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## July 2025 News

*Cub Scout Pack 151*



## 2025 Officers

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## Next Monthly Meeting

**Saturday, August 2, 2025 ,12 noon**

**LHMAC Mammoth Park Field**

**Klaka Road, Mt Pleasant, PA 15666**



# Message from President Jim Andrews



I hope everyone is enjoying their Summer. We had great weather, a great turnout, and some great flying at our Float Fly on July 12th.

**Just a reminder**, our next FloatFly will be on SUNDAY, August 17th. Before that is our Night Fly on Wednesday, July 23rd. Don't forget our Pylon Racing and Streamer combat, check our Live Calendar on our website for these and other events.

Jim Andrews

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two crepe streamers  
attached to the aircraft that is  
30+ feet long. They are all  
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# **Special Message to New Members**

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**Welcome to the Club.** This is a great hobby to be involved with. It combines the technical aspect that many of us like and the ability to be outdoors and enjoying Nature. One simple word can increase your enjoyment, and that word is "ASK". Aviators Seeking Knowledge.

**There are a lot of Club members** that have had the same questions as you. No need to reinvent the wheel, all you have to do is draw on the accumulated knowledge of our membership. Those of you that may have been involved in the hobby years ago and are getting back into it will notice some changes, mainly in the radio equipment being used. Not so obvious are the requirements needed to fly by the FAA. These are posted near the end of every newsletter. Please read these over and ASK if you have any questions. Who do you ASK? If you are at the Field, ASK anyone. If they don't know the answer they will point you to someone that does. Not at the Field? Call any of our Officers and they will be more than happy to help.

**Above all, don't go out and buy a new plane or transmitter.** This is where you really want to find out what works at our field by the people that fly there. Also we have planes and equipment that we can give to new pilots to get them started. Before that, we have trainer planes and buddy boxes, and most importantly, the training that goes along with learning to fly.

See you at the Field

Jim Andrews  
LHMAC President



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**[Map to St Paul Lutheran Church \(Nov.- April meetings\)](#)**



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Sun 13	Warbird Pylon Races & Streamer Combat 1pm	LHMAC Mammoth Field
Thurs 17-20	Summer Soar for Fun, Highpoint Aviation	Ridgeley, WV
Wed 23	LHMAC Night Fly (Rain Date Wed 7/30)	LHMAC Mammoth Field
Sat 26	Hubbard Wingsnappers Fun Fly	W. Middlesex, PA
Sun 27	Warbird Pylon Races & Streamer Combat 1pm	LHMAC Mammoth Field
Thurs 31-Aug 2	Wings over piper 2025	Lock Haven, PA

### August

Sat 2	LHMAC Monthly Meeting <b>12:00 noon</b>	LHMAC Mammoth Field
Thurs 7	Cub Scout Pack 135 LHMAC Flying Experience! (Rain Date August 14)	LHMAC Mammoth Field
Sun 10	Warbird Pylon Races & Streamer Combat 1pm	LHMAC Mammoth Field
Wed 13-16	Wally's Squadron	Somersville, PA
Wed 13-15	Golden Age Air Museum RC Model Meet	Bethel, PA 19507
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## October

Sat 6	LHMAC Monthly Meeting <b>12:00 noon</b>	LHMAC Mammoth Field
Fri 3-10	Nall in the Fall, Tripple Tree Aerodrome	Woodruff, SC

## November

Sat 1	LHMAC Monthly Meeting <b>12:00 noon</b>	St Paul Church
Thurs 6-9	Fall Soar for Fun, Highpoint Aviation	Ridgeley, WV

## December

Sat 6	LHMAC Monthly Meeting <b>12:00 noon</b>	St Paul Church
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Snyder Cup TBA    Scale Contest TBA

# July 5, 2025

## Monthly Club Meeting @ Mammoth Field

### Secretary Jim Zangerski

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Minutes for July 5 Meeting @ Mammoth park Airfield.

## Officers Report

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

**Treasurer's Report.** (May & June) Expenses- Secretary Expenses, President expenses, 3 Gems Catering, beverages, website domain name, Pleasant Unity pizza. Income – Hat sales, picnic donations, float fly donations, Westmoreland County parks donation (for parking). Bill C motion to approve, second by Bill K, motion carried

**Newsletter** Absent. Web mail is not fully functional. We're working on it. Be patient.

**Vice President** Raffle prize.

**Webmaster** absent

**Field control** Weed wacked last week, going to put up a new wind sock soon.

## Presidents report

**Runway Drainage** working on drainage ditch. Maybe using a ditch witch? Stay tuned

**IFC - Summer Solstice** Weather was great. Put it on your calendar for next year.

**IFC - Cival Air Patrol** Two days after Summer solstice Jim Z and Jim A went to IFC and gave the cadets an RC airplane experience.

