

May 2003 Edition

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CLUB MEETING: May 17 at 7pm at Boulder TEC Center
"History of RC engines" presentation by Dave Jansen

Next Meeting: June 11, 2003 at the Flying Field.

REMINDER

The last person to leave the flying field needs to ensure that the gate to the field is locked. The gate must be locked with the club's padlock locked through the city's lock in order to allow the city to have access to the field.

Any maintenance work at the field must be coordinated and approved by club officers and Boulder City staff. All maintenance work to be done at the field must first be coordinated with club vice president Rich Anderson (303) 652-2224. Rich will coordinate requested projects with club officers and Matt Claussen with the Boulder City Parks and Recreation Department, and if the project is approved dates will be established for the work to be done.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

On 5/02/03, Club officers met and gave final approval to the latest revision of the City agreement. It was delivered to the City to be submitted for approval. We don't know how long that will take.

On May 31st, there will be a field work day. We will discuss what needs to be done at the meeting on May 14th.

The meeting program is to be a presentation on the "History of RC engines" by Dave Jansen.

Saturday, May 17th, we will be participating in Erie Days. There is an airshow at Tri-County airport and they want us to have a display and have some planes to fly if time allows. There will be a model Jet turbine flight demo. 08:00 to 13:00.

We need a few more instructors to be available. Volunteers please contact Ken Jochim.

I wish to thank Rich Rooney for the excellent job he is doing for us as Porta-potty Marshal. I really appreciate the care he has given this project.

Terry Edwards, President

Jacques Harvey Memorial

Fellow BAS members, there will be a short memorial to one of our fellow members who passed away awhile back. The memorial will be held at Longmont airport at 8 AM on May 24th. If you wish to pay final tribute to Jacques Harvey before his final flight, feel free to stop by Hanger 25. This is the easternmost hanger with a windsock on the roof as you drive in from the main entrance.

The Harvey family would like to make a donation in Jacques' name to our club in order to help our younger members in their RC aviation pursuits.

Sincerely,
Steven Croft.

BAS MEETING MINUTES

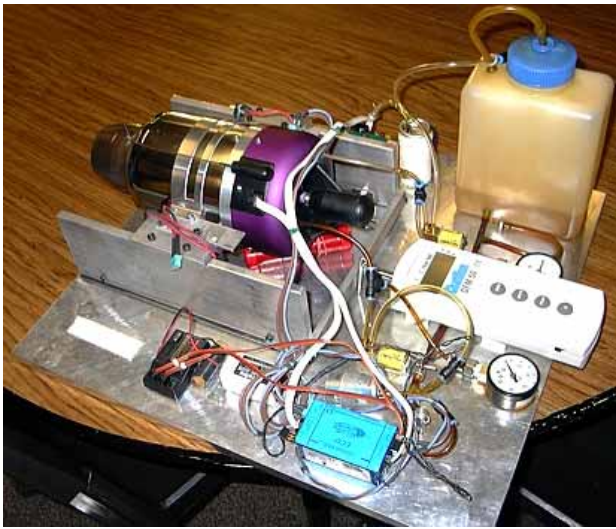
April 9, 2003

President Terry Edwards called the meeting to order at 7: 15pm. The meeting was held at Vo Tech.

Program

Terry Edwards introduced Don Bybee and Nat Lancaster, from the Jeffco Aeromodelers Club. Don and Nat brought a working Jet Cat turbine and an airplane with a turbine installed.

They explained the history of model turbines and talked about some of the differences in flying turbines and piston engines. They also mentioned that ducted fan engines are now used in far fewer numbers, as turbines are increasing.



Don and Nat described the operation of the turbine from startup to shutdown. The electronic control module is the key to the total operation. They explained that the turbine has a (“drinking problem”), with high fuel consumption. The length of flights must be carefully timed.



Club members were able to see a turbine in action, as Nat and Don demonstrated the turbine in the parking lot. Members were able to observe the steps in start up, run, and shutdown. The most adventures souls were given an opportunity to move the throttle stick (123,000 RPM were routinely recorded), while the thrill seekers stood behind

the engine nozzle enjoying the sweet smell of burned kerosene.

Don and Nat represent “Jet Cat” for sales and service.

They invited BAS members to the Jeffco Aero Modelers Jet Rally at the Chatfield Reservoir on June 6, 7, and 8, 2003.

This was a great program enjoyed by all. Thank Terry for a great program!

Minutes

The minutes were approved as written in the Newsletter.

Treasurers Report

Ken J reported a balance of \$5,936 and change, after the \$150.00 AMA renewal dues were paid.

