

Smoke Signals



Meroke RC Newsletter

YOUR CLUB NEEDS YOU! PLEASE VOLUNTEER



November
2018



Presidents Message



My Fellow members;

I heard that the workshop was a success, Thanks to all the leaders that brought in their Radios and helped to answer the, many questions. (Sorry I could not be there) .We all hope that next year there wont be problems as we had this summer, but being prepared is better than losing an aircraft. Holiday party sign up. First come the space is limited and we have paid for a better package, (Angelina's Lynbrook) than the last time. I hope no one will be disappointed. See Gene K.Elections second meeting November 15 Lets step up for the club.



Ted Evangelatos

MerokeTop Gun Pilot for 2018

Congratulations to all Pilots who competed. It was a fun event for all. Thanks to Al Weiner for cooking and cleaning up. Thanks to Mike Hagens, Lou Pinto and Dave Bell for Judging the events. Special congratulations to Ted Evangelatos for winning the prestigious 2018 Meroke Top Gun Pilot award.

Top Gun Standings as of October 7,2018

(lowest score is the winner)

Ted: 33

Nelson: 47

Tony: 52

Tom: 61

Gene: 92

Mark: 15 (Novice)

Nick: 15 (Novice)

Bob: 22 (Novice)

Rudy: 23 (Novice)

Building Club Meetings

Location: CCMC 1845 Wantagh Ave. Wantagh N.Y. Starting times:
9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

November 3 & 10 & 17

December 1 & 8 & 15

January 5 & 12 & 19 & 26

February 2 & 9 & 16 & 23

March 2 & 9 & 16 & 23 & 30

April 6

All dates are tentative and subject to change CCMC will have the ability to make changes. Snow above 1" will cancel Building Program for that day



November Birthdays

- 1...Keith Folio
- 2...Lou Pinto
- 7...Ken Mandel
- 20...Pat Robiou
- 20...Mark Trager
- 25...Bob Wohlgemuth

Club Calendar

- 1...Club Meeting
- 12...Veterans Day
- 15...Club Meeteing and Elections
- 17...Whitman Flyers Swap Meet

Club dues are due in November.

November 15 is Club Officer and Board elections. Start thinking who you would like to run your Club for 2019. When asked, please volunteer to help at the events.

As a reminder, please cast your vote for Eric Williams for District II Vice President. Eric has been a strong supporter of the Merokes over the years

The club is ordering SW Fuel..Preliminary cost is \$68/ case for 10% and \$72/case for 15%..We will have prices confirmed by November 1 meeting (price depends on imported nitro cost). Pick up of fuel will be at the Whitman Swap meet Saturday, November 17, 2018

I believe the Merokes have two tables reserved at the Whitman Fliers swap meet. If you have items to sell, make sure you bring them to put on the table

Now that the flying season is slowly coming to a close, I strongly suggest the new Club Members attend the Building Club so they know how to prepare their batteries for Winter storage. The lectures that Nelson puts on are extremely helpful in understanding the concepts of flight and everything that goes along in getting your Airplane ready for flight.

