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Next Meeting is Tuesday August 15th @ 8:00PM.
The New meeting location is the new Salem Library
Located on Rt 85 about one mile North of the Salem
Four Corners.

July 2006 NEWSLETTER

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<http://www.rcpropbusters.com>

**TIME TO VOLUNTEER TO HELP OUT AT THE 2006 EVENTS, CONTACT THE CD.
REMEMBER TO ATTEND THE MARK RICE MEMORIAL NEIGHBORHOOD FUN FLY Aug 13, 06.**

Tip of the Month

If you want a great new Club Jacket, fill out the form available on our website and send it in with a check. These are baseball type quilt lined jackets with a zipper front. Large



On the back and your name on the front. Black with yellow embroidery.

TRAINERS NEEDED FOR THE NEIGHBORHOOD FUN FLY

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PLEASE SUBMIT:
CONSTRUCTION ARTICLES, COMMENTS, POTENTIAL NEW FLYING SITES WE SHOULD LOOK INTO, RECOMMENDATIONS HOW TO IMPROVE OUR NEWSLETTER OR OUR CLUB, EVENTS COMING UP AT OTHER CLUBS OR AIR SHOWS, ETC. THIS IS YOUR NEWSLETTER SO PLEASE USE IT.

CHECK OUT OUR NEW WEB SITE. RICH IPPILITO IS DOING A FANTASTIC JOB. E-MAIL BOXES ARE AVAILABLE, WE HAVE A FORUM TO SHARE IDEAS AND HELP EACH OTHER, MANY PHOTOS ARE ON THE WEB SITE AND IT IS ALL YOURS TO USE AND ENJOY. JOIN THE FUN, SEND IN PICTURES TO RICH OR TO FRED MEYER OR POST THEM IN THE FORUM.

For Sale

1. N.I.B. BIY Lazer cut kit for 60" Ultimate Pitts Biplane by Lanier. \$95.00 OBO.
2. Vultee Vigilant L1-A, 74" 1940 era high wing observation plane, Saito .91, Airtronics internals, Solartex covering, flaps & leading edge slots. Low time, great shape, \$300.00 complete or \$250.00 W/O Rx OBO.
3. 84" Flybaby built from a Dynaflite Kit, added flaps, Solartex fabric, 3 pc wing for easy transport, set up for an OS 1.60 twin but a good 1.20 4Cycle would do the job (have a spare cowling, new) low time, great shape, \$300.00 W/O engine OBO.
4. NIB Super Tiger 2000, radial mount included, \$80.00 OBO.
5. 52" American Ace, a 1940 Henry Struck FF design built from plans with 3 channel RC assist, Fox .15 power, a real floater. \$150.00 OBO.

"COME TAKE A LOOK, YOU MIGHT LIKE WHAT YOU SEE"

Call Bob Haines at 860-367-0632 or visit him at 22 Heather Brooks Rd., Uncasville, CT

1/3 scale cub (THIS IS A GREAT DEAL, GO SEE IT)

- 4 - $\frac{1}{4}$ scale Futaba servos with Metal Gears
- 1 - Fuji 50cc gas engine with spring starter New in Box
- 1 - J-3 cowl
- 1 - PA-12 cowl
- 1 - Set of Balsa USA struts for 1/3 scale Cub. Need fabrication.
- 1 - fuel tank 1500cc (fly for ever) All this for \$1,100.00

Call Les Haley (860)536-4082 or e-mail lhaleyrc@aol.com

- Cessna 182, OS .40 engine, Navigation Lights, Landing Lights, Radio. Ready to fly \$325.00
- Super Sport . OS 40 engine, Radio. Ready to Fly \$295.00
- Hanger 9 P-51 with Retracts, Saito GK .65 engine, Cockpit detail, Radio, Ready to fly \$400.00
- Field box w/tools, fuel pump, tachometer, spare parts, etc. \$ 40.00

Call Guy Smith: (860) 536-5496 Located in Groton, CT

Special thanks to Bill Fishman at Rapid Press for printing our Newsletter. If you have a big print job call him at 203-348-8884.

REMAINING EVENTS FOR 2006

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| • August 13 | Neighborhood Fun Fly | Contact Ray Knieriem | 860-887-2743 |
| • August 26 | Club Fun Fly | Contact John Banks IV | 860-434-0804 |
| • Sept 16-17 | Helicopter Fly-In | Contact Eric Ehrenfels | 860-501-0437 |
| • Sept 22-24 | District I fun fly open to all AMA members | | 860-536-9704 |

Blue Angels Program Schedule

Sept 30	Nantucket, MA	Oct 1	Nantucket, MA
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CLUB INSTRUCTORS

