



THE PROP WASH

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3 Months into the new year and the field has been very active when the weather has cooperated. The field internet wireless cameras have all been converted over to wired and the 2.4G wifi at the pavilion has been turned off. If you need to use a wifi connection to update your radio a connection will be setup in the field house. Look for a sign near the refrigerator in the next few weeks.

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Meetings are held on the first Saturday of the month at the Flying field at 9:30 am
We hope to see you there.

I have been using the downtime during the inclement weather to work on plane repairs, radio updates, and some new builds. If you are running one of the newer radios its seems like they are just like our computers and need to have regular updates. Spektrum has put out updates that are necessary if you are using the recently released AS3X plus models. An ERATIX model I got at Christmas was experiencing >50k fades and >18 holds due to a faulty receiver. Fun part was the plane would fly fine is slow patterns when it lost connection to the radio and the stabilized receiver took over masking most of the losses. It was not until I began doing full 3D flying that the radio loss was happening. TH sent a replacement receiver that is the new plus model. Interesting setup with the forward programming that can be done directly from the radio. Great part about the hobby is learning new things or discovering better ways to do things you have been doing for years.

Get out to the field and fly....

Joe



Steve Baker

Secretary report

Hello Fellow Club Members!

It was good to see the turnout at the March meeting.

Well, the time change will be here this month, thank goodness!

Sure looking forward to starting flying weekdays afternoons after work.

Hope everyone got all those wintertime builds ready, batteries charged and field boxes ready.

Please remember to sign up to help mow this season, with everyone's help we can continue to have one of the nicest fields around.

Happy skies and I look forward to seeing you at the field.

Steve Baker

Meeting Minutes

March 1, 2025 Tri-Country Barnstormer Meeting minutes

Meeting call to order at 9:30 a.m. February 1, 2025, at the field. Joe, Jeremiah, Steve, Stacey and Jay officers present

There were 21 members and 2 guest present

Secretary report: Feb meeting minutes were approved

Treasury report: \$15,546 on hand.

Present- 110 members and 1 prospect.

It was announced that we need event volunteers.

The Club Audit was done in February and everything is good.

Vice President report: Grass is starting to grow.

Rocket students were coming out.

We have mowing captains in place and are still needing volunteers.

We had no water problems from the last freeze.

Jeremiah announced that the members need to keep their AMA licenses up to date.

We also need to continue to be good neighbors and fly within the property lines.

Old Business report: May 17th Fun Fly & Swap Meet at 9:00 a.m. was confirmed

New Business report:

Tom Standley- applicant was voted in

It was also announced that to start back with the Raffels at the Club Meetings

Meeting adjourned at 10:04 am.



Jeremiah Langlois

Words from the VP

The field is looking good.... need some help keeping the ant beds down if you are out there please put out some ant poison if you see any ant beds... we are working on the sprinkler system it will be back up soon... and yes we are aware of the bad breaker at the field that runs some of the outlets under the pavilion... we will get it fixed..... we are also still missing the volunteer sheet from the glass window under the pavilion we would like to have that returned to us.. if i don't get it i will need each of you to let me know the days worked thank you.

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Ant Poison and Volunteer Sheet

Note

- Return the volunteer sheet from the glass window under the pavilion.
- Inform Jeremiah J. Langlois of any days worked.

Apply ant poison near ant beds.



Stace Langlois

The Treasurers Report

No input received for
March 2025



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DON'T FORGET

TRI-COUNTY BARNSTORMER
CLUB MEETINGS ON THE FIRST
SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH.

NEXT MEETING IS

April 5th

At the flying field at 9:30 am