

# Wing Tips

October 2018



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**MEMBERSHIP FORM**  
available on our website

## Events and Times

**Regular Meeting** Oct 12,  
2018 at 7:00 PM at the St.  
Paul Lutheran Church,  
Trauger.

**This Month's Breakfasts** will  
be at Denny's Restaurant,  
Greensburg (across from  
Greengate)

8:30 AM, Oct 10, 2018

8:30 AM, Oct 24, 2018

**Endurance Contest** - Sunday,  
Oct 21, 2018 at 1:30 PM  
(rain date Oct 28) at the  
field.

**High Wing Tuesdays** - Oct 2,  
9, 16, 23 & 30, 2018 at the  
field.

**Glider Wednesdays** -  
Oct 3, 10, 17, 24 &  
31, 2018 at the field.

**Thursday Training  
Days** - Oct 4, 11, 18  
& 25, 2018 at the  
field (weather  
permitting). Don't  
forget, if the weather  
is bad, we meet at  
Westmoreland Mall  
Food Court about  
7:00 PM - venue &  
times could change and  
will appear in a  
notification via email.

Columbus Day



## Officers for 2018

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**Correspondences** - Events, Other RC Club info, etc. - **PLEASE** send to the club **Vice President** (above)

**Membership** - Applications, Dues Forms, AMA information - **PLEASE** contact the club **Treasurer** (above)

## The Prez Says

Many thanks to those that came out for our runway install version 2 last Saturday. It was a long day but we got it done. Now, go fly off it. You may find that it sharpens your flying skills and is a lot of fun. It gives you an appreciation of what a carrier landing must be like, except our field doesn't move. Additional improvements will be made to the landscaping around the perimeter so the area can be seeded. The taxiways will be installed and finally we will white stripe a center line and possibly edge and end lines. Also, big X markings at the ends so our full scale friends don't get any bright ideas of trying out that new runway.

The October 10th meeting will be a busy and important one so please try to attend. Those of you with trophies please bring them to the meeting so we can get them engraved and ready to present at the Awards Banquet on Nov. 10th at Hoss's. We will be discussing and voting on the dues structure for 2019. The nominations for officers will also be held at the meeting, if you wish to run for office or nominate someone please plan to attend.

The Endurance contest will be held October 21st, Sunday at 1:30pm. Bring a plane that you can fly off the new runway. Rain date is Oct. 28th.

I've been thinking of having a Denny Pollock Memorial Fly. We could have it on a Sunday in October or early November. We could wear the T-shirts Dean's nephew, Bret, had made up and we could fly Denny's planes that we got from Dean. Think about it and we will discuss at the Oct. meeting. See you at the runway

**Jim**

## Minutes of the Meeting of September 14th, 2018

The meeting was called to order by President Jim Andrews with the Pledge of Allegiance  
There were 17 members present and no new members or guest.

### Officers Report

A Secretary's minutes were approved as printed in the August Newsletter

B Treasurers report was approved by the members - first Bill Kline and second by Lester Faroux

C Vice President had nothing from other clubs to report. Raffle for tonight's meeting is a VQ Models Dornier DO-27 ARF.

D Newsletter had nothing to report.

E Field Control said all is good; nothing to report

F Web Master not present but all seems to be going well

### G Presidents Remarks

Awards Banquet needs committee. Dave Oswald reports that the banquet will be held at Hoss's Steakhouse in South Greensburg

Return trophies at the next meeting or before to any club officer

Nominations for new officers at the October meeting. Please plan to attend for nominations of club officers

Runway install will be Saturday morning 9/15/2018. Please bring tools to aid in installation

Someone to cook burgers and dogs left over from picnic for workers

### Old Business

A Museum Committee had nothing new to report

B Fuel Committee - Bill Cecchetti reported there 22 gallons of fuel on hand

C Runway Committee reports it is ready for installation

D Old business from the floor - nothing to report

Break

Sign Committee Steve Mickel, Bill Cecchetti, & Jeremiah Ulishney will research about adding directional signs to the flying field. We discuss our options

### New Business

There was discussion on changing meeting nights to make more favorable for more members to attend. Please plan on attending the next meeting so you can voice your opinion on the topic

### Show and Tell -

Jeremiah Ulishney showed new antenna less receivers that are on the market and relatively inexpensive.