**LHMAC Cub day (6/28)** was very successful

**Night fly** coming up July 23

**Highpoint Aviation** July 17-20 in Cumberland MD. RC pilots from all over the East coast com to fly HUGE gliders (25-30ft wing spans).

**Missing sign** New pole has been installed. Jamie Buxton is contacting a friend to possibly make a sign.

**Old Business** none

**KLBE Museum** open 10-2 on Saturdays

**Fuel Sales** fuel is available. \$25 per gallon. Contact Bill @ 724-493-5105 to purchase

**Meeting Adjourned**



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# Highpoint Aviation Airfield

A Premier R/C Soaring Destination

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# 2025

## Annual Soaring Events at HighPoint Aviation Airfield



### Spring Soar for Fun

March 20-23, 2025  
16th Annual Event



### Summer Soar for Fun

July 17-20, 2025  
13th Annual Event

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



### Fall Soar for Fun

November 6-9, 2025  
59th Annual Event



# Indiana Flyers Club Summer Solstice





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# Float Fly Acme Dam 7/12





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# Cub Scout Pack #151



# Message from News Editor Jim Zomerski

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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* **zomerski@gmail.com**

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

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# FOR SALE



**FMS 1400mm Zero** with custom airbrush weathering. Flown once and in perfect condition. **\$300**

Also selling **FMS 1400mm P-40** Tomahawk (never flown). Includes Spektrum receiver **\$300**

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

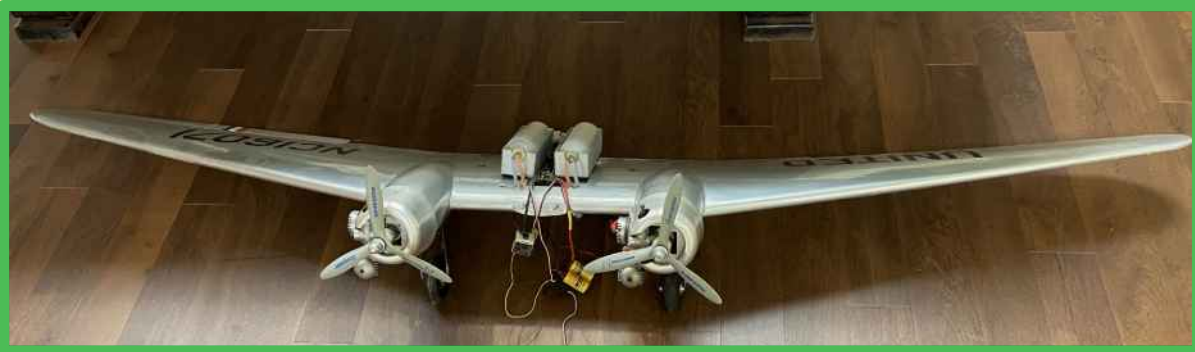


# Wanted

**1 decent shape electric high wing mid-level trainer. Will consider any aircraft that has or does not have receiver, but we need to have a receiver with SAFE mode. Prefer a plane that is at least 30" wingspan and no more than 36". I'm trying to get the plane that will advance my wife without making her panic with my Valiant or Sport Cub.**

**Please call or text Russ @ 412-586-8064.**

# FOR SALE



**Boeing 707 twin.** The wingspan is 82" and fuselage is 57" long. This was the pride of my father in law's fleet prior to his passing.  
**\$200**

Contact **Russell Long**  
412-287-2077

# FOR SALE



**Opterra 1.2m** has iNav flight controller, VTX, GPS.  
just needs RX and camera **\$100**

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

**AtomRC Dolphin** with iNav and FPV **250.00**

**Eagle PNP 3s** 1500-2200 **\$60**

**Drone backpack Skypak** **70.00**

**Desk lockable** **75.00** free delivery!

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



# FOR SALE



**Great Planes Big Stick 40.** 58.5 inch wingspan. Includes all servos no receiver. Powered by an OS .55 AX engine. Excellent condition.

Asking **\$300.00 with the engine, \$225.00 without.**

Contact **Rene Marquis 724-216-8327**



# FOR SALE



**Flex Innovations Cessna 170 floats NIB, yellow \$100**

**Tundra Tires, Carbon Fiber wing tips Carbon Fiber landing Gear strut supports \$120**

Contact **Dan Berti**  
412-606-5175

# FOR SALE



**Willhobby Extra-330S 120**  
NIB. All parts in original  
wrapping.  
Asking **\$325**

Contact **Rene Marquis**  
724-216-8327



# FOR SALE



**Tower Hobbies 40 size trainer**, 4 mid/high end servos (Dual Aileron servos), uses 4 cell LiPo battery, has Spektrum receiver, and four 4 cell batteries.

