# Sunday Flyers E-News Aug 2021

## Current situation - Bird Field.

## As of August 31:

To recap: We will have Bird Field through 2022 for an increased rental fee of $3000.

I have a list of names of members that volunteered to cover the full amount @ $150 each.

So far, I have 6 fully paid $150 donations and 1 partial payment. I'm not sure when the fee will be due. I will be paying this year's fee ($1250) by Thanksgiving. I don't know if I can hold off owner to pay 2022 by next Thanksgiving. So, if you want, you can send me your donation anytime. I have Paypal, Venmo and CashApp. Or, give cash to Steve Bonn.

Let's continue to safely enjoy Bird Field.
Please:
1) Keep Apart (Delta Variant is a killer)
2) Put cigarette butts in the butt containers
3) Store the canopy as previously mentioned in prior newsletters. Push the tarp ends toward the middle before leaving the field.
4) Finally…. Think about putting your chair back against the building before you leave. Lawn mowing is tough enough without moving the chairs out of the way. Thanks for mowing.. Mike Smith and Eric Larson.

THANKS TO **JR** for clearing up the trash behind the clubhouse and taking it to the dump.

This winter's unsettled Covid situation is sizing up as one that we should not consider going inside to get warm (there's no stove anyway).
**We need to get a log splitting day set up as soon as the weather breaks.** The wood pile is thoroughly seasoned. AND, of course, we need to get our burn barrels and wood racks back from 702 field.

If anyone has a source for seasoned wood that we can use in the barrels, let me know.  We paid $150 for ½ chord last year.

Also could use some flying tables from 702.

SAFETY NOTICE – Please note Bird Field's address in your mobile phone.  It's 853 Bird River Beach Road.  That will bring an ambulance or whoever right to our driveway.

## Riemer Field  18 Wildon Court Kingsville

We are still welcome to use Riemer Field.  Judge your ability to fly something safely.  Never fly alone.  Small to mid size electric planes are more suitable for this venue.  40 size nitro have not faired well here yet.  Consider, there is the disaster just waiting to happen when a nitro plane goes down into the home owner's or neighbors' houses.

If you go to Riemer Field.  Go through the gate, bear left down the stone road.  Then veer more to the left and drive with high grass just to the left of your vehicle.  Follow to runway. DO NOT DRIVE ACROSS THE RUNWAY.  Turn right and follow along runway to the end and turn left to other side of runway.  Set up on far side facing the house.

THANKS TO **TOM RAPANOTTI** FOR REPLACING A BELT ON THE RIDING MOWER LAST WEEK on a hot, nasty day.  I called him that morning and it was done by 2:00 pm.

Thank you… Thank you !!

Covid 19 – I'm completely vaccinated but have to be extremely careful as I am in touch with an "at risk" family member too young to get shots.

FYI – If you are vaccinated, you can still get the virus AND pass it on.  You just stand a better chance of not dying or going to the hospital.  As soon as I can, I'll be getting the booster shot.

The Delta variant is causing a lot of hospitalizations.  The Pfizer vaccine has been approved by FDA and approval is close behind for the Moderna and Johnson and Johnson vaccine.

# Upcoming Events – 2021

September 25 -Swan Harbor Flea Market.
www.swanharborrc.com

September 11 - **SATURDAY** Float Fly – Merritt Point Park
We have invited the Bass and 702 club to join us. JR is bringing his boat.

September 18 – Essex Day
http://essexdayfestival.com/

September 24 – Let's have a meeting at Bird Field

October 2 – 9 Joe Nall  (Nall in the Fall)
https://tta.aero/aviation-events/nall-in-the-fall-2/

# Notice: If you go into the woods. Wear the orange vest. It's in a storage tub on the picnic table.



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## REE CLIMBER
## Dave Novak - 410-574-4667

**Fee: $60 minimum. \*\*\*\***

**\*\*\*\* _May be more_ 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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