

# October 2023



**Live  
Calendar  
Of Events**



## 2023 Officers

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*Correspondence* or other RC club events/info, RC Sales/auctions please send to club president Jim Andrews or newsletter editor Jim Zamerski.  
For club dues please contact club treasurer Rene Marquis

## Next Monthly Meeting

**Saturday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, 1pm**

**St Pauls Lutheran Church**

**108 Dutch Hill Rd, Latrobe, PA 15650**



# List of Events

Laurel Highlands Model Airplane Club  
(off of Klaka Road, Mt Pleasant)



Check our **LIVE CALENDAR OF EVENTS** for updates  
*and Details*

## 2023

## EVENT

## LOCATION

### October

Sat 7	LHMAC Monthly Meeting 12:00 <b>noon</b>	LHMAC Field
Sat 7	Centaur Chile Cook Off	Lisbon, OH

### November

Sat 4	LHMAC Monthly Meeting <b>1pm</b>	<b>St Pauls Lutheran Church</b>
Sat 4	MARCS RC Flea market & Auction	Delmont, PA
Thurs 2-4	Fall Soar For Fun, Highpoint Aviation,	Ridgeley, WV
Sat 4	Robert Morris University Dome Fly	Neville Island, Pgh
Sat 18	Robert Morris University Dome Fly	Neville Island, Pgh

### December

Sat 2	LHMAC Monthly Meeting 12:00 <b>noon</b>	St Pauls Lutheran Church
Sat 2	Robert Morris University Dome Fly	Neville Island, Pgh
Sat 16	Robert Morris University Dome Fly	Neville Island, Pgh
Sat 30	Robert Morris University Dome Fly	Neville Island, Pgh

## 2024

### January

Mon 1	First in the air 10am	LHMAC Field
Sat 6	LHMAC Monthly Meeting 12:00 <b>noon</b>	St Pauls Lutheran Church

### February

Sat 4	LHMAC Monthly Meeting 12:00 <b>noon</b>	St Pauls Lutheran Church
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### March

Sat 4	LHMAC Monthly Meeting 12:00 <b>noon</b>	St Pauls Lutheran Church
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# Information Page Links

*2024 renewal coming up!*

<b>2023 Newsletters</b>	<b>LHMAC Membership Application</b>	<b>Online Calendar Of Events</b>
<b>Map to LHMAC Mammoth Park Field</b>		<b>LHMAC FACEBOOK Page</b>
<b>AMA Enrollment</b>	<b>Map to Acme Dam Chestnut Ridge Park</b>	
<b>sUAS Enrollment</b>	<b>Map to Acme Dam Chestnut Ridge Park</b>	
<b>Recreational UAS Safety Test (TRUST)</b>	<b>Map to Flite Test Edgewater Park Minerva, Ohio</b>	<b>LHMAC Website</b>
<b>KLBE Museum Website</b>	<b>Map to KLBE Museum</b>	
<b>AMA District 3</b>	<b>LHMAC Field Rules and Regulations</b>	

# Message from President Jim Andrews

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**Even though the weather** is turning cooler it is still a great time to fly. So don't put your planes in mothballs yet. Indoor flying is available at the RMU Golf dome on Neville Island in Pittsburgh. The High Point Aviation ( Cumberland ) is in November and the MARCS Auction and Swap meet is in November also.

**Check our Live Calendar** for dates and more info. Our next meeting will be held at the church on Saturday, November 4th at **1pm**. Our normal time is noon but because of the MARCS Auction we are moving it back one hour to 1pm.

**Be sure to check out** the sell listings at end of this newsletter.

**Karl Pfirrmann has donated a plane** that is worth looking at (in our for sale section). All proceeds will go the benefit of the Club. Karl also donated an Apprentice that will be used as a club trainer. Thanks, Karl.

**See you soon**  
Jim Andrews

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# September 2, 2023

## Monthly Club Meeting @ Mammoth Park

### Secretary Jim Zamerski

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**Minutes for the September 2, 2023 Meeting @ Mammoth Park Airfield.** 14 members present.