### Raffle

prize was won by Bill Kline

Meeting Adjourned



## Steve Mickel

PICTURES OF RUNWAY INSTALL  
sent in by Ron Gade



# THE PIT STOP! PYLON RACING!

CD - MARK YOTHERS

## 2018 SEASON



### FOAMY WARBIRD RESULTS

After nine race days we had a tie for first between Bill Cecchetti and Jeremiah Ulishney, Dave Oswald in third, Tim Bartlow in 4th and Rene Marquis in fifth. So after a grueling 10 race schedule where 2 race days were rained out we ended with a tie for first place. On the last race day neither Bill or Jeremiah could make the race so they stayed the same tied for first. Dave won all three heats, Tim and Rene battled back and forth for second and third with Tim came in second in the first heat, Rene second in the second heat. In the third heat Tim came in second and Rene crashed out.

The results after 10 race days were Bill and Jeremiah tied for first, Dave in third, Tim in fourth, Rene in fifth. Per rules established at the start of the races if after all 10 race days we ended with a tie a one race fly off would decide the tie. Since neither of the first place racers were at the last race a fly off was not possible. So I contacted both Bill and Jeremiah about the tie and two options were suggested to break the tie. One was a flip of a coin or a one heat fly off the next Sunday. Both agreed to a fly off.

During the fly off Bill with a great start pulled a win with Jeremiah coming in second. End of story right? Wrong! Bill had one cut which meant he had 3 points and Jeremiah had 3 points. That's right they tied on the tie breaker. So a second heat was run. Here again Bill jumped out front with a great start and won the heat. So Bill won the season Championship, with Jeremiah landing in Second.

Congratulations go out to all the racers. It is the one contest that takes a ten days of competition to decide a Champ. Also the racers and the series could not be held without help from our members. Members like Lester Faroux, Dean Pollock, Joe Leoneade, Jim Zamerski as pylon judges. (If I missed someone please let me know.)

Look forward to next year. And next years CD will be named at the Awards Banquet, by pulling a name from a hat.

Mark

### FOR SALE

**THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE FOR SALE**

**Contact: Jim Pavick 724-423-5159**



**PIPER VAGABOND - 60 size, 74" wingspan, scratch built, never flown - \$300.00**

**TELEMASTER 40 - 40 size, 73 1/2 wingspan, scratch built, never flown - \$150.00**



**SIG SENIOR KADET - scratch built, never flown - \$200.00**

**JAY CURRY SCRATCH BUILT THIS OV-10 BRONCO FROM PLANS, AND FINALLY GOT TO GET THE MAIDEN FLIGHT ON IT., IT IS A SUPERB FLYER AND REALLY LOOKS GREAT IN THE AIR. IT IS POWERED BY TWO .60 SIZE ELECTRIC MOTORS.**



### **Fred Gelston Qualified Electric**

Congratulations to Fred Gelston for successfully passing his electric flight test in September. Lester Faroux & Rene Marquis conducted the qualifying maneuvers and qualified Fred.





**Jim & Sandra Curry**  
**Denny Pollock's Family**

**Fred Snyder**

**John Hathaway**

**Walt Rubino**

**Tim Bartlow**

**Ralph Gaebel**

**John & Joan Marshall**

**Vaun Hile**

**Paul Cunningham**

**Jim & Timi Pennington**

**Dick & Shirley Schmitz**

**Don & Joan Accorsi**

**Bob Bushmire**

**And anyone else who needs our Prayers!**

## October Birthday Wishes

WE WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND A HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THE FOLLOWING CLUB MEMBERS!



Happy birthday! Happy birthday! Happy birthday!

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William M Cecchetti Jr  
James E Curry  
Pratham Jariwala  
Joe Mahoney  
Jorjette Mahoney

Happy birthday! Happy birthday!

## SCALE CONTEST WINNERS

August 26, 2018  
CD - Jeremiah Ulishney

- **1st Place** - Bill Cecchetti
- **2nd Place** - Jeremiah Ulishney
- **3rd Place** - Tim Bartlow

## LHMAC CLUB PATCHES FOR SALE!

• **PRICE** - \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00

• **TYPES** - available in Velcro or sewn on

• **HOW TO PURCHASE** - The patches are available at the monthly meetings or contact our Treasurer, Rene Marquis,



at [ram158@msn.com](mailto:ram158@msn.com) or (724) 523-3320.

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