TOM VERNON - CHIEF PILOT	860-434-1211	ED AVENA - FIXED WING	860-443-9617
JOHN BANKS IV - FIXED WING	860-434-0804	BOB BOUDREAU - FIXED WING	860-443-8421
JOE COMEROSKI - HELI	860-848-3184	DENNIS DUPLICE - BOTH	860-376-6230
RON CZIKOWSKY -FIXED WING	860-388-2953	RICH IPPOLITO - BOTH	860-443-0085
ERIC EHRENFELS - HELI	860-501-0437	FRED MEYER - FIXED WING	860-445-7694
BRIAN JOLLICOEUR - FIXED WING	860-464-9315	DICK WILKINS - FIXED WING	860-434-1211
DOMINIC TRANCHIDA -FIXED WING	860-442-8145	MORE INSTRUCTORS NEEDED	

IF YOU ARE A STUDENT HOOK UP WITH ONE OF THESE MEN AND GET TRAINED. ANY CLUB PILOT CAN TRAIN YOU, BUT AN INSTRUCTOR MUST SIGN YOU OFF TO FLY SOLO.


AMA DISTRICT I SPONSORED

"BIG BIRD" FUN-FLY & AIRSHOW


AUGUST 4th thru 6th, 2006

Woodstock Airport, Connecticut


Hosted by Woodstock R/C Flyers



SCALE WARBIRDS



3D GIANTS



TURBINE JETS

- FREE - NO LANDING FEE
- PAVED RUNWAY 2,200'
- RV & TRAILER PARKING
- FOOD & REFRESHMENTS
- REST FACILITIES
- VENDORS WELCOME
- NEARBY MOTELS
- STATIC DISPLAY AREA
- SELLING AREA (INQUIRE)
- AWARDS, RAFFLES, PRIZES

CONTACT: CD - Ed Faria (508) 678-6404, provair@aol.com /
D1VP- Andy Argenio (401) 231-5380, andy@brandshobby.com
/ ED - Bruce Fortin (860) 963-7822 / www.amadistrict1.com

ALL AMA MEMBERS WELCOME

Friday open flying.

Saturday register at 8am & Fly from 9am-5pm "Big Birds" (IMAA Legal Size Only)
Open Flying after 5pm till dusk.
Night flying for electrics only.

Sunday "Big Birds" from 9am - 3pm followed by open flying until 5pm.
There will be selected times each day for demonstration flying of 3D Aerobatic, Warbird or Turbine airplanes.

**THIS WILL BE A GREAT EVENT TO ATTEND AS A PILOT OR A SPECTATOR.
ALL PLANES MUST BE IMAA LEGAL TO FLY DURING SPECIFIED HOURS;
ANYTHING GOES THEREAFTER.**

SIGN UP SHEET

WE NEED HELP TO RUN THE AMA DISTRICT I FUN FLY AND AIR SHOW.

THIS EVENT WILL RUN FROM SEPT 22ND TO SEPT 24TH AND WE COULD EASILY HAVE OVER 60 PILOTS FROM ALL OVER THE DISCTICT ATTEND.

WE NEED HELP WITH PARKING CONTROL, COOKING, FLIGHT LINE SAFETY, SET UP, CLEAN UP, AUCTIONS, AND MANY OTHER REQUIREMENTS THAT MAY ARISE. WE WILL NEED ABOUT 20 PEOPLE EACH DAY TO SUPPORT THIS EVENT PROPERLY.

PLEASE FILL OUT THIS FORM AND SEND TO:

JORGE CINTRON

4 THOMPSON STREET
LEDYARD, CT 06339

OR E-MAIL TO FRED MEYER AT:

fmeyer@rcpropbusters.com

ACTIVITY	NAME PHONE NUMBER	DATE(S) AVAILABLE SEPT 22, 23, 24
PARKING CONTROL		
COOKING		
FLIGHT LINE SAFETY		
AUCTIONS		
CLEAN-UP		
FIELD MAINTAINANCE & DAILY SET UP		
TRASH DISPOSAL		

This is a great opportunity for the club to get wide spread recognition as one of the best and oldest clubs in Connecticut plus we can increase our treasury via food sales and auctions. Lend a hand and sign up ASAP.



