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NW Seaplane Championships

The fortieth annual NW Seaplane Championships were held July 11, 12, 13 at Pine Hollow Resort, near Wamic, OR. The weather was really dialed in. It couldn't have been better.

Thirteen flyers made eighteen entries in three classes. The results were:

Scale

1st Bill Bachman
2nd Dick Hansen
3rd Bob Raser
4th Bob Oeck

Electric

1st Luiz Munoz
2nd Corey Parsons
3rd Bob Oeck
4th Bob Raser

Fun

1st Nelson Scott
2nd Steve Saylor
3rd Bob Raser
4th Bob Hoover

Another truly earth shattering mind blowing event was Dick Hansen actually flying an ELECTRIC powered airplane, successfully too. Welcome to the new millennium Dick. Bob Oeck put his electric cub at risk to make this event happen.

Pictures are on our web site

www.flyinghighinsandy.com/skyknights/

August Meeting

The August meeting will be at Orient Field. The annual group picture will be taken. Come early and fly a while!

Evergreen Scale Rally

Twenty one flyers gathered at Sharp's Field August 1, 2, and 3 for the annual Evergreen Scale Rally. The weather wasn't quite as perfect as it was at Pine Hollow but it was close. There were a couple of write-offs but mostly the flying was impressive. There were quite a few of us spectators and we saw a good show. Pictures are on the web site at www.flyinghighinsandy.com/skyknights/

Results were:

Expert

1st Jeremy Fursman DH2A Tiger Moth
2nd Roly Worsfold J-3 Cub
3rd Paul Haynes Nieuport 28
5th Dick Hansen Nieuport 11
6th Bob Raser Sopwith 1 ½ Strut

Fun Scale

1st Kyle Wilson Piper Cub
2nd Kelly Martin Super Cub
3rd Sean Wilson Cap 232
8th Bob Oeck Stearman

Open

1st Rick Dunn J-3 Cub

Team Scale

1st Jeremy Fursman / Randy Smithhisler
J-3 Cub

Event Calendar

August 9, Fun Fly at Tillamook
No contests, no fees (donations accepted)
<http://www.oregoncoast.com/rc/airfield.htm>
Call Stuart Hoffman (503) 842-7893

August 15, 16, 17 Dawn Patrol

Grant Sharp's Field, Molalla, OR
<http://www.molrca.com/Events/events.htm>
Open to WW I and earlier scale models of all sizes. No contests but there will be races and prizes.
Open flying all three days

August 16, 17 OMAS 2008 Airshow
OMAS field / lake Banks OR
Contact www.omas-rc.org for map and info or call Chris Elliott at 503-475-5101

August 23 The Electric Goose
Electric RC competition / fun fly
McMinnville
Contact Roger Weeks
503-554-8187 or rogerrc3@verizon.net

September 19-20 Cub Nuts
Grant Sharp's Field, Molalla, OR
<http://www.molrca.com/Events/events.htm>
Open to scale models of Piper Cubs, Taylorcraft, Aeronca, Citabria, Stinson, and similar airplanes
Gas, glow, electric, or rubber power OK
Scale towing on Friday

September 27 Rubber Ducky The Second
Probably at OMAS. More info in the September Flight Line.

Club Meetings

Club meetings are held the second Monday of each month at 7:00 at Camp Withycombe (Oregon National Guard) 10101 SE Clackamas Rd, Clackamas, OR 97015

New Flying Field

Our negotiating team, Dale McDonald, Corey Parsons, and Chuck Adams, approved a contract with the Sandy River Airport. Dale will present the details at the August 11 meeting. Everything is pretty much as presented at the July meeting except that we are going with a month-by-month arrangement for a while. This will be considered a trial period to make sure it works for us.

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Executive Board Meeting Info

Exec Board meeting are held the first Monday of the month, except the September meeting will be held on the 2nd. The meal starts about 6:30 and the meeting starts about 7:00. All members are invited to attend.

Exec Board meeting hosts are:

September Open (We need a volunteer!)

October Andy Waterman
November Open
December Open

Velvet Wing Fund

This is an emergency fund begun many years ago to help the survivors of a SkyKnight who has passed away bridge the gap between a last payday, and any insurance payments. Subscriptions to the fund cost \$5. When a participant goes to the "great flying field in the sky", the fund administrator delivers the fund money (currently \$198) to the designated survivor,

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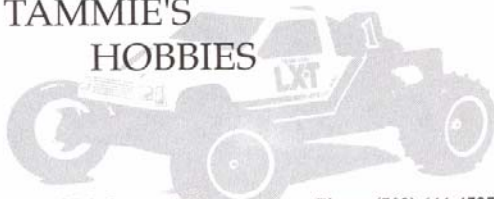
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