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From The President

Hello Everyone,

Our next meeting will be held at lakeside center. Wow, it doesn't look like it will ever quit snowing, but there is a bright side to this.. building.. just think of all the time you have to be in the work shop.

Don't forget about the mall show in New Philly, Feb. 26th – 28th, we need all the planes and help we can get. Let's show the other clubs just how to put on a show. We will also kick off our 50/50 drawing for our fly-in., and if you where at our last meeting, this may be our last fly-in, so come to the meeting, and express your thoughts.

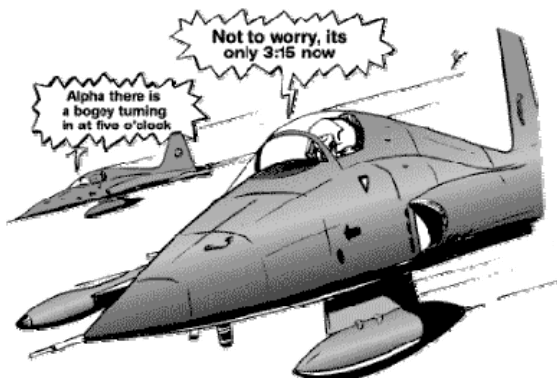
The AMA has a program that we talked about at the last meeting, called TAG. I have asked Kraig to try and link the information on the web site, we will also talk a little about this at the meeting, but if you have a computer, please check out the info so you will know a little better, of what the program is about.

Our membership dues should be paid, as we voted to pay all club dues by the end of December, or have to pay a \$5.00 late fee. I have left this up to our treasurer to enforce.

See you at the meeting.

Keep building!!

Ron



From Your Editor

Hi Fellow Eagles,

Global Warming? Giveth unto me a break! If I never see another snow flake it will be too soon. On the news this morning I saw where we now have snow cover in 47 of the 48 contiguous states! This is almost unprecedented in history. And to top that off it's supposed to snow in Florida overnight so it may make it so there is snow cover in all 50 states! Hawaii has snow cover on top of it's higher mountains and Alaska is almost all snow so, well you get the picture!

Dues are due, let's get them paid so we know how much money we have to work with next year. If you haven't paid up by the March meeting, you won't get a newsletter after the March issue.

We will be having grub and fertilizer treatments done on the field this year so look for us to have a beautiful field to fly off of this year. If the snow ever melts!

Word on the street is that the Akron Corsair Club is now going to be flying off of the parking lot at the old Rolling Acres mall on Romig Rd. They are still actively looking for a permanent home.

JR just sent out a flyer detailing there new 9503 2.4GHz 9 channel radio. It costs less than the 9303 it replaces but adds some additional functionality and a backlit LCD screen for easier readability. Street price should be around \$550 with the R921 Rx and no servos. They claim it's due in March but if past experience is a guide, it probably won't show up before June! See picture at left. Also is a picture of the new Futaba 10CG 10 channel radio.

It's beginning to look like 2.4 is going to be the only option when buying radios. The technology is cheaper, more reliable, and virtually trouble free. I can see the FCC phasing out our use of the 72mHz band in the near future. When I think back on the old Kraft radios some of us used to fly which had to have the receivers tuned to the transmitter, and were highly susceptible to interference and noise, I can't believe the reliability and quality of the new radios.

Kraig

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Club Meeting

**February 17th
Lakeside Center
6:30 PM**

Stuff for Sale

**Pioneer Biplane seaplane
built by Don Hickman
OS. 120 Twin older version
Futaba Conquest radio (no
receiver) 7 CH
Contact Jim McCoy**