SCALE & TRAINERS

2ND ANNUAL DISTRICT 1 SPONSORED AMA FUN-FLY & AIRSHOW SEPTEMBER 22ND thru 24th, 2006

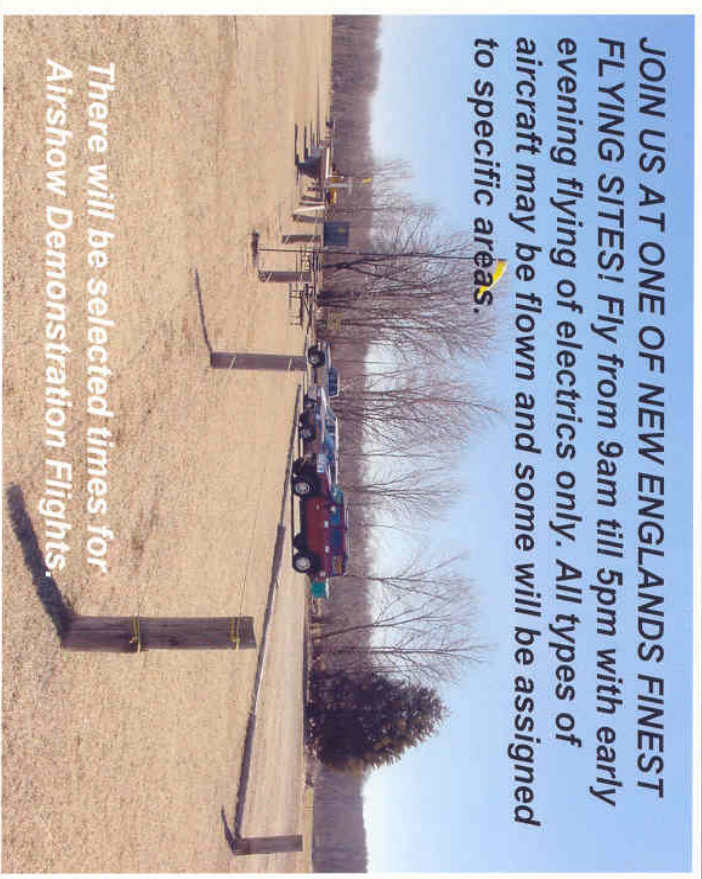
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AEROBATIC



- AMA MEMBERS FREE
- HUGE GRASS RUNWAY
- RV & TRAILER PARKING
- FOOD / REFRESHMENTS
- VENDORS WELCOME
- NEARBY MOTELS
- STATIC DISPLAY AREA
- SELLING AREA (INQUIRE)
- RAFFLES / PRIZES



JOIN US AT ONE OF NEW ENGLANDS FINEST FLYING SITES! Fly from 9am till 5pm with early evening flying of electrics only. All types of aircraft may be flown and some will be assigned to specific areas.

There will be selected times for Airshow Demonstration Flights.



SPORT

INFORMATION / CONTACTS:

CD - *Ed Faria* (508) 678-6404, provair@aol.com

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HELIES

Minutes of July 18, 2006 Meeting

The July 18, 2006 meeting of the RC Propbusters was called to order at 8:00 PM with 18 members present. The minutes of the June meeting were read by Bernie Liskov and accepted as read with one correction. At the May meeting, the plane of the month was the Electric ARF glider which was presented by John Behne and not George Young as reported. Sorry. The treasurers' monthly report was read by Ron Czikowsky and is as follows. The beginning balance was \$8,016.27, total income was \$200.00, total expenses were \$2,700.00 and the ending balance was \$5516.27. The report was accepted as read.

Committees

The Henry Struck Electric Fun Fly is this coming weekend. George Cintron said that there will be 2 raffles for 2 kits on Saturday and again on Sunday. George is looking for help and many present at the meeting said they would help.

Ray discussed the Neighborhood Fun Fly. He said that the CATO rocket guys would do a demonstration from 11:00 to 12:00 on Saturday. Flying will begin at 9:00 AM on both days. There is a major need for more trainer type aircraft. Even if you don't want to be a trainer pilot we could use the planes along with trainer cords. A motion was made to give away a club membership, a RTF airplane, an engine and a radio as a no cost lottery. The cost is to be less than \$300.00. The motion passed.

The committee for the AMA event held a meeting at 7:00 PM where we discussed various aspects of the meet. The largest need was that about 50 of the club members are needed at different times during the 3 day event. Fred and George will be contacting all of the members. The jobs are as follows: Parking attendants, impound, flight line management, food cooking, money collecting at food concession, vender liaison, garbage collection, 50-50 raffle person, another raffle person, etc. This meet is a very big deal. Now is the time for all of the members to step up and become a part of something great. There will be a master list that will be created showing the times you are available to work and the jobs you will be doing. Please help!!!

Old Business:

There was none.

New Business:

Dennis spoke about the fact that Jack Holmgren found a 2 year old riding lawnmower with a bagger attachment in excellent condition at Bozrah Hardware. It was such a good buy at a time when the Huskvarna is really getting tired. In order to not lose this opportunity, Dennis called a special meeting on short notice at the Exit 23 Restaurant where the purchase was discussed. A motion to buy the mower was made and passed. Bozrah Hardware not only serviced the mower but has given us a 2 year warranty on it as well. The Huskavarna mower is for sale and Ron Czikowsky may have someone where he works interested in it for \$300.00.

New Members

Three new members were voted in to join the club. They are Howard Manuel, drew Ogilvie, and Donald Tracy. Welcome.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 PM

Respectively submitted by Bernie Liskov.