



THE INVERTED FLYER

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Members Birthdays June 2011

Doug Looker	Mark R. Bradley
Dave Butler	Chris Volek
John Kolberg	Greg Hine
Ken Miller	

Hey there RC Pilots..

Who rules the Roost now??

Good judgment comes from experience and experience comes from bad judgment.



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Dear Club Members:

It is finally Summer-Time and the time to fly. To get the summer season started off right and to have a wish-list for Father's Day we here at HobbyTown USA are running a Father's Day Sale starting Monday May 16, 2011. The sale is only open to club members in good standing with a valid AMA membership only. The sale is the same as what was done for the Christmas season:

ALL AIRCRAFT PRODUCTS AT EMPLOYEE PRICES!!!!.

The sale will run from May 16 to Father's Day (June 19, 2011).

The only stipulations are that you must be an active member and must have an active Academy of Model Aeronautics membership. Both must be presented at the time of sale. Your spouse or significant other can also bring in your membership cards to purchase on the sale. This offer includes all in stock and special order items!! Because all merchandise is being sold at employee prices (10% over cost) no other offers, coupons, or discounts can be used in conjunction with this promotion.

The staff at HobbyTown USA again thanks you for your support and we kick off what is hopefully a great summer of flying.

Sincerely,
Gary Kolm

BAS Minutes May 11th 2011

PRESIDENT— David Goodnow called the meeting to order at 6:35 with 11 members present. Motion made by David with a second by Al Coelho to accept the minutes of the last meeting as they appeared in the newsletter. Motion voted and passed.

TREASURE REPORT--Treasure Dean Ehn was not present. No report was given.

1ST VICE PRESIDENT REPORT--1st Vice President Augie Bruno stated the club now has 84 members of which 19 are float flyers. Our latest new member is Jeff Cushing. Welcome Jeff.

2ND VICE PRESIDENT REPORT--2nd Vice President Joe Sherran informed us of no new safety problems at the field.

OLD BUSINESS--Rich Anderson reported on the Mal Meador youth program. He has one new student for the coming season. He also reported the problem with the 2.4ghz buddy box has been solved thanks to Ken Miller. Rich again pleaded for more help with the instruction of not only for the youth program but for anyone wanting to learn to fly. Joe Sherran reported the charge station is still on hold. Augie stated he and the rest of the club members who joined in felt the cleanup day was a success.

NEW BUSINESS--The city parks dept. has put new restrictions on where and how we use the flying field during the nesting season. These restrictions are now in place. The instructions with map are posted in the shelter house. Joe Sherran displayed the new combination padlock which the club will use in the future. After a discussion a motion by Joe with a second by David to install the new locks next February 1. Motion voted and passed. The next meeting will be held at Chandler field June 8 at 6:30 pm. Motion by Rich with a second by David to adjourn the meeting. Motion voted and passed.

Respectfully Submitted Rudy Glick.

Making Dean Plugs Easier to Separate:

I'm sure you know how hard it can be to separate / unplug inline Dean plugs on your Lipo batteries. Recently, one of the pilots at the Western Colorado Slope Challenge suggested lubricating the flat, blade connectors on Dean plugs with conductive grease. I tried it and it works great! My Dean plugs now easily slide on and off.

One caveat: Use the grease very sparingly and make sure there's no grease between the positive and negative connectors, or could have a short. I don't remember where I purchased my small tube of GC Electronics Series II Conductive Grease and Anti-Oxidant, but my guess is you can probably purchase a tube at Radio Shack, JB Saunders in Boulder or just google for such.

Greg Hine

New Service for BAS Club Members
BOULDER AEROMODELING SOCIETY
Classifieds Page

<http://www.boulderaero.org/classifieds.html>

To place a classified ad on the BAS website, please contact **Mike Gulizia, webmaster**

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BAS Meeting, June 8th
6:30 PM Chandler Field

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