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### WELCOME 2019!!!

Happy New Year everyone!!! As you can see we started the year off with one of our favorite traditions—the Brass Monkey! Gary S. devised yet another fun game to keep everyone on their toes, and you can read all about it within this issue. Please check it out.

I have some important reminders for the club membership. First off, your yearly dues are now “due”. Please remember to send Darry your renewal fee and your AMA info (assuming you recently renewed it). Secondly, our annual club dinner is coming up on **Sunday February 24th starting at 2pm**. Yes, it’s a Sunday and it’s in the afternoon. The Exec Board decided that we’d try something different this year, as some members have indicated that traveling at night during the winter is problematic. Having the dinner on a Sunday afternoon will address that.

In addition we’re having a buffet versus our regular sit-down dinner. We’ll have four main course choices, so you’ll get a chance to sample the entire gambit of foods rather than having to pick just one. We’ll also have an ice cream sundae bar again!!! The event will again be held at “618” in Freehold, and the dinner form is in the newsletter. This should be an awesome time and I really hope you’ll come and join us. Stu has picked out some great prizes for us, and Mike and Sandy have agreed to put together a slide show to highlight all the fun we had in 2018.

I hope everyone has been taking advantage of the cold weather and getting some work done in their shop, whether it be with a new kit or assembling an ARF you got for Christmas or Hanukah (I got a new *Duraflly EFX Racer*!). If you’ve got something cool to show off be sure to bring it to this week’s Club Meeting on Wednesday 1/23 at the Eatontown Public Library starting at 8pm. You can also pay your dues and/or submit your dinner form and payment as well. Dave will also talk about some of the cool things coming up in the near future— we’ll see you there!



Photo by Chris Wantuck



# Recording Secretary's Report

by  
Darryl Schlosser

Our **December Meeting** was held on the 20th at the **Eatontown Public Library** meeting room, 18 members were present.

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

## Business

- Dave spoke about the club dinner which by club input will be a brunch this year. We are trying to firm up a date of Feb. 24th at 2pm for the event. More to come in this addition of **The Transmitter**. He also discussed the rescheduling of **Santa's Training Mission** to **Dec 23rd**, because of weather. And don't forget to come out and bring in the New Year with us at our **Brass Monkey Fun-Fly** held **Jan 1st**, as long as the park is open.
- Dave thanked all that brought goodies to our meeting and wished everyone a Happy Holiday.
- All executive positions are up for reelection at this meeting. Bob Keibley will be moving out of the area so his Trustee Position is open. Nominations were opened. I requested to step down as Recording Secretary and the other board members agreed to run again. I nominated A. Michael Kouridakis for Recording Secretary and Rob seconded it. Mike C. declined to be nominated. Dave nominated me to fill the Trustee position and continue my membership duties. I asked if the nominees wanted a show of hands or a paper vote and they agreed to a show of hands. The attendees unanimously voted Mike in a Recording Secretary and me in as Trustee.
- Dues for 2018 are due. Please fill out the renewal form and bring it to the meeting with your payment or mail it to me with a **SASE**.
- It has been my pleasure to serve the **JCSF** as Recording Secretary. I was elected in Dec. of 1986. This will be my last column as I pass the Recording Secretary duties over to Mike. I wish him all the best!

## Model of the Month



1. Billy brought in this SE-5A he made from a Guillow's Kit. He covered it with Silk-span, vacuum formed some parts and carved a prop for it. It uses a 2S LiPO and weighs 6 ozs.



2. Mike is showing his Northrup Gamma. It's a Maxford USA (ARF). It sports Callie Graphic Vinyl and a 3d printed pilot. Weight is 26ozs.

3. Gary came back this month with the built SU-27 Hobby King raffle prize he won last month.



4. Mike is holding his tattered 2006 vintage P47D E-Flight bird. It's powered with a CD ROM motor using a 2S Lipo.

**No Raffle this month.**



## 2019 Brass Monkey

By Gary S.

It's a new year and this Brass Monkey had everyone blown away, because the winds were gusting at 30 mph or better. Still the temperature was nice, the sun was shining and the turnout was great. The contest was simple—I allowed members to decide on how they wanted to have it go. Considering the winds and the many required touch and go's, almost no one broke their planes (well maybe one). And Adam took a page out of my book and stuffed a landing to stop the clock. I loved it, and he almost got it! Good fun and some laughs is a great way to start the year. I'm sure the guys who came to watch were impressed at how every pilot handled the winds. And I was amazed to see many touch and go's at 80 degrees to the runway due to an insane crosswind. Great show guys! So I didn't get into what the contest was except that it was simple. That's because I was asked to make it a new contest.

So if you can fly (BASIC) maneuvers like loops and rolls, are lucky rolling dice and can do a touch and go, YOU CAN WIN no matter who's there. It's anybody's game this time. So please come out and join in "A TOUCH OF LUCK" on July 7th, 2019.

The daring men and flying machines were:

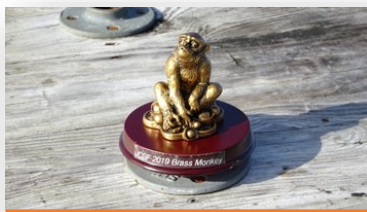
- 1st Gary S. 4 minutes 1 second
- 2nd Adam L. 4 minutes 8 seconds
- 3rd Stu K 6 minutes even
- 4th Dave M 6m 25 seconds
- 5th Mike C. 8 minutes 5 seconds
- 6th Larry B. DNF

Special thanks to Bob K. who had some damage getting out of the hanger due to high winds, but made it anyway. And Rob K. who helped with the stop watch.

