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| | Weds 10 - 8 | Sat 9 - 5:30 | |

Northern Illinois Radio Control Helicopter Assoc.

AMA CHARTER NO.2099

Next Club Meeting, 7:00 pm, Tuesday, February 12th, 2008

Al's Hobby Shop, Elmhurst, IL!!!

Presidential Address

Happy New Year to all members. I hope some of you have been able to fly with this crazy weather. Last month's meeting was poorly attended, even though we had a guest speaker. What's up guys?! You say you want guest speakers but no one shows up to make them welcome. I will try it again one last time this month. Tyler Bonta is going to explain how to do 3-D maneuvers or any type of maneuver that you would like. He will explain them and then later on we will go upstairs to the simulator and he will show you how they are done. I hope all will attend.

Thanks The Prez

Club Memberships that are unpaid

Also remember dues are due. Those of you who are not paid up will be taken off the list of rebate members at Al's and the club will not get any rebate money. Also, if you are not a member, some of the great deals that they have will not apply. Even if you cannot make the meetings please rejoin and support the club. The March Newsletter will be your last.

Meeting Minutes

For 1/08/2008

Meeting Called To Order at 7:10 pm by: Cindy

Officers Present: Cindy Macfarlane, Ron Bernson, Paul Girard

Treasurers Report: \$200 less than last month (Cindy), Approved By Terry 2nd by Ron

Minutes from Last Meeting: None Approved By: Terry 2nd By Ron

Membership Report: 10 paid up as of this time.

President's Message: Christmas party went ok. Weather could have been better. White elephant went well. Drawing winners were Carl, Larry, and Dennis. The food was very good. Larry still needs articles for the Newsletter, so cut, copy and paste.

Old Business:

New Business: May, June, July and August meetings will be at the flying field in Addison.

Talked about getting some pro-pilots to talk about flight maneuvers at a meeting

Demo/Speaker: Rob Martinez demonstrated setting up ccpm servos, also introduced an Astro Servo Tester.

Pizza: None Raffle: None Meeting Adjourned at 8:06 PM

Ron Bernson

Up and Coming Events 2008

Feb 2nd - Tri-Village Swap – Wheaton, IL DuPage County Fairground

Set up 7:30am open to public 9am-3pm.

February 12th Club Meeting at Al's Hobby

Feb 23rd - Fox Valley Aero Club Swap Meet - St Charles, IL Excel Gymnastics Bldg located at 3N800 Peck Rd. For Info: James Toth PH:847-888-8890. 100 tables \$15 each or \$12 pre registration rate. \$7 admission Set up 8am open to public 9am-3pm.

Mar 1st - RVRC 14th Annual Swap Meet - Rockford, IL Site: Rockford Christian School Gym. For Info: Denis Bielick PH:815-732-4039 email: denis@inwave.com. See ad for more info. Visit www.rvrcflyers.com.

March 11th Club Meeting at Al's Hobby

April 8th Club Meeting at Al's Hobby

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We are actively looking for new members to join our Radio Control Helicopter Club. All that is required is an interest in R/C helicopters, field permit, and a \$20 membership fee. Please feel free to join us at one of our meetings to become a member or just for a visit. We hope to see you at the next meeting. Our Club web page is: www.nircha.com and is maintained by Web Guy Mike Mazurkiewicz.

Meetings are held the 2nd Tuesday of every month, at 7:00pm, at Al's Hobby Shop, 121 North Addison Rd, Elmhurst, IL. During the summer, the monthly meetings are held at the flying field, June, July, and August.

Our Helicopter Forest Preserve Flying field is located on Grace St., in Addison (on the border with Lombard), and about one mile north of North Ave. Field permits can be obtained by calling 630-933-7200.

Club Officers

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