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Roster of the old dawgs....

STEVE DONA.....'THE PREZ'

WILL TILSE.....VICE PRESIDENT

DAVE CASSELL.....SECRETARY-TREASURER

DAVE GARDNER.....SCRIBE OF THIS RAG....

Next Meeting: September 9th, 2021 (Second Thursday of the Month, remember?)

Rainbow Café, 112 E. Main St., Auburn, WA, 10:30 am-1 pm..(or thereabouts.)

President's message

Get ready for the Tangent Contests! (see schedule below.....)

Because of the timing of the WMC Contests, relative to our meeting dates, the September meeting may be a bit lightly attended. There are times in life when decisions have to be made and this is one of them.

Quite a few of the members are off to Tangent.....on Thursday....to have an early start of Friday flying. It just so happens that the club officers and key players of the club are the active contest flyers.....ya pays yer money and and ya takes yer chance! We anticipate that this hardy lot will come back with many award trinkets..!

I have been busy in the workshop getting all the models finished that I promised myself would be done for this year. I expect that several of you can fall into this category as well. We should have 5 modelers from SAM 8 in the big dog vintage FAI event. Four will be Cranfield 1960 World Championship models too. This should be one of the largest turnouts for this event ever, worldwide. I expect that there will be modelers from Washington, Oregon, California and Idaho all traveling to come play with us.

Several Sam 8 members have new ignition ships to fly, I hope to see lots of them in the air showing everyone how fun it is to fly ignition. I think there are 3 or 4 medium sized Brooklyn Dodgers that are chomping at the bit for a little air time. Sounds like John McAvoy is getting close with his beautiful new Albatross. I hope to see you all out there flying the flag for SAM 8.

This year, after a one year stand down for the Corona Virus, the Grell family will be hosting their famous spaghetti banquet and pot luck for all takers.

Camping on the field for those who want to be where the action is. If you are planning to stay in a hotel, you just may be too late to get any reservations, as they sometimes fill up this time of year. Remember this first contest tends to be HOT so bring lots of water and Gatorade to drink and remember to actually drink it too.

Friday will start with Vintage FAI and Pro P-30 with all other events starting at 10:00 on Friday after the first round gets flying. Come join the fun, bring a model or plan on helping out and timing for some of the contestants. See you all out on the field

Be safe, stay healthy!
Steve Dona "the Prez"

SAM 8 Minutes for August 12, 2021 (attendance =19)

Mtg. start: 11:58am

- Our Meeting began with Steve explaining the merits of a special 3M tape used to define paint edge masking. The tape comes in several widths and has a gentle adhesive that releases easily. He uses a coat of clear over the top to stop any bleed under. Wesco Auto Body has this tape. Some sources are: Tacoma on Tacoma Way, Auburn on Auburn Way N., and in Puyallup on E. Main.
- The trim session on 'Nick's Field' went very well. There was a SaniCan on site, thanks, Mr. Stratis! That pretty much ends trim sessions at Nick's field. Next it's off to Tangent. Remember, if you want to use Nick's field you must call ahead to clear with the field owner. This is mandatory.
- Steve called roll for the Tangent contest. The first contest usually has a wind issue and the long range weather forecast predicts approx. 10 MPH for the three days.
- At Tangent, Vintage FAI or Pro-30 event is only held on Friday. Check in time is 7:30am. First round starts at 8:00am sharp for one hour rounds. For other events, they start at 9:30am.
- Mr. Einhaus reminds us of the swap meet in Chehalis Saturday / Sunday which starts at 9:00am.
- Once again the Grells will be hosting the Spaghetti Feed and pot luck.
- If you're going to the contest remember: Water Water Water. The club trailer will have a large water dispenser with ice in it for club members use. Hydration is the order of the day.
- It's suggested to leave your cell phone number with the CD so you can be contacted, if needed.
- Willamette's schedule for contests is August 20-22, September 10-12, and October 1-3 sometimes called the F.A.R.T. (Fall Annual Recycled Trophy) contest.

Auction Time:

Signed: *David Cassell*

- The subject of flying at 'Nick's Field' was brought up with the importance of notifying the owner of our intent before going there. This is a very important thing to do as the owner may have a reason the field may not be available. **Jose Torres phone # is: 360-500-0823**

Show & Tell Time (must have been something...even Nick's latest..!

Auction Time: Lotsa estate stuff changed hands.....and went out the door...

And..... Don't forget to bring your payments due, to the Treasurer, Mr. Cassell.....!!

Here's our most recent group photo, courtesy of Mr. Tilse's tablet and one of the Rainbow 'girls'



(if the picture is a bit 'fuzzy', blame the age of the subjects, with 'aging' vision!!)

