

the L.A.S.S. Edition

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Secretary's Notes

By Tom Wild

Treasurer Jim Baker called the April 2nd 2013 meeting to order. The minutes from the March meeting were accepted as published.

OLD BUSINESS:

MWSC registration is open so if you want your frequency from last year you need to sign up soon if you haven't already.

NEW BUSINESS:

Allan Worrest brought up the club roster and would like to get a better idea of who is a paid-up member so he knows whom to send the newsletter. Jim stated he would like to continue to send a newsletter to those who haven't paid their dues as a reminder we are still here and to keep them apprized of our activities.

FIELD REPORT:

No field report recorded this month.

The meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m..

RapidDry

Maybe it's just me, but every time I buy CA kicker, the spray nozzles becomes a "stream" nozzle after a few uses. That mystical smelling stuff has a habit of evaporating right through the bottle too.

I have found an easy solution to this problem. My wife uses a fingernail polish dryer called RapidDry. This is in a two-ounce spray bottle. The pump and composition of the bottle work great with kicker. I wouldn't be surprised if the stuff in the bottle works as well as kicker too. All I get are the empties.

—Russ Whitford, www.slopeflyer.com
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April Meeting Show & Tell

Darin Kelstrom displays his Miles 2-meter, RES sailplane. The Miles is made by Fineworx. A GOOGLE search shows it is sold by Kennedy Composites, www.kennedycomposites.com/

There are a several threads on RCGroups about this plane.

Next CLUB MEETING
Tuesday, May 7
7:30 p.m.
Willard Community Center
Folsom & West B Street
Lincoln, NE

Newsletter of the Lincoln Area Soaring Society

Field Soil Removal

In March Loren Blinde sent the following message and pictures of the soil mining operation at the Lancaster Event Center field. It arrived too late to be published in the April newsletter. — A.W.

“ . . . Regarding the dirt moving operation at the field, I was under the impression that a couple feet of topsoil was being removed and trucked elsewhere. Wrong. What I saw today is the beginning of a pond. I would estimate at least 15 feet deep with what looks like an overflow pipe on the north end. Pictures attached. You should go check it out and see where the deep holes are in case you find yourself fishing there someday .

Eventually we may have a pond bigger than the Lincoln Sky Knights’”



Regional Events

- 5/4- 5/5 Solon, IA (AA) MISTY MEADOWS SOARING CLASSIC. Site: 1818 Pinebrook. Terry Edmonds CD PH: 319-541-3437 Email: terry-edmonds@uiowa.edu. The contest is the first of the 2013 Ohio Valley Soaring series (OVSS). The series will be seven Midwestern meets including the NATS. Sponsor: EASTERN IOWA SOARING SOCIETY
- 5/16 - 5/19 Lucas, KS (AA) MIDWEST SLOPE CHALLENGE 20. Site: Wilson Reservoir. Michael Tallman CD PH: 316/524-4004 Email: miketallman790@yahoo.com. Visit: www.midwestslope.com. Annual Midwest #1 Slope Soaring Event. Unlimited, ODR and Foamie warbird racing. Foamie combat (event 458) class A and B combined. Fun fly during free time. Saturday night banquet. Sponsor: WINGS OVER WILSON SOARING CLUB
- 5/18- 5/19 Muscatine, IA (AA) MMAA GLIDER MEET. Site: Boyfield Aerodrome. James Rummery CD PH: 563-263-8402 Email: rummeryjim@peoplepc.com. 2 meter and unlimited Saturday. Res B unlimited Sunday. Registration by 930AM required. Lunch served, cash prizes. Sponsor: MUSCATINE MINIATURE AIRCRAFT ASSN
- 5/18 Lincoln Sky Knights Spring Fun Fly, LSK field, Waverly, NE
- 5/18 Western Flyer's Old Timers Fun Fly with Glider Fly - 9AM - 3PM, Mead, NE
- 6/14 - 6/16 Grand Island, NE (C) GI MODELERS RC AIRPLANO EXHIBITION FUN FLY. Site: Club Field. John Boord CD PH: 308/379-8027 8th Annual Fun Fly & Exhibition. All types Aircraft welcome. Scale, Electric, Jets, 3D, Fly what you bring. Raffle prizes/Pilot prizes. Food available on grounds. Club house, covered shelter, primitive camping and lots of motels. Landing fee \$20. Open flying all day on the 21st. Events to be scheduled for Sat 22nd/Sun 23rd. Sponsor: GRAND ISLAND MODELERS ASSN



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