Price with receiver **\$225.00.**

Price with out receiver **\$175.00**

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



# FOR SALE



**Graupner MZ 24** Pro Hott 12 channel transmitter. Retail \$500.00.  
Comes  
With transmitter case . **\$250.00**

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



# FOR SALE



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

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

# 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. Flys 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**



# 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

# Message from President Jim Andrews



**Thank you for coming to LHMACH 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)



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**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 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:

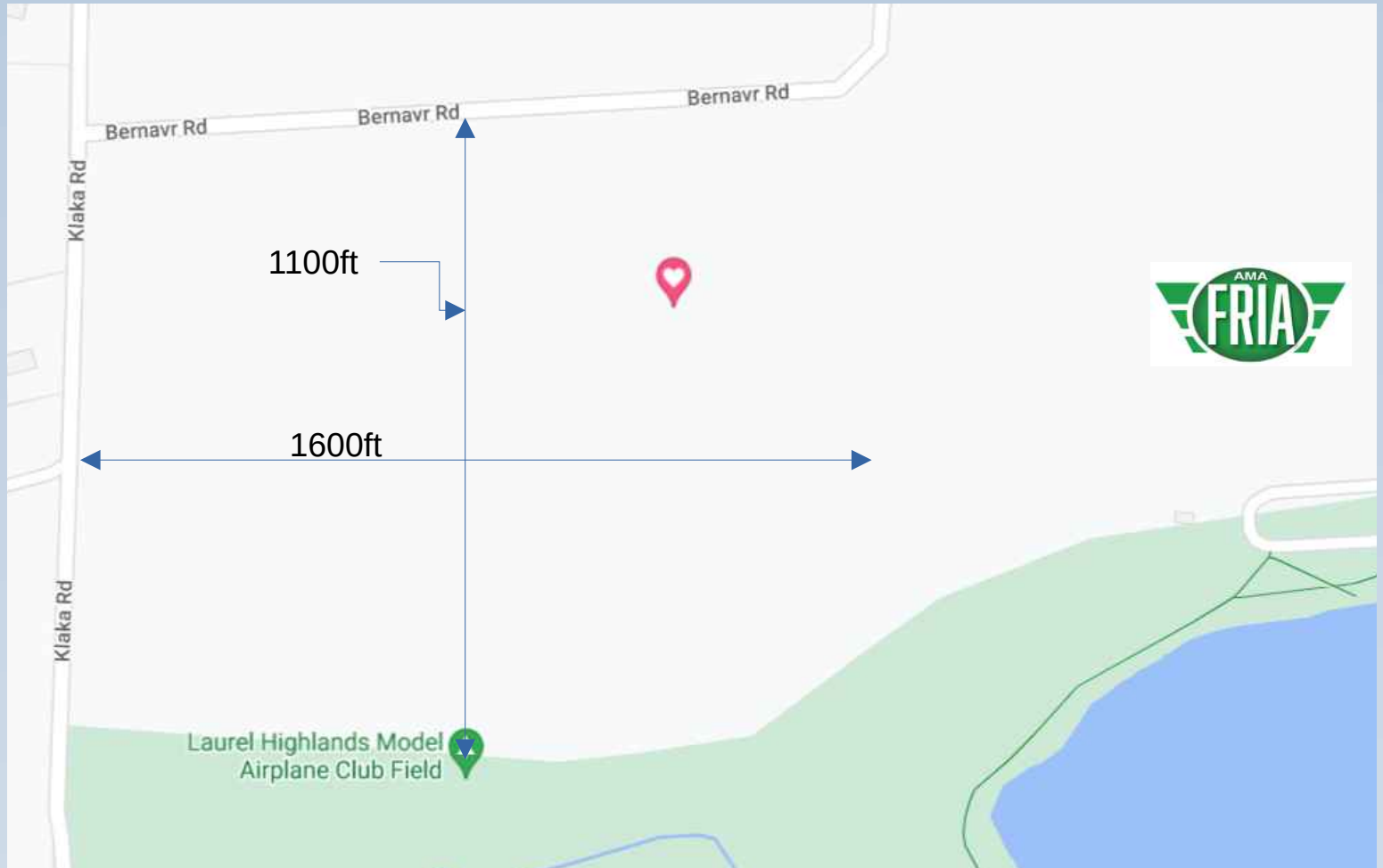
1. Your AMA membership card
2. Your LHMACH membership card
3. Your FAA registration card (Small UAS Certificate of Registration)
4. Your TRUST Completion Certificate

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. LHMACH 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



Click here for  
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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 .**