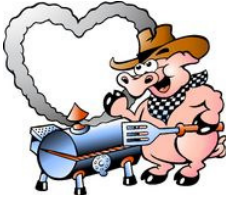




July 2016 Edition



*** * * Club Picnic * * ***



Don't forget, Club Picnic is on Saturday July 16th.

The field will open at 10:00.

Entrance or use before 10:00 is prohibited by the City of Boulder.

The field will be open but the charge station will not be available until after the meal is completed as the counter will be used for food setup.

Food will be served about 11:45.

This years picnic will be catered by Famous Dave's.

(Same as last year)

Georgia Chopped Pork

Texas Beef Brisket

Wilber Beans

Potato Salad

Sandwich Buns

Watermelon/Cantaloupe

Soft drinks, Fruit drinks and Water will be available.

This years picnic is being coordinated by David Goodnow.

Give him a big thank you when you see him.

Float flying @ Lake David

Although not really named Lake David, it is fondly thought of as such by the BAS Float Flyers. The name comes from club member David Goodnow which has set up the outing for the last few years. It is a beautiful private lake located off of Peak-to-Peak highway at about 8600 ft altitude.



With snow covered Mt Audubon in the background, smooth water and great company, what more could you ask for.

Although the 8600' altitude has been a challenge in the past for fuel engines, the migration to mostly electric aircraft has reduced the power loss problem but still leaves you the challenge of flying in thin air.

About 10 members enjoyed great weather in the morning and got out just before the afternoon storm came in.

A stop for lunch at "Smokin' Dave's" BBQ in Lions rounded out a perfect day.



The crew, relaxing on the dam.

One-Design Racing



Club member Greg Hine authored an article on R/C Slope Soaring in the June issue of Model Aviation.

"One-Design Racing (ODR) specifies certain limitations on an airframe to make the race about pilot skill, instead of purchasing power. This guest column is written by Greg Hine, of Boulder, Colorado, who is an avid ODR competitor."

The full article is available under "RC Slope Soaring" on page 115 of my digital version. I assume the hardcopy page numbering should be the same.

Check it out...

AMA Sanctioned FPV Race

The Longmont Electric Flyers (LEAF) has reached an agreement with MultiGP to jointly host a FPV drone contest on July 23rd at the new LEAF field in Longmont, CO. This will be the first FPV contest at LEAF's new FPV/Heli/Copter field which is part of the new field layout. This will be an AMA sanction event.

For more information:

<http://leafrc.com/index.php?page=fpv-race-event>

Or visit the LEAF website at:

<http://www.leafrc.com/>

Minutes of BAS Meeting, 6/8/16, Club Field

President Murray Lull called the meeting to order at 6:33 pm.

There were 9 members and one guest present.

A motion to approve the minutes of the previous meeting was made by Dean Ehn and seconded by Greg Hine. Minutes were approved by a show of hands.

No new information was reported by either first vice president Chester Shans or Secretary Ken Jochim.

Dean Ehn provided an overview of the club's current finances.

Al Coelho reported that we have 82 members with 22 in the Float Fly subgroup, including two new members that signed up at the meeting.

Old Business:

The bid for sealing the runway came in at \$1100. Motion to proceed made by Rich Anderson and seconded by Dean Ehn. Motion passed.

Murray thanked David McClintock for replacing the defective lock on the PortaPotty. Murray also expressed his appreciation for the efforts of the core group of club members that keep the club running.

Murray reported that the downed aircraft process seems to be working well.

As noted last month, spot weed spraying was scheduled for the upcoming Friday morning. Also during this time, the location for the new sailplane flying station(s) on the E-W runway will be located.

Everyone was reminded that the club picnic will be on 7/16/16.

There being no New Business, a motion to Adjourn was made at 6:52 by Ken Jochim and seconded by Dean Ehn. Motion Passed.

Respectfully Submitted, Ken Jochim, Secretary

Field maintenance

Many of you may remember the BAS Spring Work Parties to attack the weeds. They usually were on a Saturday morning and attended by 10 to 12 volunteers armed with weed wackers and hand sprayers.

Thanks to Rich Anderson, those days are gone. Rich now brings out his lawn tractor with a powered spray unit behind it and handles everything.

This was accomplished Friday the 10th of June so you can relax. Should be worth a "Thank You" next time you see him.



Rich unloading the tractor with Mike Gulizia. The sprayer is on another trailer.

Thank you Rich.

This months Food-For-Thought
(from your Editor)

**Don't always tell your problems
to everyone...**

**Most people don't care
and
The rest are probably glad you have them.**

This space available

Free

Input from our membership is being solicited (I'm running out of things).

Submissions for publication are encouraged and can be but are not limited to: articles pertaining to Aero-modeling, 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 judged by the editor.



Dennis Hesselius

Rich Anderson

Wendell Wickstrom

Parker Hopkins

Informative links

as you can never remember them...

Club Website: <http://www.boulderaero.org>

BAS RC forum: www.tinyurl.com/boulderrc

FAA UAS home page:

<https://www.faa.gov/uas/>

FAA UAS Registration page:

<https://www.faa.gov/uas/registration/>

AMA home page: <http://www.modelaircraft.org>

AMA Newsletter:

http://www.modelaircraft.org/publications/AMA_Today.aspx

AMA Air: www.youtube.com/modelaircraft

AMA District IX (Yahoo groups)

<https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/amadistrict-ix/info>

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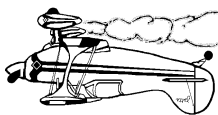
Foam cutting www.vicsrc.com

Will purchase Estate Lots or entire large RC collections.

Richard Myron 303-746-4274

Links should be active. Mouse over and click on them.

Next Meeting 6:30 PM Wednesday July 13th at the flying field.



THE INVERTED FLYER

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