



# RAVENNA THUNDERBIRDS



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## SQUADRON NEWS

2017

### President's Corner

Hello Thunderbirds, hope all is doing well. It's fitting that Dave Lee's wants to have a short presentation tonight on float planes because with all the bad weather and rain we've been having we'll all need float planes.LOL. Remember our meeting will be at the Jetway Field tonight. Bring your planes so we can get some flying in. Hope to see you all there.

Until next time, Randy

### Club Officers

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### Next Meeting

Tuesday May 9th , 2017 at  
Jetway fleid.

### Monthly Raffle

May meeting – Great Planes  
“Escapade MX” 40 ARF

### Meeting Minutes-April Meeeting

Meeting called to order by President Randy Montgomery at 7:05 pm. 9 members were present.

Treasurer's report was given

A brief discussion was had on the Toledo RC Expo. Several members made the trip.

Randy Montgomery informed the members that, as per a conversation he had with Tim Hartong, that Tim would like us to only enclose half of the pavilion. He is in favor of enclosing the back side and halfway up the sides. This project is only in early discussion states.

Dan Porcase acquired the field us permits for our Diamont St. field and had copies made that where distributed to those at the meeting that wanted one. The permits will also be available on our web site.

Russ Quinn suggested that we do a one time mailing to send out our calendar of events in paper form once it is finalized. This would give membes something to post for easy referral throught the season. The motion was made and it was passed to do the mailing.

Dave Lees has volunteered to give a talk on float flying and float planes at the Mat meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50

### Items of Interest

Monthly raffle – Our May meeting raffle will be a Great Planes “Escapade MX” 40 ARF as shown below. Tickets will be ten dollars. This aircraft will be given away at the meeting regardless of how many tickets are sold.



For those of you that are unaware, we voted to put a new sign at the entrance of our Jetway field. Last weekend the sign was put up and looks good. It will be painted white once the treated lumber ages some. A photo of the new sign is below.



### Upcoming Events

Tuesday, May 9<sup>th</sup> – Club meeting at **Jetway Field**

Saturday, May 13<sup>th</sup> – Fun Fly at Jetway Field. 1:00pm to 5:00pm. Refreshments available.

Saturday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> – Thunderbirds Float Float Fly at Kool Lakes campground.

Also see the events calendar on our web site.

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