### Officers Report

**Secretary, Jim Z** called for motion to approve minutes from last months meeting as posted in the last newsletter. Bill K motion to approve, second by Mark Y, motion carried.

### Treasurer's Report.

**Expenses** St Pauls Church Hall Rental for 6months starting next month, Picnic Beverages, Gianellis Catering for Fall Picnic.

**Income** Dues, \$ Donation Jim Pahel, Fuel sales, Picnic Guests, and Raffle proceeds.  
Bill K motion to approve report, second by John T, motion carried.

**Vice President** Raffle prize is a a UMX Glider, ZOHD Drift

**News Editor** Sales in the "For Sale " section of the newsletter are brisk, items are selling quickly. Facebook is very popular and is getting our club much exposure.

**Webmaster** Vishal is updating.

### Presidents Remarks

**November 4<sup>th</sup> meeting** will be held at St Pauls Church Hall at **1pm** due to the MARCS Club flea market/auction in Delmont PA

**There will be a push broom** available at the field to sweep the grass that has been accumulating on the runway. It has been accumulating after the field is mowed. If your are here after a mowing, please take the initiative to do a little sweeping.

**Terry Wilcox** generously donated 2 planes to our club to sell. The planes were an Great Plane, RV4 90% complete with motor, pilot, monocote, Pitts Muffler, etc. The other one was a low wing Millenium Master PNP. Unfortunately or fortunately, they were sold before the publishing of this newletter. **THANK YOU TERRY!!!**

**Just a reminder**, now that our Mammoth Park Field been approved as a FRIA site. We are now working on a a FRIA for our Acme Dam float fly's.

**Fuel committee:** Contact Bill Chiccetti 724 493 5105 for **glow fuel/members only**.

**Tim Bartlow** won the raffle

**Meeting adjourned**

# Dome Fly's

When- 6:45 to 9:45 pm  
Where- Robert Morris University  
Golf Dome, Neville Island  
7600 Grand Ave, Pittsburgh, PA 15225

**Saturday Evenings**  
**November 4 & 18**  
**December 2, 16, & 30th**

Price will be \$20 and \$1:00 to cover the AMA sanction  
The \$1:00 will be dropped as soon as the cost of the sanction  
is covered.

As always max weight is 14 oz.

The dome is very large so we split it down the middle and fly  
a race track pattern on the right and 3D on the left.  
Sorry no drones or helicopters

Scan for Map



Hope to see you all there!  
Questions?  
Contact Ed Andrews  
412 965 0615

## R/C FLEA MARKET & AUCTION

### Saturday, November 4, 2023



Murrysville Area  
RC Society  
Come to Buy or Sell!

**Up to 25 Tables!**  
Concurrent Auction  
Cash Door Prizes  
Hot Food & Drinks

All COVID 19 guidelines in effect on this date will be followed.

### Delmont, PA - Delmont Event Center

2360 Rte 66, Delmont, Pa. 15626  
www.delmonteventcenter.com

Flea Market 8:00 AM to ????  
Concurrent Auction: Starts 9:00 AM  
Vendor Set-up: Doors open 7:00 AM

Admission: Adults \$3, Spouses free  
Children under 12 free.  
Auction: Restricted to items related to  
R/C modeling.  
All sales cash, 10% commission  
on items sold.

Flea market: 25 tables available @ \$10 each.

Smoke Free Facility (except in designated areas).



