

The President's Thoughts By Mickey Breunig, President

I hope this finds everyone heathy and doing well. This is a time we all must take precautions to remain safe from the COVOD19 virus. We must take every reasonable precaution. With this in mind, I have seen no reason to close the field.

Governor Bashear has allowed golf courses to stay open as long as the social distancing rules are observed. The model airplane field has the same possibility of observing the social distancing rules. Our club has a very good record for following rules and I have no doubt we can follow these simple rules.

The weather was very nice Saturday and several people took advantage of the favorable conditions to get in a few flights. From what I observed checking the cameras, everyone kept a safe distance from each other. This was also displayed in the pictures I received from Saturday's flying. As long as we are this diligent about following the social distancing rules we should be able to keep the field open.

Each of us should consider more precautions than just social distancing when going to the field. If using one of the picnic tables, it should first be wiped down with a bleach solution. We should also consider taking our own chair to the field.

More than anything take care of yourselves and those around you.

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Minutes of March 9, 2020 Meeting

The meeting of the LMAC club was called to order by Mickey Breunig on March 12 at 7:04 p.m. There were 13 members present. The March meeting was held at the Buds Gun Shop.

Motion made to approve February Meeting minutes by Mickey B. Second by Curtis Adams

The April meeting is scheduled for: Canceled Due to CORVID-19 Virus

Thursday, April 9, 2020, 7:00pm

Meeting Location:

Buds Gun Shop

1105 Industry Road Lexington Ky

There were no reports from safety, training, or senior advisor. Our guest speaker this month will be Jim Martin, the Associate Vice President for District 3 in Academy of Model Aeronautics (AMA). Jim's experiences and training qualify him to address many of the questions one may have regarding the FAA Remote ID Ruling.

Treasurers Report: Given by Carroll Ware Sr. 70 paid members as of March 9. No Funds in Airfield Account. Checking Balance \$16,403.08

Old Business: Discussion on the name for the memorial fly in was discussed. Curtis Adams suggested for following names:

- Legends Aviation Day Fly-In Scheduled for August 15
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New Business:

The 2020 Combination Lock at the LMAC field will be put in place on April 1. The 2019 Combination Lock will be removed March 31. Motion made by approve by Mickey B. and second by Gary Hyde.

A motion to adjourn was made by Mickey Breunig and second by Gary Hyde.

The meeting adjourned at 7:14 p.m.

Jim Martin spoke on AMA and FAA Ruling.

Treasurer's ReportBy Carroll Ware, Treasurer





No Treasurers Report Submitted At Time of Publishing.



Legends Aviation Day Fly In

Lew McFarland Aviation Day Fly-In, August 15, 2020 Hosted by The Lexington Model Airplane Club

Hello Everyone,

Consider this your formal invitation to take part in a very special Fly-in. The Lexington Model Airplane Club will be hosting a Fly-in on National Model Aviation day - August 15, 2020. Start time 9 am. End time – When you get enough flying. We are planning to make this a special day to honor our past and present members who aren't flying anymore but still want to be involved in the hobby. We will also have open flying for those of you who just want to fly.

The plan is to have people bring out a plane or planes that belonged to one of our past member or as I stated above a member that isn't active but you would like to honor them. The planes don't have to be flying. Any plane from a past or non-flying present member is welcome. This isn't limited to LMAC members we welcome planes of other clubs and their members as well. Flying the plane is optional but we would like to have you spend a few minutes talking about the plane and the past member that owned the plane.

Mark your calendar for this event and invite anyone you think might enjoy this event. We will have plenty of time for open flying if you don't want to bring a plane from the past. Just come out and enjoy the day. I think you will find it to be a great event that will always stand out in your mind as a special day. We will have more details later.

Thank you for being a Member of LMAC, Curtis Adams



Lew McFarland Model Aviation Day Fly-in

An event to recognize those Past and Present who aren't active or are no

longer with us.

Lexington Model Airplane Club Facility

Airfield address: 4200 Hedger Lane, Lexington, KY.

See www.lmacky.org for directions

Date 8.15.2020, 9am - 5 pm.

No landing fee. Donations accepted Lunch will be available. Donations accepted

This is a non-chartered fly-in. AMA membership is required.

Any type and size plane is welcome.

Open flying all day except for the time taken to honor some of those we want to recognize / remember.

Come out and help us celebrate some of the people that have helped make our hobby great. If you have a plane that belonged to some one who is no longer actively flying or is no longer with us or please bring it out and let us see it. We would like for you to say a few words about the plane and it's owner.



As you can see I have put in a picture of our friend Lew McFarland. Lew is a perfect example of why we need to remember these past members and what they contributed to our hobby. Lew is holding a plane he designed for control-line stunt flying. This plane was called the shark and I am told it took the world of stunt flying by storm. He kitted the plane and I believe he won the control line nationals with it. Of course we can't forget that he sold most of us everything we needed to build and fly our planes. So with Lew in mind let's see how many planes from your hanger belonged to one of the people you want to remember.











Blast from the Past By David J. Price

In these unprecedented times, due to COVID-19, it is my hope that all fellow flyers and their families are healthy and safe. Since we are stuck at home, keep building airplanes, safety-check your flying planes, inspect support gear, charge and cycle batteries. In other words, Have Fun! We will be flying soon.

This series of articles will present advertisements from vintage modeling magazines. The intent is to illustrate technological advances that have taken place in our hobby. For some it will bring back memories, for newcomers it will present a piece of history of radio control model aviation.

Here is an advertisement from the July 1950 issue of Model Airplane News for the Scientific "Little Devil" and the "Little Bipe" U/C planes for \$1.50 each. Kinda like an ARF with a pre-carved fuselage. Remember "Buy from your dealer & save 15 cents mail charge".





Club Meeting Cancelled

Next LMAC Club Meeting:

Due to the COVID-19 virus there is NO April Meeting.



Items For Sale

1 unused Admiral 6000mah 6s lipo battery for sale.

Paid \$125, sell for \$75. Not going to use. Contact: Dan Maloy Cell:859-825-8778,

email: casketdan@gmail.com

2020 Calendar of Events

<u>Lexing</u>	<u>aton l</u>	<u> Model</u>	Airp	lane C	<u> Club (</u>	<u>LMAC)</u>

Numb Thumb Fly	Jan 1, 2020 Till Cold
Lew McFarland Aviation Day Fly-In	August 15, 2020, 9am - 5pm
Kentucky Fall Classic Fly-in	Sept. 18-20, 2020
Trainer Banger Flying Competition	TBA
LMAC Swap Meet	November 7, 2020

Central Kentucky Float Fly (CKFF)

Charity Float Fly-in Event	TBA
Brown Bag Float Fly-in Event	TBA

Clark County R/C Barnstormers

Spring Fun Fly	May 9, 2020
Harold Brown Memorial Fly In	June 13, 2020
Brown Bag Fall Fun Fly	September 26, 2020

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