

Cedar Rapids Skyhawks
LOG BOOK

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crskyhawks.org

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**Mark Woodhouse,
Tri-State member
who recently visited
the Skyhawks field**



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Upcoming Events

Saturday, October 20, 2012, Des Moines Modelaires R/C Auction, Swap Meet, Electric Fly. See details elsewhere in this Logbook.

Sunday, November 4, 2012, 7:00 PM, General Club Meeting at the Long Branch Supper Club.

(Pilots) will speak of things that are spiritual and beautiful and of things that are practical and utilitarian; they will mix up angels and engines, sunsets and spark plugs, fraternity and frequencies in one all-encompassing comradeship of interests that makes for the best and most lasting kind of friendship any man can have.

— Percy Knauth, 'Wind on my wings,' 1960.

Cover photographs needed for the Logbook

We would really appreciate people submitting photos for consideration for use as the Logbook cover. Cover photos need to be in portrait mode, and should be as high a resolution as possible, preferably 2000 by 3000 pixels or more. Furthermore, the top third of the photo should be sky or some other appropriate background so as not to interfere with the banner of the Logbook.

Reminder: You must have a current Skyhawks Membership Card to fly at the field.

Your 2012 Skyhawks membership card must be placed in your frequency pin slot when you have the frequency clip. Everyone must use a frequency clip. Thanks.

Club Meeting Minutes October 7, 2012

Todd opened the meeting at 7:00 pm with 17 members and 1 guest in attendance.

Treasurer's report: Geoff gave the treasurer's report. We now have 80 members.

Secretary's report: Jim B. read the minutes of the September meeting.

Old business: Nothing discussed.

New business: Mark Woytassek informed the group that while he was at the field he noticed that vehicles had been driving on the runway mat.

Wendell and Jim B. went to the field and checked for any serious damage. We were fortunate, the ground was cold and hard. We "lucked out" this time.

Jim B. took pictures, and Wendell contacted the Linn County Sheriff Dispatch Department and documented the occurrence.

Wendell and Jim B. put up two No Trespassing signs and positioned the orange cones at each access into the pit/runway area.

Wendell found evidence of other possibly illegal activity that might be going on in the area. We'll monitor this very closely.

All members please report any signs of "mischief" you might see, we need to keep on top of this and protect our investment. Thanks!

Mark Woytassek gave the group a detailed report of his flying activity, comparing his fuel costs versus his electric flight costs.

***** Tri-State visitors *****

Jim B. reported he was contacted by Mike Anderson, the president of the Tri-State modelers club (Dubuque area) to see if they could possibly come to Skyhawk Field to look at and fly off of the mat runway. Their club is contemplating adding a small mat for their e-fliers, and they wanted to see first hand just how much it would benefit them. Mike and three other club members made the trip to our field and we had a very enjoyable afternoon of flying on Wednesday, Sept. 26th. Their comments about our field were very positive, and we extended the invitation to return anytime. Mike Anderson and his group, Merlin Green, Mark Woodhouse and Bob Merrick did get the info they were looking for and also had a great afternoon of flying.

Nominations: Nominations were opened. Wendell nominated Todd for president. Larry Brewer seconded the nomination. Todd accepted the nomination.

Jim Buttleman nominated Wendell for vice president. Gary Owens seconded the nomination. Wendell accepted the nomination.

Geoff Barrance nominated Randy Lepsch for treasurer. Mark Woytassek seconded the nomination.

Larry Brewer nominated Jim Buttleman for secretary. Geoff Barrance seconded the nomination. Jim accepted the nomination.

Gary Owens made a motion that nominations be closed; Van W seconded it.

Safety Officer needed

Todd is looking for a person to be the club's safety officer. If interested, contact Todd for the details.

Congrats to Larry Brewer, his G B was in Model Aviation magazine. Larry did an exceptional job detailing this model.

Final round of sales for the contributed items was completed during the October meeting. Total money earned for the 6 items sold: \$1310.00

One item that was left, the Concept Fleet Biplane kit, did not have any bids. It is listed on E-bay and all proceeds will go to the club (current bid is over \$200).

