

The President's Thoughts By Mickey Breunig, President

It has been a very busy month at the field but the most important thing that needs to be discussed is the rules.

On a busy day at the field with the parking lot rather full, someone was flying a micro airplane in the parking lot. The parking lot or the control line circle are not the place to fly a micro. People who take a lot of pride in their cars, have cars parked in the parking lot, which is supposed to be a safe area and free from flying. If one of those cars got scratched from any type plane, there would be someone very upset. If someone walks out from beside one of those cars and gets hit, they would be very upset. If a car is coming in the drive or leaving your pattern may get changed abruptly. For these reasons we have safe areas and flying areas.

The only flying areas for R/C planes is on the landfill side of the runway and the old crosswind runway. IF you don't feel comfortable flying a micro in the main flying area, which happens all the time, then go down to the old crosswind runway area. The grass is mowed and is very suitable to walk to and fly. There are no exceptions. These are the only flying areas.

Saturday is meeting day at the field and we have much to discuss.

The meeting will begin at approximately 11:00am. We will have lunch following the meeting.

I hope to see you there. Michael Breunig mbreunig@windstream.net







## **Treasurer's Report** By George Kissick, Treasurer



#### Dues information and forms, click on this link ..... http://www.lmacky.org/membership.html

#### Date Description Clr Amount Account Num Memo Category BALANCE 7/30/2023 10,635.59 8/7/2023 CENTRAL SERVICE 100 XX7746 1057 Check Mowing -800.00 С 8/15/2023 CENTRAL SERVICE 100 XX7746 1060 Check 2023 Club Picnic -218.91 С 45153 CENTRAL SERVICE 100 XX7746 1059 Check(Jim Newberry) Cameras -42 С 8/23/2023 CENTRAL SERVICE 100 XX7746 Deposit 2023 Electric Flyin 166.00/Donation 24.00 Electric Flyin 2023 Expense c 190.00 8/8/2023 CENTRAL SERVICE 100 XX7746 Bills & Utilities:Utilities c Kentucky Utilities Kentucky Utiliti PAYMENT WARE CARROLL -61.59 8/21/2023 CENTRAL SERVICE 100 XX7746 Wal-mart WAL-MART # POS PUR Food -62.51 С 8/14/2023 CENTRAL SERVICE 100 XX7746 Wal-mart Wal-Mart Super Cent POS Food -76.04 С Wal-mart 8/21/2023 CENTRAL SERVICE 100 XX7746 Wal-Mart Super Cent POS PUR RF#345642 LE Food С -14.037/31/2023 - 8/31/2023 -1,085.08 Balance 8/31/2023 9,550.51 **Outstanding Checks** Note Check# 1061 John Royalty(Blacktop Sealer) 40.22 TOTAL INFLOWS 190.00 Ohio Club(Pam Klingler) Airplane Donation Deposit 600.00 Check# 1063 Ohio Club(Pam Klingler Donation 500.00 Donated to Ohio Club TOTAL OUTFLOWS -1,275.08 100.00 to LMAC for selling NET TOTAL -1,085.08 Total Renewals 2023 96 Memberships not paid 2023 2023 - 2024 Accruls I MAC Field 37 6000.00 Ending Balance 4/30/2023 9,550.51 Total Accurals 6,000.00 Cash on Hand 3,550.51

# <u>Next LMAC Club Meeting:</u> Saturday, September 16, at 11:00 AM <u>Meeting Location</u>: LMAC Flying Facility 4200 Hedger Lane Lexington, KY



# Meeting Minutes from August 12, 2023 By George Kissick

#### Call to Order

Lexington Model Airplane Club called to order by Mickey at 11:10 a.m. 8/12/2023.

- A. Newsletter accepted for approval
  - A. Mickey made the motion
  - B. Motion carried by membership.
- B. Treasury Report
  - A. Mickey made the motion to approve
  - B. Carroll Ware seconded.
  - C. Motion carried by the membership
- C. Training
  - A. Jeff has two students in training
    - 1. Four in program
    - 2. Two actives
- D. Minutes

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- A. Motion to approve minutes by Lester Ware
- B. Motion seconded by Carroll Ware
- C. Motion carried by the membership.
- E. Safety Report

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- A. No Issues
- Old Business
  - Fall Classic
    - 1. Assignments
      - 1. Camping Jeff Cummings and Jim Newberry
      - 2. Fence/Flight Line Jesse Harris
      - 3. Registration Sylvester Hale
      - 4. Signs Dan Thompson and Gary Hyde
      - 5. Lunch Friday Mickey Breunig
      - 6. T-Shirts Mickey Breunig
      - 7. Odds and Ends Lester Ware
      - 8. Dinner Saturday Night Terry Booth
      - 9. Movie Chris
      - 10. Popcorn Dustin Ware
  - b. Club picnic was a success.
  - c. Parks and Recreation discussion
    - 1. Shelter repairs are on hold until our inclusion into Parks and Recreation
- G. New Business
  - A. A board meeting will be scheduled in September to prepare for monthly meeting.
  - B. A new refrigerator was donated by Lester and Carroll Ware
    - 1. The club thanks you for your generous gift
- H. All those present voted to adjourn 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.

