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Where Eagles Soar!

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President's Report

Hello Everyone,

Well, flying season is upon us, and from what I am told the field looks great, and so does the storage shed. Thanks to the field crew for a great job!!! We will have our next meeting May 17th, at 6:30 at the field, the club will provide the hot dogs, and again this year we ask that everyone bring a covered dish to share. Also bring your eating utensils and something to drink. I know we haven't been at the field this early before, but it looks like Lakeside may not be ready in time for our meeting and I don't want to chance having to meet somewhere else. The weather will be nice I promise!! (Please oh Lord)

I am still being asked and also receiving calls from members wanting to know when their dues have to be paid, the cost, and where to send them. The dues are \$40.00 until the March meeting, after that there is a \$5.00 late fee for each month they are not paid. This rule has been in place for years, so if you are late paying your dues, you will have to pay the late fees also. (Sorry) They should be sent to Don Swensgard.

This Saturday, May 6th, is the work party, and some of the members will be meeting a Gulliver's for breakfast, at 8AM. If you can make it, the work party is at 9:30AM. There is not a ton of stuff to do, but you will get a good look at the field, and we can talk about the planes everyone has for this year.

Till then Fly Safe!!!!

Ron

Editor's Notes

Hi All,

The Toledo show was great this year with many nice planes and a chance to talk to old friends and fellow flyers.

I have been to the field twice this year and the field is in the nicest shape it's ever been. Please guys remember to pick up after yourselves and not leave paper, broken props, cigarette butts etc. laying around when you leave.

I will not be at the May meeting cause I'm off to the sunshine state to commune with the mouse. For the record I painted the Extra cowl the other night and now I'm ready to sand it back down and do it right. Man I hate white paint. Should be ready to fly by next week (Yea Right!).

On a sadder note, I learned this week that Scotty Crossfield the well known test pilot and friendly competitor to Chuck Yeager and Bob Hoover was killed when the Cessna he was flying broke up over Georgia. Preliminary reports say he flew into a level three thunderstorm just before contact was lost. The wings came down about a mile from the fuselage which impacted in a near vertical dive. It's somewhat ironic that someone who flew the most dangerous aircraft ever built, would loose his life flying one of the safest. If that doesn't convince you that flying in or around thunderstorms is bad for your health, I don't know what will.

See you at the work party!!

Kraig

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Items For Sale

Dubro Quick Start XL
With charger
Nearly New
\$10.00
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May Meeting

May 17th, 2006

At the Field

Club will furnish Hot dogs and buns, bring a side dish, drinks, silverware and lets celebrate surviving another Ohio winter!!

6:30PM

Field Report

Hi All!

**WORK PARTY DAY AT THE FIELD.
TIME:9:30 AM DATE:MAY 6TH
SOME MEMBERS WILL MEET AT
GULLIVERS TRUCK STOP AROUND 8 AM.**

See you at the field!

Jim, Keith and Bob

Events

**Joe Nall IMAA Fly-In
May 17th-20th
Woodruff, SC**

**Guilford Lake Float-Fly
Guilford Lake State Park
May 20th
Lisbon, OH**

**Akron Float-Fly
Nimisila Reservoir Boat Ramp
May 27
Akron, OH**