The initial sale brought \$2727.00. Add the \$1310.00 and the total contribution so far is \$4037.00

Special thanks to the unnamed contributor and all members who stepped up and purchased aircraft that helped with the success of the auction.

Also thanks to Larry Brewer for storing and showing the aircraft as well as taking bids.

Show n' tell:

Todd brought the ZDZ 90 RV gas motor he's

planning on installing in a large Ziroli P-40. This should be exciting as Todd commented, "he didn't want it to be a slow warbird".

Jim Buttleman brought his Carl Goldberg Extra 300. This was part of one of our club member's estate. Jim was put in charge of the disposition of some of his hobby-related items. Jim decided to restore this airplane and fly it rather than selling it. He did a complete rebuild, bare frame up. The plane was in pretty bad shape, but not beyond repairing. A Saito 1.20 will power it, and it weighs 11 pounds. Jim thanks Wendell for his assistance and his donated items for the project, including a partial canopy and main gear that were from an old C G Extra that Wendell had.

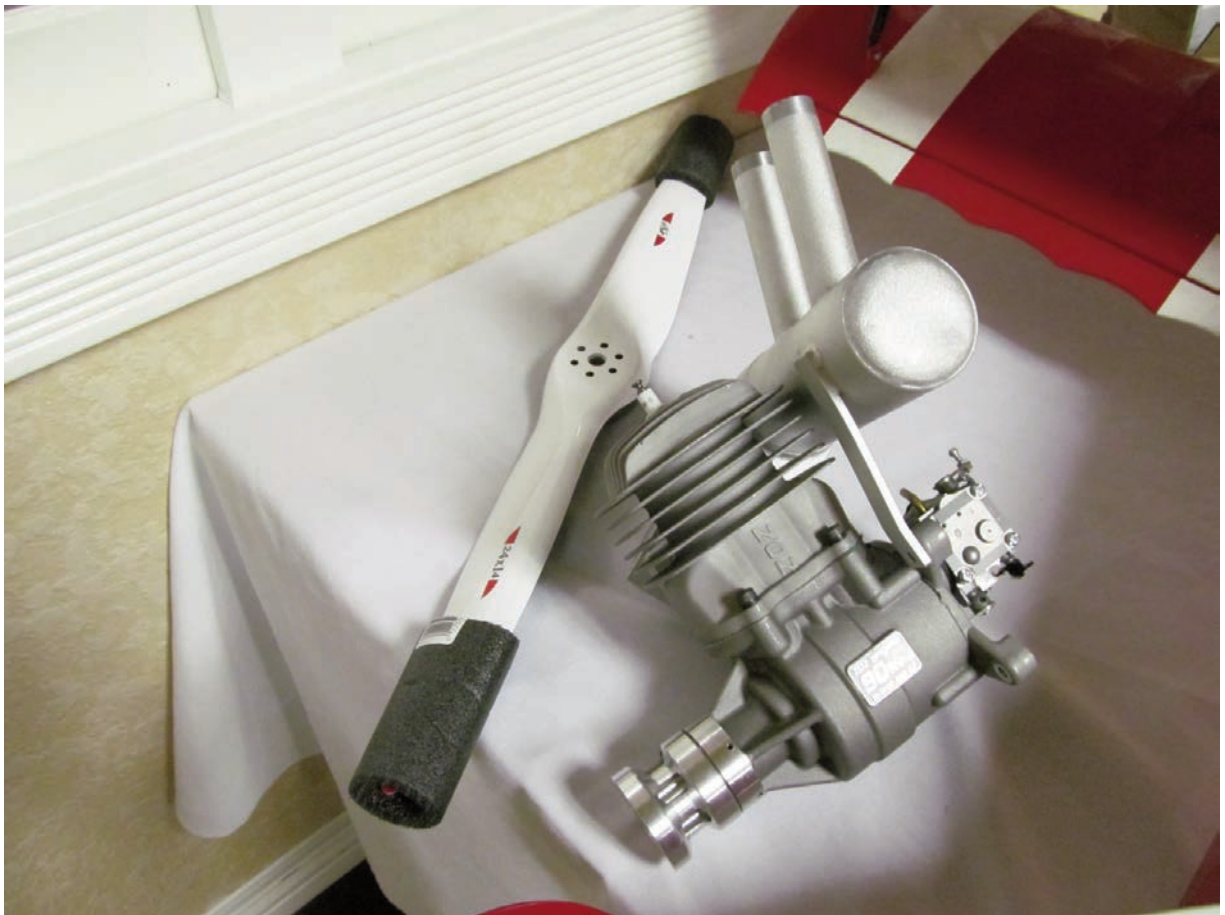
Van had his laptop and showed a video presentation about a WW2 pilot. This pilot recently flew for the first time in many years in the original plane he flew during World War 2. The plane had been recently restored to its original condition. This story was also in the Sunday Gazette on October 14th in a full page Hy-Vee ad.