I went way back this month. Here is an advertisement from the June 1933 issue of Model Universal Airplane News for the Great Flyer airplane from E.A. Freund Model Airplane Co. The advertisement claims that the airplane will take off, do loops, turns, and banks. Not a kit. but an airplane all set up and RTF for 0.50 cents post paid.





# Fall Classic Summary Report By Curtis Adams





As some of you know this Fall Classic was my last one as far as being the CD. I have enjoyed being the CD for this event and I'm sure I will miss it. That being said I feel it's time to pass the" transmitter" to someone else. I am passing the CD responsibilities off to Jessie Harris. Jessie has agreed to take on the CD duties for the Fall Classic and I'm sure he will do a terrific job. Thank you, Jessie, for taking charge of the largest money maker for the club. I think you will find it very rewarding. I will continue to assist you as needed.

I think the club should know what type of people we have coming to this event. They do everything they can to help make this event a success. One of our guests donated a NIB Extra for us to raffle. This brought in \$200. I personally know that many of them gave large donations to our club. They even supplied food for the dinner. One of the ladies helped by doing a 50/50 drawing for the benefit of LMAC. This added another \$40 to the income. This is just a few examples of why our event is different from others. I could go on but trust me we have the best group of people you could ask for come to this event.

The Fall Classic turned out to be a very enjoyable event. The weather wasn't perfect, but our pilots got in a lot of flights. Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves. The Ohio guys did it again and turned out for our event in big numbers with some arriving on Wednesday the 6<sup>th</sup>. A big thank you to these guys for supporting the Fall Classic for many years. The planes that arrived were top notch and many of them belonged to our club members. LMAC has a great bunch of guys and many of them are great modelers. Thanks to the members that came out to participate in the show. While I'm thanking people, I want to say thank you to every person that helped in any way to make this event happen. It really made my job easy.



#### September 2023

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# Fall Classic Summary Report By Curtis Adams

The numbers:

These numbers are estimates and will be reported in more detail as soon as I get all the information.

Pilots – 43, down from 49 last year.
Planes – 80 – 100 Just my estimate.
Campers – 6 (generated \$280) based on 28 nights among the group)
Dinner guests – 35 – 40 @ \$15 per plate
Total inflows - \$2350 Breakdown will be shown later
The pull pork on Friday generated \$188.00
We received \$100.00 from a few spectators.

These are just some highlights and additional details, and accounting will be coming in the future.

### Curtis Adams CD





**Best Military** 



**Best of Show** 



**Best Civilian** 

Left to Right: Jim Newberry, Jim Martin accepting for Doug Miller , Brian Brotherson



#### Newsletter of the LMAC





It was GREAT to see Dennis Kirby and his wife at the Classic this year! Thanks, Dennis, for the fellowship and good times.



When you don't like the planes, you brought to the Fall Classic. You BREAK into someone's trailer to see if you like their stuff better,





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As AMA anticipated, the FAA has announced they are extending the Remote ID enforcement date by six months. Operators now have until March 16, 2024 before they will have to comply with the rule. This extension provides the FAA more time to approve FRIA applications and manufacturers the time for production of broadcast modules. For the FAA's full statement on the extension, <u>click here</u>.

To remain current with the most recent government-related news, regularly <u>visit the AMA Government Affairs blog</u>.

Sincerely, AMA Government Affairs Team





## Discussion on Possible Dues Increase.

Your LMAC board members held a board meeting on September 13, at 7pm. It was attended by all the board members plus Jim Newberry. The purpose of the meeting was to bring a proposal to the membership to increase the yearly dues rate. As it stands right now the club is barely breaking even each year. This is due to increasing cost of operating the club. The proposal will be brought before the club at the September meeting which is this Saturday, Sept. 16. So if you have any interest in the issues for or against this topic, you should plan on attending the September meeting. We will be discussing this topic at the September and the October meeting. The October meeting, we will be voting on the increase.

## **Cartoon Corner**



"Martin, the couch is no place for a plane."



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# 2023 Calendar of Events

Lexington Model Airplane Club (LMAC)	
Numb Thumb Fly	Jan 1, 2023 Till Cold
Club Picnic	July 22, 2023
Electric Fly-In	August 19,2023
Kentucky Fall Classic Fly-in	Sept. 7- 9, 2023
Trainer Banger Flying Competition	TBA
LMAC Swap Meet	November 11, 2023

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#### **2023 Club Officers**

President Vice President Secretary Treasurer Safety Officer Senior Advisor News Editor Training Coord.

-Mickey Breunig
-Gary Hyde
-George Kissick
-George Kissick
-Lester Ware
-Gayle Moore
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