**Our events are held:**  
• First Saturday in Nov.  
• Last Saturday in March

For more information and tables, call Dave Frew (724) 727-2396  
Event Status: <http://www.remarcs.org/auction>

## Highpoint Aviation Airfield

A Premier R/C Soaring Destination

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for Link to Website



Annual Soaring Events at Highpoint Aviation Airfield



**Spring Soar for Fun**  
March 16-19, 2023  
14th Annual Event



**Summer Soar for Fun**  
July 13-16, 2023  
11th Annual Event



**Fall Soar for Fun**  
November 2-5, 2023  
57th Annual Event

Visit [www.ScaleSoaring.com](http://www.ScaleSoaring.com)

## 2023 CENTAUR



### RC CLUB SCHEDULED FLYS

June 3rd **Summer Fun Fly Tammy** 9am-3pm\*

July 8th **Warbird Mark** 9am-3pm\*

Aug. 12th **Club Picnic** 11am-3pm

Sept. 23rd **Float Fly** 9am-3pm Paul\*

Oct. 7th **Chili Cook Off** 11am-3pm

\* Events are sanctioned with the AMA.

Click or Scan Here  
for link to Centaur  
Website



8473 County Home Rd. Lisbon Ohio 44432

\*ALL TIMES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE\*

Any questions please call Tammy at (330) 234-8948

# LHMAC Fall Family Picnic



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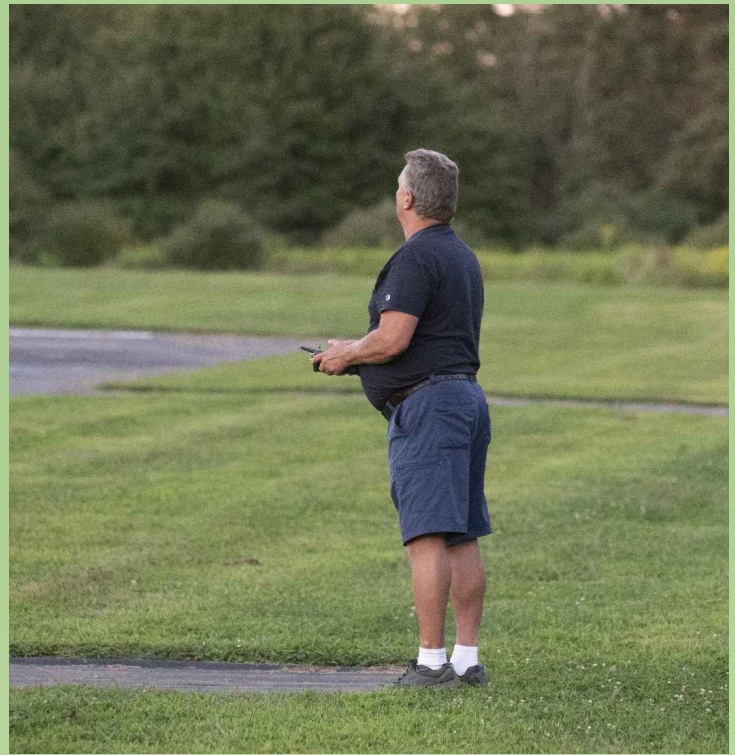
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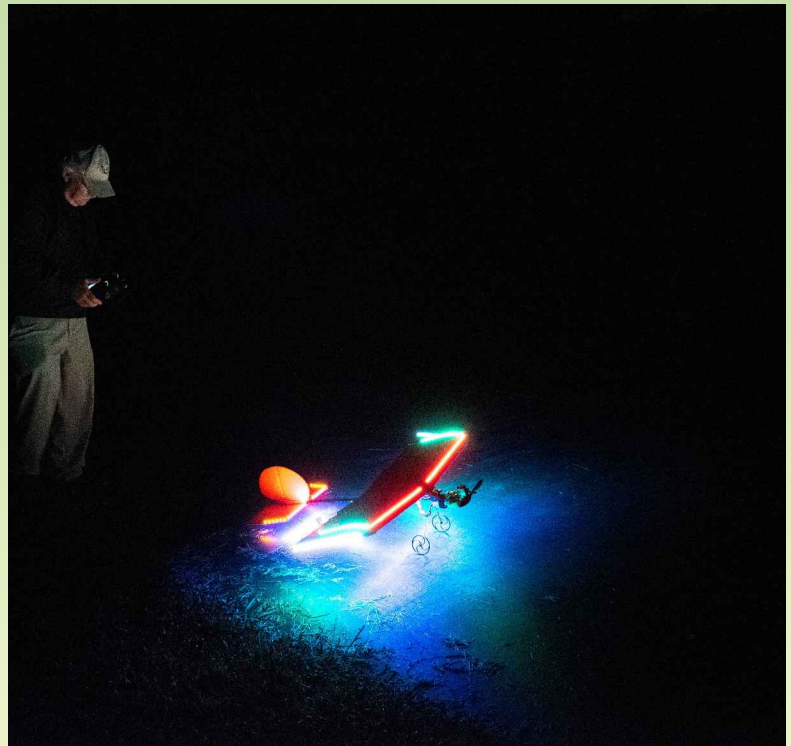
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# Last LHM MAC Night Fly of 2023