Old Business

Ken Jochim reported on the city agreement. There are major concerns about liability for individual members. Ken is working to get some rewording in this area.

Richard Anderson reported that the areas of concern not shown on the aerial map have now been included. Mowing of the grass runway is still uncertain. Currently the timetable for completing the agreement is uncertain.

There will not be any model flying at the EAA airshow, but members agreed to have a static display.

New Business

The May 14, 2003, meeting will be held at the Vo Tech.

Program: Dave Janssen – History of RC Engines

Members agreed to fly models at the Erie Airshow on May 17.

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 p.m.



Glenn Miller presented a show and tell of the airplane that he built.

A raffle (“great stuff exchange”) was held.

Respectfully submitted,
Russell Larsen, Secretary

FLYING FIELD HOURS

9:00am to dusk on weekdays
10:00am to dusk on weekends

INSTRUCTORS LISTING

Call if you need help getting started:

Steve Croft (303) 651-9104
Tony Kilwein (303) 438-8500
Wendell Wickstrom (303) 494-9324

ON THE HORIZON

Next Club Meeting: *June 11, 2003*
Flying Field

CLASSIFIEDS

There were no new ads submitted this month.
Previous classified ads can be found at the Club Classifieds page: www.milehighwings.com/club/classifieds

THE YELLOW PAGES

A listing of area merchants whose products are of interest to R/C enthusiasts; provided as a service to our members. Some will give you a discount with your current club card.

Boulder Hobbies, 2125 32nd Street, Boulder (303-442-8669), Phil Battany

Mile High Wings sales@milehighwings.com The source of R/C Simulator interfaces: www.milehighwings.com BAS members get 10% discount

Action Hobbies, 1477 Carr, Lakewood, (303-233-6275), Glen A. Magree

Hobby Town, 800 South Hover Rd. Longmont, (303-774-1557) Jim Koln

Don's Hobbies, 815 10th Street, Greeley (970-353-3115) Tony Farro

Things with Wings, 6268 W. 10th #2 Greeley (970-352-1067) Jim Richardson

Hobby Town, 6815 W. 88th Ave., Westminster, (303-431-0482), James Miley

Hobby Giant, 5545-A, Olde Wadsworth, Arvada, 303-940-9238, Larry Cencich.

Helipport Hobbies, 1400 W. 70th Street, Denver 303-430-8828, also Magnum Fuels

KEEP SMILIN'

Are you older than dirt?

Count all the ones that you remember, not the ones you were told about! And no fudging!

- ' Blackjack chewing gum
- ' Wax Coke-shaped bottles with colored sugar water
- ' Candy cigarettes
- ' Soda pop machines that dispensed bottles
- ' Coffee shops with tableside jukeboxes
- ' Home milk delivery in glass bottles with cardboard stoppers
- ' Party lines
- ' Newsreels before the movie
- ' P.F. Flyers
- ' Butch wax
- ' Telephone numbers with word prefixes (Capital 4-4374)
- ' Peashooters
- ' Howdy Doody
- ' 45 RPM records
- ' S&H Green Stamps
- ' Hi-fi's
- ' Metal ice trays with levers
- ' Mimeograph paper
- ' Blue flashbulb
- ' Packards
- ' Roller skate keys
- ' Cork popguns
- ' Drive-ins
- ' Studebakers
- ' Wash tub wringers

Ratings:

- 0-5 = You're still young
- 6-10 = Getting older
- 11-15 = Don't tell your age
- 16-25 = You're older than dirt

How many of these do you remember?

- Head light dimmer switches on the floor
- Ignition switches on the dashboard
- Heaters mounted on the inside of the firewall
- Real ice boxes
- Pant leg clips for bicycles without chain guards
- Soldering irons you heated on a gas burner
- Using hand signals for cars without turn signals

*from The Pilot's Log
Fort Worth Thunderbirds R/C Club
Charles Osborn, editor
Fort Worth TX*

Note to members receiving newsletter by snail mail:

If you send the editor your email address, we can send you the newsletter by e-mail. This saves the club 37 cents each newsletter PLUS you get all the links clickable and all the pictures in color rather than black and white. And you get it a couple of days sooner.

The Inverted Flyer is published monthly by the Boulder Aeromodeling Society as a service to its members. Submissions for publication are encouraged and can be but are not limited to: articles pertaining to Aeromodeling, letters to the editor, short news items of general interest to BAS members, and announcements. Space permitting, all submissions will be published except as follows: no anonymous letters or any submission containing morally objectionable content or language, as

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