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SPORT FLIER OF THE YEAR



More dinner pics
inside!!!

For those who attended the club dinner earlier this month, you'll recognize the smiling face of Gary Swist II receiving his well-deserved **Sport Pilot of the Year** award from president Dave Mauger. Gary, who a worthy competitor both on the field and in the workshop, and who supports the club by participating as a member of the Executive Board, walked away with the competition this year. Thankfully for us Sport Flier Points don't roll over to the next year :) Please be sure to congratulate Gary when you see him on a job well done!!!

Speaking of the club dinner, I hope everyone enjoyed themselves as much as I did at our annual event. Moving upstairs at the 618 Park Avenue restaurant made the event even better than last year when we in the old downstairs ballroom (now general seating for the remodeled restaurant). I'm confident that everyone had a great time, and I believe President Dave is already working on securing our reservation for 2018. I'd like to thank Stu and Dave for all the hard work it takes to put together this event. And if you need another reason for coming to next year's club dinner, Stan has already indicated that he'll be producing a new movie for the event!!!

Lastly, be sure to remember that this month's club meeting is on **Thursday February 23rd** (not Wednesday as is the norm). This meeting will also include voting for Model of the Year, in addition to our regular MOM. Eligible models for Model of the Year (as well as qualifying rules) are included in this issue.



Recording Secretary's Report

by
Darryl Schlosser

Our **January Meeting** was held on the 26th at the **Eatontown Public Library** meeting room, **24** members were present.

Dave called the meeting to order. I presented the Secretary's Report and Stu read the Treasurer's Report.

Business

- Last call to make reservations for our Annual Gala Banquet and Awards Dinner. Even if you can't attend don't forget to purchase a ticket to win our special raffle. Max 2 tickets per member.
- Rob highlighted his recent Santa's Training Mission event in which Dave emerged victorious.
- Adam recounted our annual Jan 1st Brass Monkey fun fly. Tom edged out Rob and Gary to grab a coveted Monkey. The parking lot was overflowing with many spectators. I counted 35 people at one point. Great Day!
- Adam announced that he will be more diligent in tallying Sport Flier of the Year points on a monthly basis, stating that Laura has agreed to keep him focused (help him).

- Dave said that he would be purchasing group tickets for AMA Expo East (former WRAM Show) and said if you wanted one to sign up and pay him. The show at the Meadowland Expo Center is Feb. 24, 25, and 26th.
- The membership asked Dave what the status of the Weather Station was. He said he had to contact Dorbrook to try and move our project forward.
- It's almost time for another JCSF pilgrimage to PA. Yes, the Lebanon Flea Market is March 11th. Great place to find all the goodies you'll need to fortify your flying cache.

Model of the Month

No entries this month.

Dapper Bob L. won
the Hacker P51D
Mustang Raffle
Prize



On Feb.16th, Many of us enjoyed our first indoor fun fly in St. Joseph's Gym. We plan to book another date soon.

2016 JCSF Club Dinner

On Saturday February 4th we had our annual club dinner to celebrate the prior year and recognize the accomplishments of our talented pilots. Add in a delicious dinner and it was a fantastic evening!

As mentioned earlier, Gary Swist II took top honors this year, winning the esteemed Sport Pilot of the Year award. Gary will host the loving cup for the year, and keep a nice plaque that he'll definitely hang in a very honorable place in his house.

We periodically recognize club members for outstanding work done on behalf of the club. This year the Exec Board awarded Chris Wantuck for all he has done for the club, which includes helping out at pretty much every club event, and let's not forget Chris finding us a place to meet when we lost RBRHS a few year's ago (Red Bank Elks Club). I'd like to thank Chris again for all he has done (and still does) for our club.

One of the best parts of the dinner is the awarding of door prizes, and the big raffle. The door prizes include two large prizes, which go to the owner of first ticket pulled, and the last. Chris Wantuck was pulled as the first winner, and he selected the Turnigy motor/speed controller pair. And after a long, nerve-wracking wait, yours truly had the last ticket pulled, and I happily took home a Spitfire ARF!!! For the big raffle our good friend Darryl Schlosser won the SIG T-Clips ARF, which I believe will be one of his new contest planes for the upcoming flying season.

We are already working on reserving the restaurant again for our dinner next year. In addition we will have a new Stan Berger production to view, so be sure to keep your eyes open for next year's date!



2016 JCSF Model of the Year

As is tradition, at the February club meeting we vote on the best model of the prior year. All models that won first place in the prior years' Model of the Month and Projects Nights are welcome to participate. There is only one rule for qualifying— the model in question must have been flown at least three times before the February meeting (no hangar queens allowed).

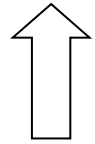
Following are the models that qualify for the vote. For those who won multiple times, a quick recommendation— pick your “best model” for the vote. While you’re welcome to bring more than one model, you may end up competing against yourself.

Month	Pilot	Model
January	Jake Mauger	HK Margarita
February	Bob Keibley	F-18 Hornet
March	Gary Swist II	Panic biplane night flyer
April	Gary Swist II	Buzzard Bombshell (Project Night)
May	Adam Lilley	Nosen P-51
June	Stu Katz	Maxford Swift
July	Gary Swist II	Lanier Dominator 200
August	Rob Kallok	Hammerhead night flyer
September	Jake Mauger	Fun-51 (Project Night)
October	John Tomaino	Skyshark SPD Dauntless
November	Jake Mauger	Fun-51
December	Gary Swist II	No Foamy Bologna night flyer

JCSF Indoor Flying

As President Dave let everyone know, we’ve recently found a place for indoor flying (courtesy of Darryl Schlosser). St. Joseph’s church in Keyport has a gym that we were able to rent for a very reasonably cost. Price per pilot for two hours of flying was \$10, which was a bargain as the space is ideal for “box planes” and other small foamies.

We had our first taste of flying in the gym this past Thursday night 2/16. We had about twelve pilots at the event, and the air was crawling with planes and small quads. To say we had a great time is a dramatic understatement. Suffice to say we’ll be renting the gym again in the very near future and Dave will be letting everyone know when the next indoor flying session is. I strongly suggest checking it out!!!



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UPCOMING EVENTS

Next Meeting – THURSDAY February 23th, 8:00 PM at the Eatontown Public Library. Model of the Year, Model of the month and raffle.

February 24-26 – AMA Expo East (formerly WRAM Show)

Saturday March 11— Lebanon Flea Market

Saturday March 18— Adopt-A-Road 9am (Stu Katz)