

Meetings: (monthly) 2nd Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom On The Internet Only For Now \*Club Meetings June - September Are Held At The Club's Flying Site Flying Site: 1 mile East of I-69 \*Exit 125 Then East To South Wayport Road Then Left (East) on Wylie Road, Bloomington, Indiana Website: http://www.monroecountyrcclub.org

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the pylons set up before the club meeting.

Congratulations on both milestones Charlie!

participating on the AMA NATS.

10:00 A.M to 2:00 P.M. Several club members helped Sparky get

Steve Dorsett reported that this year's "Charlie Built" fly-in will be held on Saturday, June 12th. The flying event where we

Martinsville but is being moved to the club field this year. Charlie

Mark reported that the annual bulk fuel order will be picked up

reports that he has built ninety-three airplanes during his ninety-

three years and he didn't even get started until after he retired!

at Muncie in June by Tim 1 & Tim 3 when they are up there

Mark reported that Deven Mellott will be mowing the club

celebrate all the aircraft created by club member Charlie

Thompson & locally owned by many club members has

traditionally been held at Nebo Memorial R/C Field in

## June 2021 Edition

**May Meeting Notes:** 

There was a chilly wind at the club field when the May 12th meeting was called to order at 7:00:17 by president Mark Sexton but at least it was sunny with a temperature of 60.

VP / Treasurer Rick Hill reported that he paid for the club's post office box for 2021 but said the price keeps going higher & higher. It was decided that we will drop the post office box in 2022 & change the official club business address to somebody's home address to save money.

Bart Johnson rejoined the club after a long break & was voted back in. Welcome back Bart!

New member Tim Gehres (Tim 4) has been checked out & declared safe to practice at the club field with his UMX Timber. Good work Tim!

Bob Shireman purchased the shirt that Mark has been trying to sell for many months. Thanks Bobby! Mark got so sick of trying to sell the jacket with the white club logo that he purchased it himself & gave it to his wife Tina.

Tim Mellott (Tim 2) was not at the club meeting so Mark



field on Thursdays now with Friday as the rain date. It was reported that Lane Jorgensen has been patching bad spots on the runway mat & that it needs to be rolled. The wind

socks at the club field are in pretty bad shape. Clint Seyer volunteered to replace them. Thanks Clint! Secretary Tim Porter & Tim Sparks reported on their trip to the

& Rick reported on the May 8th club swap meet. Thirty-eight of the fifty available tables were sold & attendance was good. The club did pretty well considering the plague restrictions & the short notice of the event. Thanks to all who participated & to those club members that helped set up & tear down! Thanks also to the Cloverleaf restaurant for being open at 6:00 A.M. for breakfast. We found out that the Cracker Barrel is on modified hours & doesn't open till 7:00 A.M. There was little discussion on having another swap meet this Fall. Maybe more on that later.

Tim Sparks (Tim 1) reported that he is looking for helpers for the pylon races scheduled at the club field on May 22nd from "Sun & Fun" full scale event in Florida. They checked in via "Zoom" during the April club meeting.

Steve Dorsett didn't have anything for "Stick's Safety Corner" but reported that he is still gathering supplies for the fence work at the club field & reminded everyone to be kind.

Roman Chrzanowski reported that he has a friend from Georgia that wants to visit our field & fly his "giant" scale model airplane during one of our events.

Mark Clarebout didn't know he had the coveted "Dork Award" since last month so he hadn't been looking for a new candidate. Dr. Matt Fornefeld was absent from the meeting & he has the actual award but club president Mark Sexton (Mark 1) presented Mark Calerbout (Mark 2) with a paper certificate to commemorate the achievement.

Joe Jackson provided some information to correct the passed & life member lists that were recently added to the club webpage. Thanks Joe!

The meeting was closed at 7:50:18 & it was reported that two members attended via "Zoom". Nobody remembered to count the club members who attended "live" at the field. That's normally Tim 2 Mellott's thing but he was absent.

Interesting Bits...

Who knew? Les & Bonnie Mobley got married May 14th on Lane Jorgensen's birthday! Happy anniversary Les & Bonnie and happy birthday to Lane! Les & Bonnie have a way to go to catch up with Lane & Lane has a way to go to catch up with Charlie.

We wrapped up another indoor flying season on May 21st in the gym at Paragon Elementary School. The three hundred bucks that was collected during the school year was donated back to the school & we gave a little tip to our host Angela for putting up with us for another season. Thanks to the school for allowing us to practice our depth perception indoors where it was nice, warm, & dry during the Winter months & thanks to those who participated!

I received this pylon racing report & picture from Tim Sparks on May 17th. Thanks Tim!

Team Prowler with Tim Porter, Matt Fornefeld, Clint Seyer, & Tim Sparks swept the competition last weekend in the first CAPS race of the season held at The AMA flying site near Muncie, Indiana. The team competed in Electric Pylon racing (pictured here) and Glow powered Quickie racers on Sunday winning both classes they competed in.



Sparky emailed his pylon report from the event held at the club field on May 22nd to the whole club list. If you didn't get it, there should be a recap at the June 9th club meeting.

## **Event Calendar 2021**

June 5 Columbus War Bird Fly-In June 9th MCRCC Monthly Club Meeting June 12th "Charlie Built" Fly-In (MCRCC Club Field) June 12 Indy RC Modelers Cubs and Floaty Flyers June 26th Pylon Racing (MCRCC Field) July 10 Indy RC Modelers Fly Anything RC July 14th MCRCC Monthly Club Meeting August 8th MCRCC Nothin But Cubs Fly-In(Club Field) August 11th MCRCC Monthly Club Meeting Aug 21 Indy RC Modelers Toys for Tots Flyin September 8th MCRCC Monthly Club Meeting September 12th MCRCC Big Bird Fly-In (Club Field) Sep 25 Indy RC Modelers All Electric Flyin and Swap Meet **October 13th MCRCC Monthly Club Meeting** November 6th Dave Poland's Bonfire November 10th MCRCC Monthly Club Meeting December 8th MCRCC Monthly Club Meeting

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