

# Thrust *Lines*

INDIANAPOLIS RC MODELERS CHAPTER 288  
NEWSLETTER

Blue River Airpark



June/July  
2006

## President's Corner



We had a great day for the Swap Meet and Flyin. We had several positive comments including Willis Louis from the Wright Flyers in New Castle and Stan Durnal from the Johnson County RC Flyers. Because of The Shelbyville News article, the wife and I had an opportunity to visit friends that we hadn't seen in 20 years.

Thanks to Barb at Hobby RC, all those who distributed our flyer, and spread the word by word of mouth, we had people that came from all over central Indiana. With better advance advertisement next year we should have an even better turn out. Plans are already in the works for next year.

Thanks to all of our members who came out in support. Also thanks to Andrea Warfield and the ladies who helped her, for providing concessions at the last minute.

Wishing everyone blue skies and calm winds.

## Pursuing a Dream

Some things come only once in a life time. It's great when it comes to a young man like John Peterson. He has been one who has supported his community and our club.

On June 28th he will be leaving our local community to serve our nation in preserving the freedom that we all enjoy. We wish him the best in the pursuit of his dream. We look to keeping in touch and following his progress.

Thanks to all who came to join the local community and John's family celebrate John's graduation and appointment to the Air Force Academy. We all had a great time and enjoyed the food that Paul and Jamie provided.

Outstanding party.

Good luck, John, in the Air Force, we know you will do well in the Academy.

Dennis McCarty

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**Our meetings** are the first Mon. of the month, at 7 pm. Our meeting place is at the New Palestine United Church, 15 E. Main, and a big parking lot is in the rear.

**Pictures of John Peterson's party and the Fly-in are in the Show and Tell section.**

## Just Wingin' It !

### Notes from the editor



The title of the article pretty much sums up the last few months. This issue is also a combo issue for June and July. It has been a challenging two months. I thought a combo issue would allow me to catch up and get back on track with publishing the newsletter.

First off my apologies to the club for the newsletter the last two months (May and June). With my tie-ups with work and helping take care of Lisa's dad these past few months. I myself spent most of May sick and then with Lisa's dad passing the end of May and trying to handle all the remaining items. it has been a rough couple of months. Lisa's Dad (Bill) is in a better place and no longer in pain.

Thank you from Lisa, Will, and Myself for the thoughts, and prayers.

Tim

## Club Member Accomplishment



Contributed by Steve Percifield

On May 6&7, 2006, Bob Condra finished 2nd at the IMAC contest in Clinton, Indiana. Bob was flying his 35% Yak 54 powered by a DA100 cc engine.

**Congratulations Bob!**

## Float Fly Reminder

The next date for the Float Fly at Roy Wilson's is tentatively set for Sunday August 6th @ 1 p.m.

The last one scheduled is for October 1st also @ 1p.m.

## May Meeting Minutes

### Indianapolis R/C Modelers Minutes for 5 June 06

Meeting called to order at 1908 by President Dennis McCarty.

Minutes of the May 06 meeting were read and approved as read.

**Treasurers Report:** Barb Middleton reported a balance of \$4011.57 as of 31 May 06.

**Visitors:** Tracy Trent

**New Members:** Arthur Cardenas

**Level Awards:** None

#### **Old business:**

Float Fly at Roy Wilson's place will be Sunday August 6<sup>th</sup> at 5pm and Sunday October 8<sup>th</sup> time TBD.

Thanks to all who worked at the Flyin and Swap Meet. Everyone liked the activities and we will do it again on 2 June 2007. Steve Piercefield will be the CD and submit the paperwork to AMA. Tim Cansler, Steve Piercefield and Roy Wilson will coordinate pre-event activities. We will need to layout the field for Campers.

#### **New business:**

Award was given for John Peterson in recognition for his graduation and acceptance into the Air Force Academy

#### **Show and tell:**

Scratch Built Newport 17 by Steve Piercefield

Fun Flyer by Jack Sallade

The meeting was closed at 2015

Ted Brindle, Secretary.

## LATE BREAKING NEWS

### 2006 Citywide Fun Fly

**The 2006 Indianapolis Citywide Fun Fly will be held at the Plainfield Screaming Eagles field on Saturday August 19th. More Details will follow both for the Fun Fly and Fun Fly Practice as they become available.**

# John Pederson's Dinner at the field.



Pictures from left clockwise:

The Pederson's

John and his airplane.

The food spread for the dinner.

Jack Sallade demonstrated how not to bring back an aircraft to the maintenance crew.

## June Meeting Show & Tell and Award



Left: Scratch Built Newport 17 by Steve Piercefield.

Bottom Left: Fun Flyer by Jack Sallade.

Bottom Right: Award presented to John Pederson by President Dennis McCarty.



## 03 July 2006 Meeting Minutes

### Indianapolis R/C Modelers

Meeting called to order at 1905 by President Dennis McCarty.

Minutes of the June 06 meeting were read and approved as read.

**Treasurers Report:** Barb Middleton reported a balance of \$3406.62 as of 30 Jun 06.

**Visitors:** None

**New Members:** None

**Level Awards:** None

**Old business:**

Tim Mills withdrew his request to look into flying helo's at the field.

Dennis McCarty reported on the Wright Flyers Festival – said it was a very nice event.

Steve Piercefield will send in the AMA Sanction paperwork for our Jun 2, 2007 flyin Swapfest

**New business:**

Dennis will get prices for club shirts and hats and email out the information

No date or location for Citywide yet but there will probably be one this year.

Jack Sallade will setup a couple of practice dates.

Tim Mills suggested that the club members get together and visit other clubs – he will coordinate.

Fall Club Picnic is Sunday 24 Sep 2006

**Show and tell:**

None –

Dave Palmer had some vinyl trim material for anyone that wanted it.

The meeting was closed at 1935

Ted Brindle, Secretary.

## Upcoming Events

### Fly-Ins

- Jul 4 - Aug 6, 2006 2006 NATS, Muncie Indiana <http://www.modelaircraft.org/events/>  
Jul 22, 2006 9AM Warbird Fly-In sponsored by Johnson Cnty R/C Flyers <http://www.jcrcf.net/>  
Sept 16 - 17, 2006 ADA Event benefit sponsored by Indy R/C South <http://www.indyrcsouth.org/>

### AirShows

- Jul 29 - 30, 2006 2006 Dayton Airshow <http://www.usats.org>  
Aug 5 - 6, 2006 2006 Thunder Over Michigan <http://www.yankeeairmuseum.org/airshow/>  
Aug 26 - 27, 2006 2006 Indianapolis AirShow <http://www.indyairshow.com>  
Sept 16 - 17, 2006 2006 Terre Haute Air Fair <http://www.terrehauteairfair.com>

### Non Flying events

- July 29 - 30, 2006 SubRegatta 2006 Sponsored by the Indy Admirals <http://Indyadmirals.org>



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