



## ***The President's Thoughts***

*By Mickey Breunig, President*

The summer is half over. It won't be long and school will be started back. I know it is hot, but get out there and fly before it gets too cold. Summer will be gone before you know it.

Our picnic is coming up on July 30. It is always fun, and the food is always good. I am sure it will be hot, but the food will be good. There really is no reason to miss all the fun of the club picnic.

The meeting will be Saturday, July 16 at the field. The meeting will be at 11 with lunch immediately following. Odds are we will be having hamburgers for lunch. I hope to see everyone at the meeting.

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# Treasurer's Report

By Blake McBrayer, Treasurer



## No Treasurers Report submitted at time of Publishing of July Newsletter

Dues information and forms, click on this link .....

<http://www.lmacky.org/membership.html>

70 Paid Members as of April 30, 2022



## Next Meeting July 16, 11:00am @ LMAC Flying Field

**Next LMAC Club Meeting:**  
**Saturday, July 16, at 11:00 AM**

**Meeting Location:**  
**LMAC Flying Facility**  
**4200 Hedger Lane**  
**Lexington, KY 40516**

**Everyone Welcome !!**



## Meeting Minutes from June 11, 2022

by George Kissick

### Call to Order

Call to order of the Lexington Model Airplane Club by Mickey at 11:11 a.m. 06/11/2022

- A. Newsletter accepted for approval
  - a. Mickey made the motion, seconded Martin Weinstock
  - b. Approved by members present
- B. Treasury accepted for approval
  - a. Mickey made the motion, seconded Martin Weinstock
- C. Safety
  - a. Reminder of the safe disposal of batteries
- D. Training
  - a. Weather at the Tuesday training was HOT
- E. Old Business
  - a. Vintage Fly-in
    - i. Because of high winds, only two people flew
    - ii. Total donations 115.00
    - iii. Received 20.00 from vintage society
    - iv. Thirteen people signed up
    - v. Swap Meet and Electric Fly-In May 20-21
- F. New Business
  - a. Material for a concrete ramp in front of the covered
    - i. Mickey made the motion
    - ii. Jeff Cummings seconded
- G. Meeting in June will be June 18
  - a. Mickey made the motion, Dan Thompson seconded
- H. LMAC Picnic
  - a. July 30
  - b. Pulled Pork provided
  - c. Bring a side dish
  - d. Martin Weinstock in charge of event
- I. High grass around airfield to be mowed
- J. Discussion for a memorial plaque for deceased members
  - a. Further discussion next month
- K. Landfill Training
  - a. Scheduled for June 25 at 9:00 am
    - i. Update after the meeting
      - 1. Meeting cancelled
  - Parking Lot discussion
    - a. Curtis Adams would email Brian Rogers at the LFUCG Parks Department and ask if we could have the parking lot paved
    - b. Lester Ware would check on the price of gravel.
- A. Adjourn Meeting
  - Mickey adjourned the meeting,

## ***Blast from the Past***

*By David J. Price*

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 OK .049 Cub Power Kit from the Herkimer Tool & Model Works, Inc. You could assemble the engine yourself and save \$1.20. Although 75 cents for a pint of "OK" Glow Fuel sounds inexpensive, it is \$6.00 per gallon in 1950.

Was curious about the Herkimer company, to my surprise they are still open as the Herkimer Tool & Machining Corp. According to their web site: "Herkimer Tool & Machining Corporation was established in 1921. In the beginning, Herkimer was engaged in sub-contract machining work specializing in the production of bearings for the transportation industry. In 1929 the "OK Model Airplane Engine" was designed and developed. After the depression this engine was put into production. Today this high quality model engine remains very popular, especially among collectors. During World War II, Herkimer Tool & Model Works produced thousands of small gasoline engines for our Armed Forces. These engines were installed on drone aircraft for decoy and target applications. After the war, Herkimer returned to subcontract machining and production of the model airplane engines ended for a while in 1965. In 1973, Ellis Green purchased the business and changed the name to Herkimer Tool and Machining Corp. and reinstated production of the HO 1/87th Scale model railroad cars under the "OK" trade name. Herkimer produced these fine quality model railroad passenger cars until the division was sold in 1997 back to the grandson of the founder who also resumed production of some of the gas engines. Herkimer Tool and Machining has been engaged in the sub-contract machining business for over 75 years". From: <http://herkimertool.com/index.html>

