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## WELCOME SPRING!!!

### **In this issue:**

- First Quarter Sport Flier Points
- Spring Adopt-a-Road
- And Darryl's meeting report!



Hopefully everyone saw Dave's announcement of our new club website, courtesy of Mr. Stan Berger. I'm not sure how many of you know, but Stan tried working with multiple developers to get the website rewritten, but somehow each one couldn't or wouldn't do the job. As a result Stan took it upon himself to redesign and create the website, which was a non-trivial task. But the results speak for themselves. The new website not only looks great on your PC's big screen, but also scales great on hand-held devices, which is a big deal. My favorite enhancement is the new JCSF gallery feature under the [Photos/Video](#) section. No more having to open and close individual pictures! If you haven't had a chance to check it out yet I recommend doing so as soon as you can at [www.jcspportfliers.org](http://www.jcspportfliers.org) (yes, this is the same web address we had before).

You may be wondering why I picked Bob's picture to start off this issue. Well, this pic is from last year's [Streamer Chase](#) contest, and it just happens to be our first outdoor contest of this year (Brass Monkey naturally not counted here). Bob will again CD this event on **Sunday April 2nd**. The great thing about this contest is that you don't have to be the most precise pilot to be competitive or have fun. Rusty thumbs are OK here. The only rule to keep in mind is to watch your own plane, and not your buddy's who you're chasing. Otherwise you might have another project on your hands.

This month's club meeting moves back to our regular Wednesday night timeslot. We'll be staying on this day until we get to fall, when we're back to Thursdays starting in October. Critical for this month is that this is the last opportunity to pay your dues in person for the new year. The list of pilots who still need to pay up is covered later in this issue (courtesy of Darryl).



# Recording Secretary's Report

by  
Darryl Schlosser

Our **February Meeting** was held on the 23rd at the **Eatontown Public Library** meeting room, **21** members were present.

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

## Business

- Many last minute ride sharing issues were resolved for the trek to the AMA Expo East Show held at the Meadowlands Expo Center Feb. 24th—26th. I must say that I was pleasantly surprised by the caliber of the show knowing that the AMA took control with short notice.
- The club agreed that our dinner was a big success and wanted to see if we can book it again next year for the end of February. Thanks Dave for pulling all of the loose ends together and making it happen.
- We liked our first indoor fun fly so much that we held another on March 9th. We are also planning another before the end of the month. Date and time will be announced as soon as it is confirmed.
- On March 11th we will once again journey to The Lebanon Flea Market. This is the biggest flea market in the area. See you there.
- March 18th is our first Adopt-A-Road. Stu is in charge of this event and requests that you call his cell for updates if the weather is questionable.
- It's almost time for our first fun-fly of the year so dust off your junker and bring it out on April 2nd to our Streamer Chase. Bob K. will CD the event.
- Tom C. will CD Balls Fun-fly on April 23rd.

No Body won the Raffle Prize cause we forgot to bring it.



## Model of the Month

1. Rich Border Won with his Sig Senior Kadet. Rich used old school Ambroid Glue and covered with silk and dope. His electric powered bird weighs 9.5#



Rich also brought in this MIG-29. Built from a Hobby King Glue & Go Kit and uses a 3C for power.



2. Ken K. scratch built this F22 using 1/2" blue foam. It sports a 100A speed controller and 6C 4500 LiPO. Nice Job.



3. Gary S. built this 38" Hobby Lobby "Judge" 3D Edge 540. He powers it with a AXI 2212-26 motor.





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## Model of the Year

1. Gary won **Model of the Year** with his **Aviacraft Panic** designed by Robert Newman of Kent, UK. After winning Model of the month, Gary went on to take home the **Best Sport Model Award** at the **Neat Fair**. Gary had purchased one of these planes many years ago and enjoyed it so much that he wanted another one. When he tried to obtain another kit they not longer shipped to the US so he decided to use its remains to draw up a set of plans and build one himself. This 48" wingspan plane is illuminated with **530 LED's**. The snap on struts provide power between the wings. He decided to cover each wing rib in chrome so that the light from the LED's would be reflected and diffused. A 50 mm motor propels this 4 1/2# plane. Gary added 3 1/2# of battery for balance bringing the all up weight to 7#. A 15-6 prop provides enough thrust for unlimited vertical performance.



2. Jake brought his Fun-51 bones in to win **Project Night** and then trucked the finished model back to win **Model of the Month**. Now he managed to come in 2nd for **Model of the Year**. With all of these pedigrees your Fun-51 is destined to win many fun -flies. Keep building Jake.

3. Rob K. calls his custom designed and built creation **Hammer-head**. This design uses a KMF-2 airfoil for lift and was fabricated with EPP foam and carbon fiber for reinforcement. Rob managed to imbed many LED's into the foam so that the airframe glows. 3D printed motor mounts support two 400 size motors spinning latex shredding 9" props.



Below is list is of club members that have not rejoined for 2017. I compiled this list on March 12th. If your name appears and you have already paid, I apologize. Every Year this list is published in the March Transmitter .

- Per our Bi-laws Article (V) Item D  
"Any member failing to renew their membership by March 31st shall be dropped from the club roster and must pay the required dues and **repay** the \$50 field fund in order to rejoin."

Miles Abrams	Ivan Linden
Meshulam Almaliah	Chris LoPresti
Donald Archbold Jr.	Michael Marafioti
Jim Baye	Zoltan Mogyoros
Sebastian Benedetto	Michael Mokris
Brian Bilgrav	Tim Mulholland
Richard Border	Anthony Nardone III
James Catalano Jr.	Billy Niemann
Peter Chang	Paul Noglows
Kevin Coleman	Eric Olsen
Scott Coleman	Edward Pochinski
Wilfredo Coriano	Anthony Raineri
James Fagan	Frank Raineri Jr.
Lewis Fein	Bob Salamone
Felix Foggia	Ralph Schardelmann
Eric Giorgiantonio	Trent Schneider
Robert Green	David Segelstein
John Hess	George Tepper
John Hird	Christian Thompson
Marc Hunter	Michael Thompson
William Hunter	Rafael Vargas
Ronald Jantz	Patrick Wells
Frank Kemp	Wayne Yuhasz
Ken Kitchen	Robert Zupp Jr.
	Jozef Zurawski



Photos by Stan

### **Adopt A Road - March 18th**

Well, it just wasn't meant to be. We knew on Tuesday that the significant snowfall of earlier in the week might impact our Adopt A Road, but not knowing how much might melt by the weekend e decided to keep in on the schedule. By Friday morning (see pic) we knew it would a fruitless effort, so the decision was made to cancel the event and an email was sent out that evening to let everyone know. At this point it is unclear whether we can schedule for another date this Spring, so if not, We look forward to you in the Fall and thanks to all those who planned on participating on the 18th!

*-Stu*

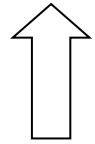


Photo by Stu Katz

### First Quarter Sport Flier Points

For 2017 VP Adam Lilley agreed to provide quarterly results for Sport Flier Points. The criteria for being on this list is that you've accumulated at least one sport flier point. As the year progresses and the list grows we'll filter the list as needed to allow it to fit in the newsletter.

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## **First Class Mail**



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### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Next Meeting – Wednesday March 22nd, 8:00 PM at the Eatontown Public Library. Model of the month and raffle.**

**Sunday April 2 – Streamer Chase 11am (Bob K. CD)**

**April 7-9— Toledo RC Expo**

**Sunday April 23— “Balls” fun fly 11am (Tom C. CD)**