct entries that have been received by that
• date and presented during the regular meeting (need not be present to win, even if you have won
• previously, you are still eligible to enter every month).

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Your Newsletter Editor,
Ellen Kasper