*{Editor's Note: I actually brought a plane to compete with but on the way to the field my fuselage punched a hole in the wing. I think it was my plane's way of saying it didn't want to fly in those insane conditions.}*



Pilots Meeting



Monkey time!



Windy conditions



Mike getting ready



Big "D" checking out the action



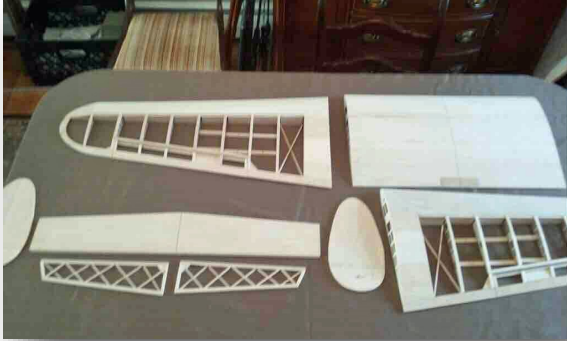
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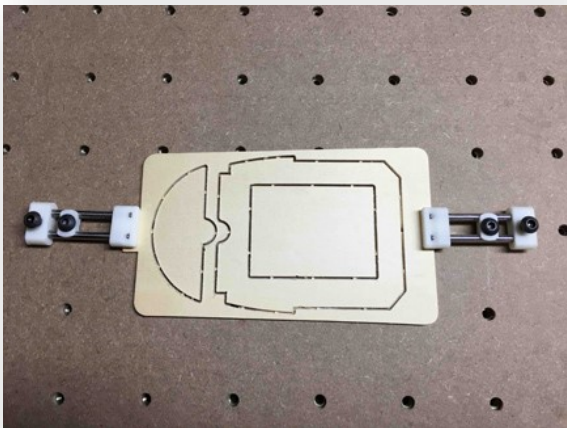
### Avro Lancaster Build Progress...

As I mentioned in last month's newsletter, a group of us are building a small fleet of 74" Lancaster bombers. I thought a quick update might be of interest—if anyone wants more details of this build feel free to reach out me or one of the other build team members!

- At last month's meeting Mike C. showed off his first set of laser-cut parts for the wing. Bob K. has taken those and built his wing, as well as the tail assembly. He's making extremely good progress!



- I've been coming up to speed on Fusion 360 while drawing up the formers for the fuselage based on the original plans. I made one trial cut on my Shapeoko CNC— it's looking good so far!



- We decided to use Master Airscrew 9x7 three-bladed props for propulsion, and put in an order for twenty (ten left-handed and ten right-handed). These should work great with the Turnigy outrunners we're planning to use (D3530/14 1100 KVA). This should give us a bit over 1000W on a 3S Lipo.



You can also follow along on the build via our thread on RC Groups:

<https://www.rcgroups.com/forums/showthread.php?3189961-Group-build-Peter-Holland-s-74-Lancaster>

## Jersey Coast Sport Fliers 2018 Awards Dinner Order Form

Sunday, February 24th, 2019, **"618"**, 618 Park Avenue, Freehold NJ 07728

2:00 –2:30 PM Cocktails (cash bar), buffet lunch served at 2:30

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_



Number of members: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of guests: \_\_\_\_\_

Lunch is \$35 per person and includes salad, pasta appetizer, and a buffet consisting of the following (4) dishes: Chicken Francese, Grilled & Sliced Flank Steak, "Grannys" Meatballs and Almond Crusted Mahi Mahi . Side dishes include Haricot Vert w/Almonds and Rosemary and Garlic Roasted Potatoes. Lunch is topped off with 618's famous "Ice Cream Bar"! As in previous years, there will be a cash bar and soft drinks will be available at no charge.

*If you have any special dietary restrictions or food allergies, please let Stu know and he will see what arrangements can be made on your behalf.*

### **SPECIAL RAFFLE**

2 prizes (1<sup>st</sup> winner gets choice):

Phoenix Models <b>Waco F5C GP/EP/Gas ARF 63"</b>	
Great Planes <b>Rimfire .80 50-55-500 OutRunner</b>	

*\$5.00 per ticket. Maximum of two tickets per member. Limit one prize per member. Winner need not be present to win.*

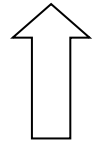
Dinner Cost (# dinners x \$35):	
Raffle Tickets (\$5 each, max 2):	
Total Payment Enclosed:	

*Bring order form and payment (checks payable to JCSF) to a club meeting or mail to:*

*Stuart Katz, 27 Longstreet Rd., Manalapan, NJ 07726*

*Questions: [stukatwork@gmail.com](mailto:stukatwork@gmail.com)/732-616-5743*

*Fill in email address for order confirmation.*



## **First Class Mail**



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### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Next Meeting – Wednesday January 23rd, 8:00 PM at the Eatontown Public Library. Model of the month and raffle.**

**Sat. February 2— ATOMS RC Flea Market (Hillsborough)**

**February 22-24— AMA Expo East (formerly WRAM) (Secaucus)**

**Sun. February 24 – Club Dinner, 2pm (Freehold)**