



The Misfit News

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Upcoming Events

Auction April 25 11a-5p

May 3rd Club Meeting 6:30p
Goldenrod's Restaurant.

June 5th Field Clean Up Day.

If you know about any events,
please forward them to your
editor at chuck2@mac.com

Misfits auction fever is in the air! It is this Sunday the 25th in the hanger. We need everyone's help.

On Friday evening 7 PM we need help getting tables and chairs from St Anne's Church corner of Beech & Merrimack Streets in Manchester. If you can bring a truck as well, please do so. E-mail Allan Wright aew@unh.edu if you can make it.

Sunday morning at 10 AM we need clean up and set up crew members, so come early and help out. Also, we need people after the auction to break-down the tables and return them.

FIELD DAY- Field clean up day is tentatively scheduled for Saturday, June 5 th details will be finalized at the May meeting. This will be a big day full of work projects and if I know Jim cool flying), so bring your energy and enthusiasm.

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"What am I bid?"

Allan Wright circulated the following on our e-mail forum so I thought I would share it in the newsletter:

"I'm considering hosting a contest at the club field this year in the spirit of 'Junk Yard Wars'. It will be open to club members and each club member can have up to two teammates, which do not have to be members (they would be guests if not). I would be on a weekend day, starting at 9am. Teams would be responsible to provide their own Radios, servos, receivers, motors and batteries. All planes will be electric.

Any number of motors of any size can be used, but they must be 'can' motors, no brushless motors. Batteries can be any number or size of NiCad or NiMh cells. Both of these rules are to keep things on an even level.

Teams are responsible to bring their own tools and any exotic adhesives or coloring (paint, markers, etc.) they want to use.

Provided materials will be:
Fan-Fold foam in two thicknesses (1/8" blue and 1/4" pink)
Balsa sheet (1/16", 1/8", 1/4")
Balsa stick (1/4" x 1/8")
Hardwood (1/4" Basswood, paint stirrers)
Plywood (1/32", 1/16")
Carbon Fiber arrowshaft cutoffs (12-16" in length)
Packing Tape, 5-Minute Epoxy, CA
Doculam covering material

Teams will have 4 hours to make their planes. At the end of the 4 hours teams will be required to fly a minimum of one circuit around the pylon poles at the field.

The winners will be chosen by team vote based on the following criteria:

Best flying
Best styling
Most creative
Junk Yard Dog award (ugliest flying plane)

There may be a small (\$5 or so) fee to cover materials, any leftover will be refunded.

Any interest?
Allan"

Birthdays

April

Willie Berthiaume
Robert Buonfiglio
Michael Demers

(birthdays cont.)

Allan Goodreau
Joseph Haskell
James P. Sweeney

Recent Photos

From last Saturday's first big flying day.



Brad's New Plane



Practicing attitude control?



Earl showing us how its done



Important Reminder

Send all address or e-mail changes to your secretary Chon Cottrell. Contact info is on last page. Chon will distribute the changes to the web, etc.



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Classified Ads

Your Listing Here!!

CLUB MEETINGS

All members are welcome and urged to come to the monthly meetings that take place on the first Monday of each month. When the first Monday of the month is a holiday, the meeting will take place on the following Monday. The meetings start at 6:30 p.m.. Remember that we now meet at the GOLDENRODS Restaurant on Candia Rd in Manchester.