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# For Sale

## Message from News Editor Jim Zamerski

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### Keep texting or emailing pictures

(any size or format) to me and any other RC related **events**, Notices, or interesting websites. They will be put on our Live Calendar, Facebook, or newsletter.

**We all have too much stuff!** So if you have anything you haven't used or flown in a while, send me a description, some pictures, a price, and a good contact phone number. We have many new members looking to fill their "hangars".

**Our newsletter** goes out to over 300 RC enthusiasts, so you will be hitting a targeted market!

**Also**, Members as well as non-members are welcome to sell in our newsletter.

*email* [zamerski@gmail.com](mailto:zamerski@gmail.com)

*text* **724-454-3003**

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# FOR SALE



Thank You!  
Karl Pfirrmann  
for this  
Generous donation



Extreme Flight 48" MXS	\$275
Extreme Flight Torque 2814T/820kv motor	\$80
Extreme Flight Airboss Elite 45A Esc	\$103
HiTec HS 85MG servos (3) \$34 each	\$102
HiTec HS 5065MG servo	\$38
Spektrum AR400X receiver	\$35
APC 12x6 prop (2) \$4 each	\$8

Total ~~\$641~~

**Selling for \$225** (all money goes to LHMAC)

The airframe is brand new, all the other parts were taken off his first plane which crashed(same type of plane) after first flight. There are extra parts also.

Contact **Jim Andrews**  
724-837-4111

# FOR SALE



**Spektrum iX12** with carrying case and all original packaging. **\$350**

Contact **Rick Swiderski**  
724-244-2235



# FOR SALE

**Eflite Cherokee (BNF) NIB - \$150**  
(\$280 New)

**Eflite Cirrus SR-22 (BNF), Newest Version, Never Flown - \$175**  
(\$300 New)

**Eflite Carbon Z Cessna 150 (BNF) - \$250**  
(\$500 New)

**Eflite P-51D Mustang (BNF) - \$300**  
(\$600 New)

**FMS Fox 3Meter Sailplane - (PNP) - \$250**  
(\$490 new)

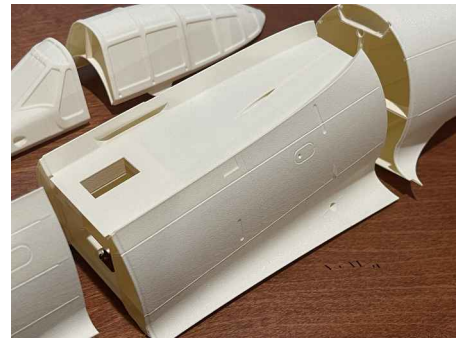
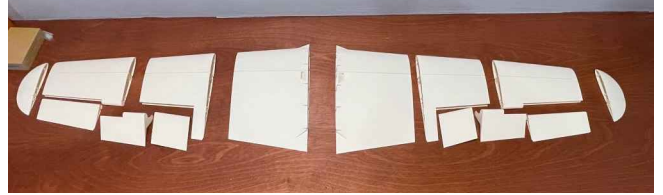
**FMS F7-F Tigercat 1700mm (Never Flown), (PNP) - \$350**  
(\$650 New)

**FMS F4U Corsair 1700mm (PNP) - \$300**  
(\$600 New)

Sorry, but Too many and too much time to take photos.

