



January 5, 2019

AMA Chartered Club # 4095

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4011 Baker Rd, East New Market, MD

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Dear Member,

Happy New Year !

A small but happy bunch of RC pilots gathered at the field on January 1 to start the new year off right with an early flight. George Fox was the first in the air followed by Steve Piasecki, Jack Rosemere and Skip Messick. "So What! ???", you might be thinking. Well, as we grow up, one of the things that we must decide for ourselves is what to continue doing and what to outgrow. Family traditions face the same struggle to survive as children grow up and have children of their own and schedules get complicated and even situations of 'dueling traditions' emerge with spouses bringing traditions from two families

which must compete for the same time slot. And so our hobby faces mini versions of the larger forces interacting with each of us in our lives. It is nice that we can continue to participate in the hobby at almost any age, so that age alone does not have to stop us- we can choose to participate or let it go. For certain, changing priorities do have an impact- and this is why a few members gather each January 1 to wish each other Happy New Year and get that first flight in. If you stop believing in Santa Clause, then you no longer receive gifts from Santa. In the same way, choosing not to head out to the field on any given day eliminates the joys and benefits that come from meeting your RC friends and getting a flight in. In this year ahead, your club will move to a new field and welcome friends from there. I can predict with certainty that some things will be GREAT and some other things not so great. We do look forward with hope and excitement to continuing the traditions that have made our club strong.

See you soon,

Jack





A Meeting was called to order on . . .

December 12, 2018 at the Train Station at 7pm for the annual Christmas Meeting / potluck. The Treasurer reported \$3,918.17 in checking and \$2,135.91 in savings. We have 19 paid up members compared to the 58 total for the prior year. With renewal activity during the meeting, the total paid up rose to 26.

Members who had ordered shirts and hats took delivery and paid up. Thanks to everyone for making this order work. We have a couple of extra hats available should anybody else want one- see Jack Rosemere.

We have nothing of substance to report about the new field- it is seeded and is growing grass in between getting too much rain. The current field will be accessible until around April. We should pray for a drying spell and mild winter so that we can grab some time to move that doesn't involve mud boots. George confirmed that he plans to submit a request to AMA for a field grant in the Spring.

There being nobody interested in further discussion, and the smell of food

permeating the room, the meeting was called to a close and the group circled the food table.

Clean up was done by 9pm.

The Official 2019 Club Calendar- Check the website for more up to the minute schedule changes.

- January 9 - Club meeting at the Train Station 7pm
- February 13 - Club meeting at the Train Station 7pm
- March 13 - Club meeting at the Train Station 7pm
- April 10 - Club meeting at the Train Station 7pm
- April 27 - Jet Rally
- May 8 - Club meeting at the Train Station 7pm
- June 12 - Club meeting at the Field 7pm
- June ?? - IMAC Competition

- July 10 - Club meeting at the Field 7pm
- August 10-11 - Jim Coll Control Line Stunt Contest
- August 14 - Club meeting at the Field 7pm
- August ?? - IMAC Competition
- September 11 - Club meeting at the Field 7pm
- October 9 - Club meeting at the Train Station 7pm
- November 13 - Club meeting at the Train Station 7pm
- December 11 - Christmas Party Meeting 7pm — at the Train Station - potluck

Happy Birthday to You . .



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