



June 2005 Newsletter

Meeting Agenda

The meeting held June 2nd was very productive and we seem to have lots of motivation by club members. We finalized the details of the July 2ND Fly-In . . . The Raffle for this years event will be a Mini Funtana 3D Electric ARF which will include the Motor, ESC, Servos, and Receiver. We will also have Pilot Prizes as well. This year we will have sandwiches provided by Subway and cold drinks by the club. Club members are requested to show up at 6:30am the morning of the event to help with the setup.

The next big topic was the discussion for improvements at the flying field. Sonny Pool the club's President put together the details including a budget for improvements. The club members voted in favor of the proposal and as of Saturday, June 4th a lot of the work has already been completed.

Also the club talked about changing the club name and redesigning the logo. The club voted in favor and also that any club member can submit their individual idea with the winner announced during the August meeting. Club participation is needed . . .

From Our Club President

First, I want to thank everyone who has been working so hard to get our flying field in shape. Over the past few weekends, you have all put in a lot of hard work cutting weeds, picking up trash, rebuilding the bleachers! Yes, we have bleachers, thanks to Perry and Tal Price, we have two sets of awesome bleachers. A few weekends ago, a bunch of our members took off all of the old wood and replaced it with new wood. Cool!

There is also new paint on the doghouse. Thanks to Robert Wilson for donating the paint and actually bringing out his spray rig and painting the doghouse. Mike, Kevin, and Dan helped. Pete and Henry were invaluable!

Thanks everyone, the flying field looks better than it ever has! Through teamwork and cooperation we can do anything.

Second, if you haven't heard, there is a major development with regards to our flying site; not only have we spruced it up, on Monday we received approval from the City of Roswell, with support from the Parks and Recreation Dept., to build a fence across the south end of our flying site and lock the gate! During the meeting of the P&R Commission, we were recognized as an asset to Roswell and our presence in the community has been acknowledged. We will be putting up signs as well. Dan is in charge of the signs.

We are going to start on the fence as soon as possible. There will be two gates, and only RAF members and City personnel will have the combination to the locks. This will give us more control over the site and provide greater security. This is what we have all wanted for a long time. Now we can keep the site cleaner, fly safer, and even put a few tables and trash cans out without fear of them being stolen or vandalized. We are going to have an RC flying site we can be proud of.

Building the fence and gate will be a lot of hard work. We need everyone to help out where they can. We can talk it over at the flying field on Saturday, after we fly and have some fun, and put together a plan to "get 'er done."

Last, but not least, let's all help support the Fun Fly on July 2. We need everyone to come out and fly. Bring a friend.

We also need volunteers to help with all of the chores that are required to host an event like this. Talk to one of the Events Committee members and see what you can do to help.

Craig and Jim have been working hard to get this Fun Fly organized, so let's all pitch in and help.

Let's Roll,

Sonny

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Model of the Month

At the last meeting we talked a little about this. To make this work we need members to attend the meeting with a model so the club can vote and reimplement MOTM.

Classifieds

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Meeting Info

Meetings held 7:30 p.m. 1st Thursday of every month at Jim Patterson's house located at 1202 S. Brown Rd. Corner of McGaffey and S Brown Road.

For a map go to www.roswellrc.org and click on map to the flying field.

Final Thoughts

I have included a copy of the Fly-In flyer and also a copy of the "New" Field Flyer for your review! For more info on the Fly-In and the RAF please go to www.roswellrc.org.

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