Contact **Curt Hughes**  
520-260-9867

# FOR SALE



## 3D Lab Prints A6M2 Zero \$90

Hi Everyone. I have been 3d printing planes for a little while. I finally have the settings dialed to where I feel comfortable offering some completed prints to those who do not have a 3d printer. This listing is for the Zero from 3d labprint. It is printed in Polymaker LW-PLA (Light Weight PLA). This PLA is not quite as light as Esun or Colorfabb but the strength is far better and the looks are much better. Overall a much better finished product. 1m Wingspan

You provide the power system and your radio gear, pushrods, and hardware.

If you aren't familiar, 3d printed planes aren't perfect. They do need light sanding from time to time. The hard part has been done though. All you need to do is glue it together. I feel the assembly is easier than any of the Chinese ARFs of years past. I do 90% of the post processing so that you have as easy a time as possible.

I will include all of the printed parts for one Zero airplane and a printed manual. Please let me know if you have any questions. I am always happy to answer. Please understand to fully print a plane takes 3 days roughly and this is a way to supplement the hobby for me, not my full time job. I get joy in making things as we all do being a part of this hobby.

Contact **Sam Borrelli**  
661-236-5422

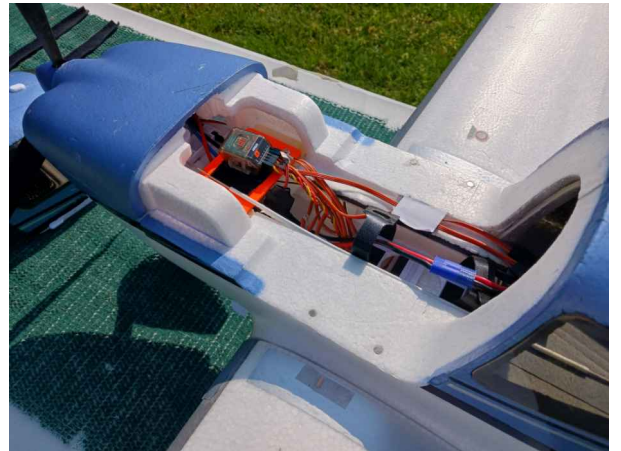
# FOR SALE



## **E-Flite Cirrus SR22T**

**\$100** (no receiver)

**\$175** with Spektrum 6 ch.receiver  
(No stabilization)



**FMS Corsair 1.7 meter.** Bought from Curt Hughes, so you know it's top notch. This model comes with FMS' reflex module (gyro). Also has updated prop. **\$300.00 firm.** New in box around \$600.00!  
(No picture)

Contact **Mark Yothers**  
724-423-4725

# FOR SALE



**Ritewing Demon40 kit 100.00**

**Newbee Drone green hornet ceniiwoop 4s 200.00**

**ZOHD DartXL iNav flight controller VTX 200.00**

**Two Master Aircrew 3 blade props.** One is 16x8 and the other is 14x9. New never used. \$15ea

**Hangar 9 Sbach 342 6s 100amp esc** has nose repair from slight crash. Spare Parts Inc \$400

**Evolution 33ccgas engine** with sensors and ignition \$250

**3 LiFe 2S 200mAh RX/ignition batteries \$75.00** for all

**Shen Drone Terraplane Cinewhoop** frame kit \$120

Contact **Jeremiah Ulishney**  
724-875-2318

# FOR SALE



**Eflite Mini Convergence BNF version.** Needs your battery and radio. Just got this about 2 weeks ago from local hobby shop. Bought on a whim. Not really for me. Flies great and hover is very stable. I prefer standard fixed wing craft. Flew 2 packs through it. No damage or blemishes. Includes extra props, extra decals are included should you want to change the look. FPV ready. Just add camera and goggles. Everything you see is included. **\$150.00 obo**