**Assemble it yourself...  
SAVE \$1.20**

**OK .049 CUB  
POWER KIT**

Contains all parts needed to build a complete .049 CUB plus accessories needed to power your plane.

**ONLY \$4.75**

- Precision-Made Parts — guaranteed to fit
- Easy to Assembly — ready to run in 15 min.
- Instructions Included — anyone can build it



**KIT CONTAINS**

.049 CUB .....	value \$4.95
Combination engine mount and fuel tank, neoprene tubing .....	value .50
Spin starter .....	value .25
Propeller .....	value .25
<b>Total Value .....</b>	<b>\$5.95</b>
<b>Cost of Kit .....</b>	<b>4.75</b>
<b>You Save .....</b>	<b>\$1.20</b>



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"OK" GLOW FUEL  
75¢ pint**

A methanol base fuel, heavily fortified with nitrates and proper lubrication ingredients for . . .

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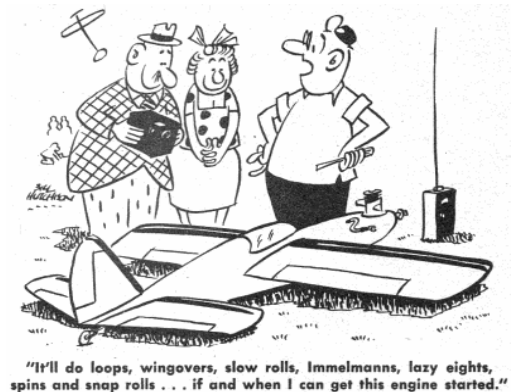
907 Harter St., Herkimer, N.Y.



## Club Picnic July 30 at LMAC Flying Field

Our Club Picnic is scheduled for July 30 and should be get day of flying. Everyone is welcome including family and friends. The club is providing the meat (pull pork)for lunch, and everyone is asked to bring a dish/side to share with everyone else. We will need veggie dishes, casseroles', salads, and of course desserts,etc.. Martin Weinstock has taken the led on organizing for the lunch portion of the day. We will need help setting up some extra tables that morning for all our guests and families to sit and eat the amazing food that folks bring to our picnic. So, if some of you guys could help with a little bit of set up when the time arrives on the 30<sup>th</sup> that would be Great. Later next week we will be sending out an email asking everyone to tell us what you are planning on bringing as your dish. We just like to get an idea of what is coming in case there is to many of the same items. This picnic is always a lot of fun and food is always really good. So, plan on coming and we will see ya there.

### Cartoon Corner



## 2022 Calendar of Events

### Lexington Model Airplane Club (LMAC)

Numb Thumb Fly..... Jan 1, 2022 Till Cold  
 Vintage RC Fly In.....May 20-21, 2022  
 Electric Fly-In.....May 28, 2022  
 Club Picnic.....July30, 2022  
 Kentucky Fall Classic Fly-in.....Sept. 8-10, 2022  
 Trainer Banger Flying Competition..... TBA  
 LMAC Swap Meet..... November 12, 2022

### Central Kentucky Float Fly (CKFF)

Charity Float Fly-in Event ..... June 4, 2022  
 Brown Bag Float Fly-in Event ..... TBA

### Clark County R/C Barnstormers

Harold Brown Memorial Fly In..... June 11, 2022  
 Brown Bag Fall Fun Fly..... September 17, 2022

### 2022 Club Officers

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