2021 Old Time, Free Flight, Control Line and Club Modeling Event Schedule

Date	Event / Time / Location	Activity/Location	Contact
See schedule below	As noted	Per the schedule	SAM8

For additional Northwest FF and CL activity, see the following websites for more detail.

For SAM 8 activities, look on the SAM 8 Website, <http://www.SAM8.org>

For SAM National activities, look on the SAM Website, <http://www.antiquemodeler.org/>

For WMC activities, check on their website, WillametteModelersclub.weebly.com, or contact Bob Stalick at freefliter@aol.com.

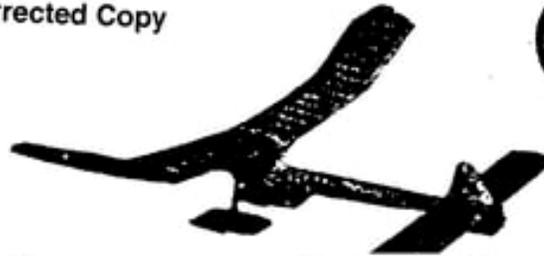
For NW Skyriders' activities, check on <http://flyinglines.org>, or davegardner717@outlook.com.

Really Great SAM 8 meets every second Thursday each month the Rainbow Café in Auburn at 11:30 AM. Come join us for lunch this July 8th!

2021 WMC Contest Schedule

Featuring a full slate of FAI, AMA, NFFS and SAM Events

Corrected Copy



Contest Dates:

June 19 & 20	3 Amigos Small Field Meet at Tumalo, OR	Bruce Hannah, CD
Aug. 20	Vintage FAI/Pro-P-30 Challenge at Parker's Field, Tangent, OR*	Bill Swift, CD
Aug.20-21	Tangent Classic FAI Meet. Tangent, OR**	Blake Jensen, CD
Aug 20-	Friday Night Lights (Night Flying Event)***	Jim Taylor, Director
Aug.20-22	NWFFChamps at Parker's Field. Tangent, OR	G.Gilbert & B. Grell, CDs
August 21	Vintage Wakefield Event in Rounds	Bruce Hannah, CD
Aug.21-22	FAI Challenge at Parker's Field, Tangent, OR**	Blake Jensen, CD
Aug. 21-	WMC Spaghetti Feed (BBQ)/Potluck at the Grell Farm***	Linda Grell, Director
Sept.10	Vintage FAI/Pro-P-30 Challenge, Part 2. Parkers' Field, Tangent	Bob Stalick, CD
Sept.10-12	SPOT Meet at Parker's Field, Tangent, OR.	G. Gilbert & Bruce Grell, CDs
Sept. 11	Vintage Wakefield Event in Rounds	Bruce Hannah, CD
Sept. 11-	Burchett Memorial Swap Meet & Pie Social, Grell Farm***	Larry Wacken, Director
Oct. 1	Vintage FAI/Pro P-30 Challenge, Part 3, Parker's Field. Tangent.	Swift and Stalick, CDs
Oct. 2	Vintage Wakefield Event in Rounds	Bruce Hannah, CD
Oct. 1-3	Fall Annual FF Contest. Parker's Field, OR	G. Grell & Mark Sexton, CDs
Oct. 2 -	WMC Bean Feed and Potluck at the Grell Farm***	Linda Grell, Director

*Note: Includes the postponed Cranfield Challenge Event **Note:The FAI Events will be held at the NWFFC if the World Champs in France are cancelled or postponed. They will be held at the SPOT meet if the World Champs are held as presently planned. *** Note: All social events are planned with restrictions or changes needed to meet Covid requirements.

Contest Locations:

The 3 Amigos Contest is held in Tumalo, OR. (Just West of Bend - just off Hwy 20). All other contests are held on grass seed fields just off Parker Road near Tangent, OR. Take Exit 228 East from Interstate 5 onto Hwy. 34, Turn right onto Seven Mile Lane and follow the signs to the field.

List of Contest Events:

For 3 Amigos: Island Flyer, Double Take, HL Glider, AMA Cat. Glider, Scale, Runt, P-20, 8" Catapult, Cloud Tramp, E-20.

Special Events: Ladies only catapult glider, Island Flyer, Double Take, RTF "Lightning"/Sky Voyager, Flying Wing Canard, Grand Championship.

For NWFFC, SPOT and Fall Annual meets:

AMA Events= HLG- Jr. & Open, Cat. Glider-Jr & Open, P-30- Jr. & Open, 1/2A, A, BCD Gas combined with A & B Electric, Mulvihill, Coupe/A-1 Combo, E-36, ROW Gas, ROW Mulvihill Rubber (ROW Events at NWFFC only).