Contact **Sam Borrelli**  
661-236-5422

# FOR SALE



**Precision Aerobatics Katana KMX** New never flown  
Just add receiver and battery **\$500**

**Hitec HS-5245MG** Digital servos. 1 new and the other  
only have a few flights on them **\$110.00**

**Hitec HS-645 MG** (6 available) These are used **\$15.00 each**



Contact **Rick Swiderski**  
724-244-2235



Elder 40, 90% complete,  
Many extras! **\$50.00**

Contact **Don Accorsi**  
724-537-7577

# FOR SALE



**Sig Senior 78"**, 60 size, scratch built, 5 channel, never flown, No engine or internal components **\$150 obo**  
**Sig Senior 78"**, 60 size, scratch built, 5 channel, never flown, No engine or internal components **\$150 obo**  
**Piper Vagabond 76"**, 60 size, scratch built, 5 channel, never flown, No engine or internal components **\$200 obo**  
**Piper Vagabond 76"**, 60 size, scratch built, 5 channel, never flown, No engine or internal components **\$200 obo**

Contact **Jim Pavick**  
**724-423-5159**  
(or Lisa Pavick 724-757-5678)

# Message from President Jim Andrews



**Thank you for coming to LHMAC field!** New members may not be aware of the FAA requirements of the past several years. **These are the requirements** to fly at Mammoth Park Airfield:

**AMA membership**, go to [modelaircraft.org](http://modelaircraft.org)



← Or Click or scan

**Club membership**, go to [lhmac.org](http://lhmac.org)



← Or Click or scan

**FAA registration**, go to [faadronezone.faa.gov](http://faadronezone.faa.gov) there are 2 classes of registration, one for **recreational users(us)**, and one for commercial users. **For us**, recreational users, you will get one registration number that will be good for all your aircraft.



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**TRUST** ( The Recreational UAS Safety Test ) go to [modelaircraft.org/trust](http://modelaircraft.org/trust) to take take the test.



Remember, model planes and helicopters are considered drones by the FAA. After you complete the 4 steps, **make labels for each of your aircraft** that has the following things on it,

1. Contact info (Name and Phone #)
2. AMA number
3. FAA registration number

Attach this label to each of your aircraft. **FAA# Must be on the outside of your aircraft**

All other info can go anywhere on the aircraft.

While flying, you need to have 4 pieces of information in your possession:

1. Your AMA membership card
2. Your LHMAC membership card
3. Your FAA registration card (Small UAS Certificate of Registration)
4. Your TRUST Completion Certificate

At first it seems complicated but really isn't. The TRUST certificate is a lifetime certificate. The FAA registration is good for 3 years for \$5 and can be renewed keeping the same number. LHMAC is a yearly membership and AMA can be yearly, 2 years, or lifetime membership.

See you at the field!

Jim Andrews



# Laurel Highlands Model Airplane Club AMA #557



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## LHMAC Mammoth Park Model Airfield Boundaries



# **GAS/GLOW FLIGHT QUALIFICATION AND ELECTRIC FLIGHT QUALIFICATION**

**Qualification sessions must ensure that the flyer shows knowledge of and practices the field rules and can safely and competently execute the following:**

- I. Set-up and check aircraft, engine and radio correctly prior to flight.**
- II. Make take-offs to the left and right smoothly and under control (two each).**
- III. Make left and right hand rectangular patterns with proper turns at a safe altitude (two each).**
- IV. Make horizontal figure 8 patterns parallel with the flight line with proper turns at a safe altitude. (two each)**
- V. Make landing approach and landings from the left and right smoothly and under control (two each).**
- VI. Make simulated or real dead-stick landings on the flying site safely and under control (one each).**
- VII. Keep within the designated field boundaries at all times.**
- VIII. Any fail on a section of testing will require a re-test of that section.**
- IX. Qualification is only valid if completed in the presence of a qualified club member and a class qualified (gas class or electric class) designated instructor or club officer.**
- X. Pilots with a gas/glow qualification may fly any aircraft that is AMA legal.**
- XI. Pilots with an electric qualification are not permitted to fly gas/glow aircraft without the use of an instructor .**