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Next Meeting is Tuesday May 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.

## MAY NEWSLETTER

Visit RC Propbusters online at:  
<http://www.rcpropbusters.com>

### **TIP OF THE MONTH**

Lots of daylight is yours to use prior to coming to the meeting, so come on out and fly for a few hours and enjoy the camaraderie of fellow members of the RC Propbusters

**JUST DO IT**

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FOR THOSE OF YOU HAVE SENT IN THEIR 2007 APPLICATION, THE CARDS ARE READY THEY WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE MEETING. IF YOU CANNOT ATTEND SEND A SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE TO;  
BILL MARES  
145 PRESTON ALLEN ROAD  
LISBON, CT 06351  
HE WILL ENCLOSE THE 2007 CARD IN THE SASE AND RETURN IT TO YOU. PLEASE NOTE ON A FOLLOWING PAGE HOW WE INTEND TO USE THE CARD THIS YEAR.

**CHECK OUT OUR WEB SITE. RICH IPPILITO IS DOING A FANTASTIC JOB.**

## For Sale

### 1/3 scale cub (THIS IS A GREAT DEAL THAT JUST GOT BETTER, 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 \$975.00 or make an offer.
- JR 9303 PCB Tx, 9Channels w/ 30 model memory & PCM 9 Ch 649S Rx +charger and Manual. \$250.00

Call Les Haley (860)536-4082, Cell 860-705-9391 or e-mail [lhaleyrc@aol.com](mailto:lhaleyrc@aol.com)

- Aero Works 29% Katana, WS=84", L=75" Wing Area=1270 sq. in. complete with Brisson 3.2 Engine & servos, add a receiver and it's ready to fly. \$900.00

Call Bernie Liskov 860-447-9561 or e-mail: [bliskov@ct.metrocast.net](mailto:bliskov@ct.metrocast.net)

### **Composite Arf 2.6M Extra 330 (33%) RTF!!!**

- All composite construction
- ZDZ 80cc
- JTEC Custom Exhaust
- Hitec 5945 servos x8 all around (4 aileron, 2 rudder, 2 elevator)
- Hitec 635HB Throttle Servo
- Futaba 3003 Choke Servo
- Fromeco Lithium Ion Batteries: 2-2400mah receiver batteries, 1-2400 ignition
- 3- Fromeco Voltage Regulators with built in failsafe pin switches
- 3-Smart Fly Equalizer servo-matching devices (2 aileron, 1 rudder)
- JR 959 9 channel RX
- Airwild Offset Bellcrank rudder servo tray
- All Airwild MLP Aluminum 1.5" and 2.0" servo arms
- All HD Airwild Servo Extensions
- H9 Titanium pro-links
- Menx 26x8 prop-3D
- MSC 26x10 prop for sport flying/precision aerobatics
- Dave Brown 5" Spinner
- NEW Extra set of aluminum landing from TNT Products-undrilled

Airplane never crashed or damaged. Paintjob could use some touch up and although current canopy works, it could use a new one which is available from Comp Arf for 30\$. 3D and Precision flight is excellent. Flies VERY light at 23 pounds dry. Asking \$2200 RTF with RX, Asking \$2100 RTF without RX.

Any questions call John Banks at 860.867.6599 or email [john\\_banks@hotmail.com](mailto:john_banks@hotmail.com) for pictures.

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**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.**

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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.

**How your membership card will be used this year**

Cut a slot on the short side and install the clip provided. Use CA to fix the metal clip to the plastic strap.

Glue a clothes pin or clip to the back of the membership card. This is the easiest solution.

Please remember to use your new card as your frequency pin. All of the frequencies you use are printed on the card so make sure you locate it correctly.