NFFS and WMC Events= 1/4A Nost/020 Replica Combo, Early Nost, 1/2A Nost, A Nost., BC Nost. Combo, Nost Rubber Combo, One Design, Classic Glider, E-20. Golden Age 1/2A. Small Sport Rubber

SAM Events = ABC Pylon Ign., ABC Fuselage Ign. O&R .23 Event, Wock Event, Rubber Stick, Rubber Fuselage, Dakota Time Target.

Specialty Events= He-Man HLG.(at Fall Annual only)

Vintage FAI/Pro P-30 Event: Flown in rounds on the Friday of each contest weekend.

Cranfield 5 competition at the NWFFChamps only-Special trophies

Vintage Wakefield: See flyer for details. Event held on Saturdays and will be flown in 1 hour rounds beginning at 8 AM

Other Related Events:

Saturday August 21- at the Grell Farm, all contestants and friends are invited to the Annual WMC spaghetti feed and potluck. Meals served beginning at 6 PM. No charge.

Saturday September 11- at the Grell Farm, everyone is invited to the Annual Steve Burchett Memorial Swap Meet and Pie Social. Tables are available at no charge. Pie and coffee will be served beginning at 6 pm. Setup for the Collecto/Swap Meet can begin at 5 pm. Event closes at dark.

Saturday Oct. 2- Annual bean feed potluck at the Grell Farm. All contestants and friends are invited. Meals served beginning at 6 pm. No charge.

Contact Information:

See contest Flyers at <WillametteModelersClub.weebly.com> or the NFFS website, or the Lost Hills website. Contact the CDs of each contest or contact Bob Stalick at <treeflyer@aol.com> or call 541 928 8101.

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Info: Northwest Skyraiders (Control Line Model Airplane Club)

The next meeting (September) will be held at the Denny's at 1246 Central Ave N in Kent, WA on the second Tuesday evening of the month, September 14th . The dinner and socializing will start at 6:00 PM, followed by the formal meeting at 7:00 PM.

We are all looking forward to holding fun fly events, contests and swap meets this year. Please attend the meeting and help plan how the club will continue to move forward. We look forward to sharing a meal and holding the meeting just like it used to be!

Don't forget the 2021 'Ring-a-Thon', October 2-3, 2021, as shown in the notice below.

Steve Holt
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thhhhhat's all, Folks, for now.....and.... in closing.....

- Truth, in matters of religion, is simply the opinion which has survived. Oscar Wilde, writer (1854-1900)
- THOUGHT FOR TODAY:
- There is no such thing as a 'self-made' man. We are all made up of thousands of others. Everyone who has ever done a kind deed for us, or spoken one word of encouragement to us, has entered into the make-up of our character and of our thoughts. George Matthew Adams, newspaper columnist (1878-1962)
- ...and, the 'phone' world isn't doing so well, either....:



**The Complaint Desk has closed. The Editor has left the building.
Don't forget to buy your souvenirs at the concession booth.**

The Northwest Skyraiders'
2021 Ringmaster Fly-A-Thon

Saturday October 2nd, 2021 and Sunday October 3rd
Auburn, WA Roegner Park Field, Oravetz Road
(NWSR Rain/Weather Issue dates: October 9-10th)

More than one grass circle available from 9 am to 6 pm!

Mufflers are required for i.c. engines; Electric, solar and steam power are exempt!



**Announcing the 14th
Annual Worldwide
Ringmaster Fly-A-Thon!!
October 2nd and 3rd, 2021
(aka, the Ringathon!)**



The Fly-A-Thon is honoring the plane that many of us flew back in the 50s, 60s 70s and 80s.

Simply stated, we want to see how many Ringmaster flights can be recorded over a single weekend, the first weekend in October. Last year we recorded 5558 flights (a little short of 2019 because of Covid-19 restrictions) with 545 pilots in a number of different countries worldwide. The NW Skyraiders managed 105 flights with 11 pilots....busy circles!

The simple rules are stated below. I want to particularly note; NO Builder of the Model requirement!) Recruiting new people to join our control line model airplane hobby is an important aspect of this event! We hope you will join us this year and have fun flying your Ringmasters along with fellow modelers around the world!

Rules:

- Any Ringmaster from 1/2A to Giant and all variants (bipes, twins, etc.) can be flown.
- The goal is maximum number of flights with all pilots and planes participating.
- Fly both days to double your fun....all flights count toward the total.
- A 'flight' is a minimum of 5 laps (in the air !!) to be qualifying.
- No builder of the model rule is in effect for this event!
- Results will be reported by Tuesday, October 12th, 2020 at 2021flyathon@ringmasterflyathon.com

Event Director: Dave Gardner, davegardner717@outlook.com (425-793-1937)

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