



RAVENNA THUNDERBIRDS

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SQUADRON NEWS

2018



President's Corner

Hello everyone. What a summer, rain rain rain. We had to cancel most of our fun flys due to rain. We even had a hard time keeping up with the mowing. Dave Lees was able to pull off his amazing multiflight but even they were tromping around in the mud by the end of the day. Wow 250 airplane flights in one day. You had to be there to appreciate the behind the scenes sorting. This month's meeting will be Tuesday the 13th. We will probably be talking about the Christmas meeting next month. Check the flyer and see what you think. If you have any ideas come to the meeting. If you want to talk airplanes and BS come to the meeting. Mike

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Next Meeting

Tuesday November 13th, 2018 at
Maplewood Career Ctr. 7:00pm, Rm 308

Monthly Raffle

Monthly raffles have been discontinued for now.

Meeting Minutes-October Meeting

Meeting called to order by President Mike Ryan at 7:06 pm. Nine members were present.

Treasurer's report was given.

Dan Boone went over some possible effects on our hobby due to the FAA Reauthorization Act. He has been researching the information. Thanks Dan!

No new nominations for club officers were offered. Dan Forman made a motion that officer remain the same and Jim Valoveik seconded. All members in attendance concurred.

Frank Toplovich once again agreed to take the table reservations for our 2019 Swap Shop. Thanks Frank!

It was decided that in lieu of RC related prizes, we would give gift cards as the prizes at our Christmas Party.

Meeting adjourned at 7:46

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, November 13th, 2018 – Club meeting at
Maplewood Career Ctr., room 308 at 7:00pm

Tuesday, December 11th 2018 – Club Christmas Party at
Maplewood Career Ctr. Conference Room "A" 7:00pm.

Items of Interest

Monthly raffle – Monthly raffles have been discontinued until further notice. Funds will be directed to the Christmas Party.

The porta pot at Jetway field has been winterized. Please refrain from using it unless you absolutely need to.

This prizes at this year's Christmas Party will be a little different. It was decided at our October meeting that since it is becoming more and more difficult to decide on things for prizes that most of us already have or would want, that we would give away gift cards instead. The gift cards will be for Lowes, Harbor Freight, Tower Hobbies and Aerotech Hobbies. They will be unmarked and in different denominations ranging from \$10 to \$15 and there will be one \$20 gift card. See the flyer for the Christmas Party on page two for more details.

Starting with our October meeting, all meetings will be held at Maplewood Career Ctr., Room 308

Thanks once again to everyone who has been pitching in and mowing both at Jetway and Diamond St. Your time and effort is greatly appreciated.

Please be aware of the diagonal cable at the west end of our Jetway pavilion. A few pool noodles were installed over the cable to help make it more visible.

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2018 Christmas Party



Tuesday, December 11th, 2018 @ 7:00 pm
Maplewood Career Center (conference room "A")



\$5.00 Admission at the door: Gets you Pizza, Chicken & jojos, Rigatoni and beverage. Each member will receive a ticket for the door prize and general prizes. Admission for each spouse or guest will be for their meal only. This year's door prize is once again **free club membership for the year**. Spouses and guests are welcome for this event.

Prizes: Since it is becoming more and more difficult to decide what members would like or need, this year we have decided to do something a bit different. We will be offering gift cards. Gift cards will be from Lowes, Aerotech Hobbies, Harbor Freight and Tower Hobbies. They will be in denominations of \$10 and \$15 and there will be one \$20 gift card. Each club member will receive a prize ticket at the door. Tickets will be drawn and each member will then come pick from the prizes. Denominations will not be known until you open your prize. It will be luck of the draw as to what your prize is. The \$20 gift card will be awarded to the member with the last ticket drawn. Each member will go home with a prize worth at least double their admission.

Aircraft Raffle: This year we are raffling a Great Planes "Electrostick" ARF" (pictured below). It will come with motor, speed controller and 3 servos.



Side Dishes: We are once again asking members to bring a side dish or desert to share. This helps keep the cost of the event down and allows for more money to be put into prizes rather than food. Participation will be greatly appreciated. This also allows members and or their spouses to share some favorite recipes.

So, come on out and enjoy the holidays with your fellow pilots. We promise you will have a good time.



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