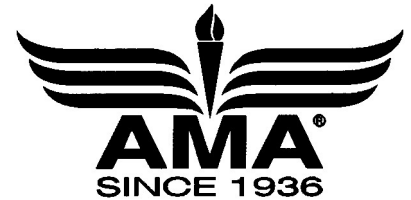


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A Summer of Fun Activities



May 2017 Memorial Day Weekend Fly-In

Club activities just keep coming. There are two new events scheduled on the heels of our recent glow engine clinic and our Memorial Day Fly-In. The first is the July Firecracker Fly-In on July 1st and the second is our annual Club BBQ Meeting at the Field.

Firecracker Fly-In - Saturday, June 1, 9:00 AM to Dark

The Firecracker Fly-In event is almost here. We are planning an exciting event for all. Meet old friends and new members.

We will be cooking hamburgers and hotdogs beginning at 11:00 AM. Food and drinks will be available for a small fee.

Flying lessons on our trainer airplanes will be available for all ages. And, bring your drone and try it out on our mini-drone racing course adjacent to our runway.

There will be a swap meet. So, bring any items that you

are willing to part with and gain a little cash. Or, come look for some bargains. As usual, 10% of sales is donated to the SRCC club.

There will be a raffle. However, we need raffle prizes. If you have a plane, flying accessories, LiPo batteries, ball caps, etc. you would like to donate, your club will be grateful.

July Club Meeting – Saturday, July 22, 6:45 PM

Our Thursday, July 20th club meeting, normally held at Beef O'Brady's, has been rescheduled. The meeting will be held at the field on Saturday July 22nd.

There will be a short general club meeting at 6:45 PM followed by dinner at 7:00 PM. The dinner menu includes Boston Butt and/or Barbequed Chicken with the usual sides and drink. The cost will be \$10 per person. Family and friends are welcome.

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We have only done this once before. Therefore, we do not have enough experience to predict how many attendees to expect. So, please RSVP to Jay at moonangelb@gmail.com by Thursday, July 13th. If we have a good response, we will grill the meat. If the response is sparse, the meat will come from a local barbeque joint.

Show up early and fly before the meeting. Then, we have a special treat. We received approval from the county Parks and Recreation Department for a onetime extension

of our hours to provide for night flying after dinner until midnight.

In the event of rain, the meeting/activity will be moved to the next day, Sunday, July 23rd. However, if we move to Sunday, night flying will be restricted to electric only.

Club Meeting News

Jeff Owens, Secretary

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 PM on Thursday June 15, 2017 by President Jay Wiggins.

Visitors: Jay introduced Richard Tharpe who was attending his first meeting.

President's Announcements – Jay thanked Vice-President Randy Yarborough for organizing the Glow Clinic for June 17 and thanked both Randy and Sylvia for volunteering to provide food for the event. He also thanked Gordie for the work he has done on field maintenance. He thanked Jim Ogorek for heading up our participation in the Tallahassee Science Festival on October 28.

Vice-President's Report – Randy Yarborough described the Glow Clinic which will be held on Saturday June 17 from 9-1:00 with food at 12:00. Topics relating to setting up and tuning glow engines will be discussed and demonstrated by Ed Budzyna, Jim Ogorek, and Jeff Owens. The Firecracker Fly-in will be held on Saturday July 1, 2017. Watch the Events page on the website for updates on Club events.

Secretary's Report – Jeff Owens – The minutes of the May meeting were approved as published in the Newsletter.

Treasurer's Report – Jay Wiggins for Bill Ashbaker – The treasurer's report was approved as posted in the Newsletter.

Safety Report – Jim Ogorek – Everything is going well. As a reminder, it is a field rule that all electric models are to be armed at the flight line and not under the shed.

Old Business – none

New Business

1. The July meeting will be held on Saturday July 22 at the field, as was done last year. The meeting will be brief and will start at 7:00. There will be time for flying both before and after the meeting. Watch the website for additional details.
2. There was a discussion about moving the start time for gas and nitro planes to a time earlier than 10:00 AM. Jay described the procedures for modifying the By-Laws and the agreement with the County. A motion was made and passed to have further discussion at the August meeting, since the July meeting will be brief.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 PM and was followed by “show and tell” items by several members.

Around the Field

Memorial Day Warbird Fly-In:



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Flight Training

Primary flight training is available by appointment on Saturdays from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm when the weather is nice and not too breezy. Contact the Training Coordinator or one of the instructors to make an appointment:

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Field Hours

Electrics/Sailplanes	30 minutes before sunrise until 30 minutes after sunset 7 days/week
Gassers/Nitros	10:00 AM until 30 minutes after sunset except Sunday. Sunday gasser/nitro flying begins at 12:00 PM. All gassers and nitros must have a suitable muffler.

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