Motion to adjourn meeting:

Motion to adjourn was made by Jim B. Motion seconded by Geoff Barrance, meeting closed at 8:20 pm.

Skyhawks Secretary, Jim Buttleman

Todd's ZDZ 90 RV gas motor



Jim's C G Extra 300



Merlin Green's U Can Do, DLE 20 Gasser, Tri-State Member



Mike Anderson, Tri-State President



Bob Merrick, electric twin, Tri-State Member





R/C AUCTION, SWAP MEET, ELECTRIC FLY SATURDAY OCTOBER 20, 2012

Doors open 8A.M. Swap Meet 8:30A.M. – 10:00A.M.
Auction starts at 10:30AM Electric Fly after Auction
WWW.DESMOINESMODELAIRES.COM

AUCTION INFORMATION

- Buyer Nbr. - \$3 Registration Fee (No fee for Sellers)
- To pre-register items, send item descriptions, and minimum bid to address below. Pre-registration information may be picked up at the auction site.
- Items sold in order of registration
- \$5 minimum (group items accordingly)
- Items with no minimum bid sold to highest bidder
- 10% fee on all items sold (\$2 minimum)
- No "No Sale" fee
- Fast computerized check in and check out
- All items must be removed after the auction

SWAP MEET INFORMATION

- \$8/table
- Setup at 8am
- Non-sold items may be entered in auction
- Send pre-registration to address below

FOOD AVAILABLE ON SITE

**OUR LADY'S IMMACULATE HEART
510 E. 1ST ST, ANKENY, IA.**



For pre-registration or questions contact:

Jim Lewis
Modelaires Auction
1479 NW 71st Pl.
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(515) 289-1144 or (515) 314-7904
CLONE2TB@GMAIL.COM

**DES MOINES MODELAIRES
R/C-AUCTION/SWAP MEET
Signup Forms
Saturday, October 20, 2012**

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Phone Nbr: _____ Email: _____

AUCTION ITEM FORMS

| ITEM NO. | SELLER NO. | BUYER NO. | SOLD FOR. |
|--|------------|-----------|-----------|
| ITEM DESCRIPTION (brand,color,size,etc.) _____ | | | |
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MINIMUM BID YOU WILL ACCEPT \$ _____

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SWAP MEET TABLE REQUEST FORM

Nbr of **ROUND** Tables: _____ x \$8.00 each = \$ _____

Mark the date!

PLEASE POST

10th Annual Iowa City Aerohawks **R/C SWAP MEET** **SUNDAY, JANUARY 20, 2013**

At the **National Guard Armory, Iowa City**

Open at 8 a.m., transactions after 9 a.m., **AUCTION** at noon!
All radio control interests welcome! 120+ tables! Vendors, too!

Easy load/unload. Breakfast & lunch: coffee, donuts,
bagels, soda, pulled pork sandwiches, chips available.

