Sunday Flyers E-News January 17, 2019**** MEETING, this Saturday, January 19 **** BIRD FIELD ****



First Pilot Results

Tony Maiese's event was admirally attended:

2019 First Pilot pictures are on our website. You can find them on the "EVENTS" tab.

First Pilot Nitro - Bob Sauer First Pilot Electric - Eric Larson Last Crash 2018 - Bill Brailsford.



First Crash 2019 - John Holbrook piloting Mike Shimer's plane

December Meeting Summary

Dues were changed for Social Membership from \$20 to \$25. Social Members can attend events and participate in the food offerings. They, however, can not fly or vote at meetings. This may be a good option for non-flying members that want to see the club continue to exist. This change was overlooked in the dues discussion voted on in the October meeting.

If you choose to continue your membership beyond May of 2019, here are the new dues:

Regular members - \$85 Senior over 61 years - \$75 Senior over 64 years - \$50 Social Member - \$25

Early Bird Dues: If you send your dues in by the March meeting, you will be in a drawing to win \$100. Make check to "Sunday Flyers."

Mail to: Bill Polhamus 8 Ranger Ct. Parkville, MD 21234



There are about 10 members that have let their AMA memberships lapse. Let's take care of that please.

As a reminder, new officers are: President - Tony Maiese Vice Pres - John Stump Treasurer - Bill Polhamus Safety Officer - Mike Smith Rec Center Liaison - JR



Also voted on in the December meeting, we will be leaving the Dundalk Rec Program. It was necessary to be a member to secure a place to meet in a nearby Dundalk School. We haven't had to meet in a school for the last number of years. Also, we thought we had to be a member to secure Merritt Point Park for the Float Fly. Dundalk Rec President said anyone can reserve Merritt Point Park for an event. Furthermore, Baltimore County has demanded that Rec Programs run their funds through their books. We would have to turn over our funds to them and requisition money as needed.

So, we are drawing out our \$1000 and adding it to our Treasury and business as usual.

Bird Field Issues

Last year's field lease (\$2500) has been paid along with the \$300 for Spot-A-Pot.

Everything else still holding together under current austerity program. Kitchen roof needs replaced. We'll see what the Early Bird dues brings in. Thanks to John Coffey for replacing 2 sections of the chimney pipe. Nice and warm in the club house. Before: After:



Thanks to **Tony Maiese** for donating wood and constructing another log rack and to **Eric Larson** for donating the cinder blocks:



Thanks to <u>Mike Smith</u> for connecting us to Maryland Public Television. I've sent our television spot to the AMA Recognition Program. That should earn us \$150 grant from the AMA. If you want another look, here it is: <u>https://video.mpt.tv/video/episode-3101-</u> <u>Ohvrxg/</u>



All the links are SAFE. Allow your computer to go to them.

Thanks to <u>**Ted Schott</u>** for updating website (Corrections are still in progress). <u>www.sundayflyers.com</u></u>

Upcoming Events:

Feb 9, 2019 Westminster Flea Mkt http://flywam.org/flea-market/

February 22-24, 2019 AMA Expo East Secaucus

NJ https://amablog.modelaircraft.org/amaexpoeast/

March 9, 2019 Lebanon Flea Mkt http://www.cpaa.us

May 10-18, 2019 Joe Nall http://www.tripletreeaerodrome.com/joe-nall-week.php

July 10-13, 2019 Warbirds over Delaware http://www.delawarerc.org/warbirds.htm

August ??, 2019 - Wings over Piper http://www.wingsoverpiper.com/

September ?? – SF Annual Float Fly Merritt Point Park 7710 Dunmanway, Dundalk, MD

Tom Rapanotti FUNNY Page



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The police officer said, "Sir, my shift ends in 10 minutes. If you can give me good a reason why you were speeding, I'll let you go."

The old man said, "Years ago my wife ran off with a policeman. I thought you were bringing her back."

"That'll do," said the policeman. irishcraicandhumour.com

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It's in the plastic cabinet. Please put it on and, of course...return it.

TREE CLIMBER
 Dave Novak - 410-574-4667

Fee: \$60 minimum. ****
 **** <u>May be more</u> depending on distance traveled and complexity.

Last two tree rescues were \$70.
His name and number are also on our website home page.
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