## 2007 CALENDAR of EVENTS

### IMAC EVENT

CD: John Banks 860-434-0804  
e-mail: [john\\_banks@hotmail.com](mailto:john_banks@hotmail.com)

Event Dates: June 16-17, 2007

### Henry Struck Memorial Electric Fun Fly

CD: Jorge Cintron 860-536-9704  
e-mail: [emilia@snet.net](mailto:emilia@snet.net)

Event Dates: July 21-22, 2007

### Warbirds & Vintage Over Salem, a Memorial for Ed Avena & Bob Berringer

CD: Fred Meyer 860-445-7694  
e-mail: [fandpm@tvconnect.net](mailto:fandpm@tvconnect.net)

Event Dates: August 4-5, 2007

### Neighborhood Fun Fly

CD: Dennis Duplice 860-376-6230 e-mail: [dduplice@adelphia.com](mailto:dduplice@adelphia.com)  
Asst: Ray Knierniem 860-887-8610 e-mail: [BinaryEd@snet.net](mailto:BinaryEd@snet.net)

Event Date: August 12, 2007

### Connecticut Choppers Fun Fly

CD: Mike Swift 860-448-2246  
e-mail: [mikes3d@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mikes3d@sbcglobal.net)

1. The Club Fun Fly may be held in conjunction with clean up day. To be announced.

# YANKEE FLYERS OF CT. FLOAT FLYS

Schedule for 2007

May 06, 2007

Aug 26, 2007

Sept 23, 2007

Location: West Thompson Lake in Thompson Connecticut  
on the west side of the boat ramp.

For Info: [www.yankee-flyers.com](http://www.yankee-flyers.com)

1. \$5.00 landing field pays for the permit.
2. Only models set up to fly off water will be permitted to fly.
3. 2007 AMA membership required.
4. flying time will be 9:00AM to 4:00PM.
5. A boat will be available to retrieve aircraft if needed.
6. The fliers will face the west so Sun is not a problem.
7. Issues that must be followed.
  - a. You must have an observer with you to watch out for boats and fisherman.
  - b. To reduce the risk of a collision, the flying pattern must be followed.
  - c. You may not buzz the beach area to reduce the risk of a crash in the parking area or spectator area.

Sponsored by the Yankee Flyers of CT. Paul Horanzy coordinator,

Telephone: 1-860-935-5050

e-mail: [pshoranzy@snet.net](mailto:pshoranzy@snet.net)

Directions: I-395 to Exit 99, Rt 200 to Thompson Center, follow signs to the  
West Thompson Lake Boat Ramp.

## **April 2007 Minutes**

The April 17th, 2007 meeting of the RC Propbusters was called to order at 8:01pm with 21 members present.

A reading of the March meeting's minutes was accepted as read.

The Treasurers report was also accepted as read.

### **Old Business:**

Events: There were no new updates on any of the events.

Entrance Road: Members were asked to use caution when entering the field with all of the rain we have had as to not tear up the road.

Field Cleanup: A mass-email will be sent out regarding the field cleanup day which is scheduled to occur on April 28, 2007. Please attend as we will need a good turn out to complete the tasks to get our field ready for the 2007 season!

Salem School: Dennis reported that we have received the insurance certificate from the AMA and that he was working on coming up with a flying schedule at the Salem School.

### **New Business:**

Indoor Fly In: Indoor flying at the Mohegan Sun Arena will be held on Tuesday, May 1<sup>st</sup>. Members are asked to call Dennis for details and to sign up for the event.

Field Rules: Tom Vernon reported that he has updated all of the field rules and regulations to reflect the most recent changes made by the membership.

AMA Event: This event is still in limbo for us as the dates that we would need to host the event are not available. Andy Argenio reported that he had not heard from another host club yet, so we may still be on the list to host another district fly-in.

### **Good and Welfare of the Club:**

It was reported that Bob Haines recently underwent heart surgery and has returned home and is recovering nicely.

One new member was voted into the club. A big welcome goes out to Ronald Gernhard!

**The meeting was adjourned at 8:46 pm.**

Respectively Submitted by John Banks, standing in for Bill Mahers.