We've rented a HUGE facility with lots of space, and our
members, vendors, and friends will be putting out LOTS
of GREAT stuff from their workshops and home hangars:

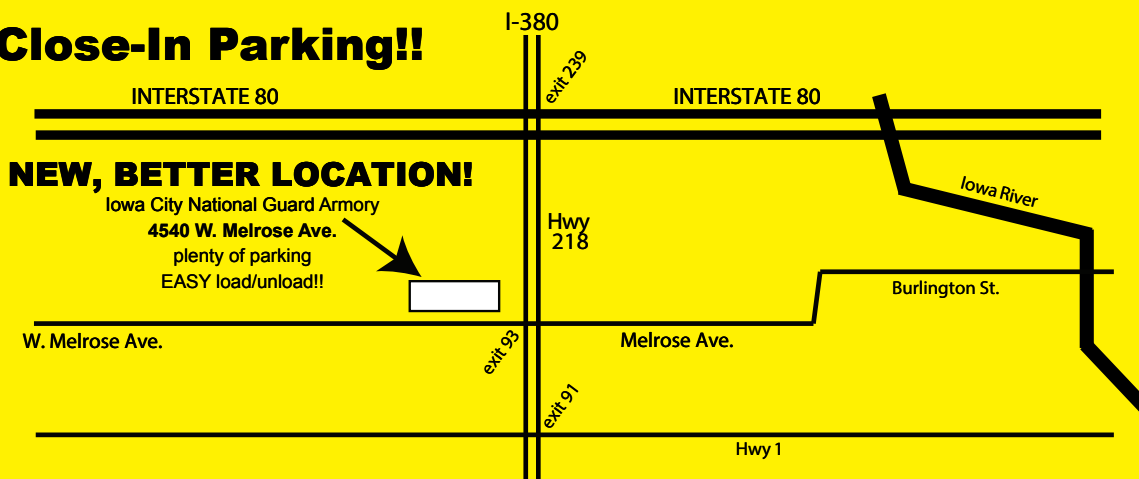
PLANES, CARS, TOOLS, HELICOPTERS, BOATS, KITS, ARFs

\$4 admission, Kids 12 and under FREE!

\$13 for 6 ft. table w/ chair (includes 1 admission), additional tables \$10
BUT WE SELL OUT SPACES EARLY and YOU MUST RESERVE AHEAD!!

Call Rich at **319-338-7561** days, **319-358-8519** evenings,
or email: **rich.vedepo@3e-co.com**

Close-In Parking!!



Iowa City Aerohawks is a radio control flying club. All Aerohawks are also
members of the Academy of Model Aeronautics, Chapter 824

See photos of past A-Hawk Swap Meets at **www.iowacityaerohawks.com**

2 Planes For Sale. Contact John Spargo at 393-0171 or email jspargo@spargoconsulting.com

Phoenix VI Pattern Plane, with O.S. 61SF Engine, Retracts. Painted by Bill Basler. \$600.00



Hangar 9 Cap 232, with Saito 180 Engine. \$800.00



Cedar Rapids Skyhawks Radio Control Club

Membership Application

Date: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Name: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (H) _____ (W) _____ Email Address: _____ AMA#: _____

Proficiency Level (Circle One): Student Pilot Instructor

Xmitter Frequencies Used: _____ / _____ / _____ / _____

Active (Circle all that apply): Power Glider Helicopter Other _____

How did you hear about our club? _____

Membership Fees

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|-------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Family \$78.00 | Open \$60.00 | Senior Citizen (65 and up) \$42.00 | Junior (up to 14) \$12.00 | Senior (15 to 18) \$30.00 | Associate \$20.00 |
|-------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|

All fees paid after October 1st each year will pay for the balance of the current year as well as for the following year.

If you are unable to pay at a club meeting, send your renewal with PROOF OF AMA (Photocopy of your current AMA membership card) to: Cedar Rapids Skyhawks, 1590 17th Avenue, Marion, IA 52302-2376. AMA MEMBERSHIP REQUIRED TO FLY MODEL AIRCRAFT. YOU MUST SHOW YOUR CURRENT AMA MEMBERSHIP CARD OR PROVIDE A PHOTOCOPY TO A CLUB OFFICER IN ORDER TO OBTAIN A CLUB MEMBERSHIP CARD. ASSOCIATE MEMBERS WHO DO NOT FLY ARE EXEMPT.

Cedar Rapids Skyhawks
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Deadline for submissions is the Tuesday following the Board meeting or the fifteenth of the month, whichever is later.
 Consideration for exceptions will be made where the information was not available in time and is of wide interest.