

MON VALLEY R/C CLUB

NEWSLETTER

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June/July

2017

CEDAR CREEK PARK

AMA CHARTER CLUB NO. 546

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June 2017 President's Corner

The summer solstice has passed and we are now in prime flying season.

Soon we will have the convenience of electricity at our field. Progress has been slow, but it is certain.

We are having our Giant Scale Airshow earlier in the season this year. It is the July 29th. It is very important that we have a strong showing of club members to entertain the spectators with skillful flying, organize the demonstrations, guard for safety, and assist visiting pilots and spectators. Please offer a few hours of your time. Everybody wants some free time to enjoy the event.

At our June meeting we finalized some bylaw changes, the foremost change is that we no longer require that a junior member must have passed their 12th birthday to join the club, also requiring that any new members must have their character vouched for by their sponsors. One other change clarified how spending appropriations should be advertised to club members.

Our bylaws spell out how to handle most situations that arise while operating our club. Because of my inexperience in conducting these types of affairs, situations may not have always resolved precisely as they should have been. I assure all of you that I always have the best interest of the club and the future of the club at heart. Know that I always welcome your advise.

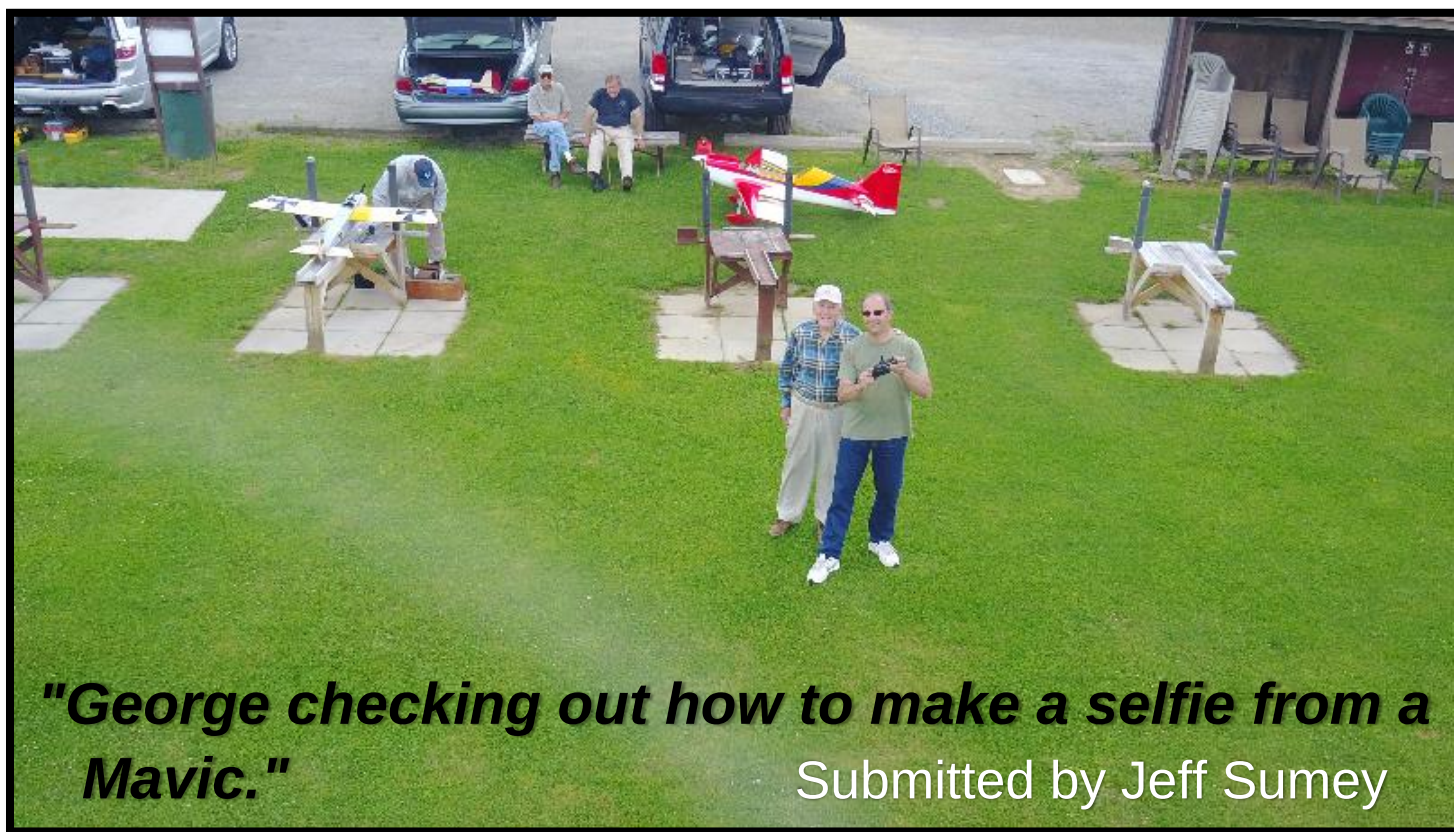
Sincerely,

Mike Eiben

NIGHT FLYING DATES.....Mike Eiben, Night Fly Director

FRIDAYS	
July 7	after our monthly meeting
August 4	after our monthly meeting
September 1	after our monthly meeting

SATURDAYS	
July 29	Giant Scale Airshow Event
August 19	
September 16	
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Mon Valley RC Meeting Minutes: May 5, 2017

Attendance: 18 Members and three new members – No Quorum

The meeting of the MVRC Club was called to order at 7:35 PM at the Rostraver Municipal Building with the Pledge of Allegiance. Minutes from the March 31 Meeting not read, Secretary Linda Wojnar not present. Mike Eiben read the treasurer's report. Motion to accept the Treasurer's Report was made by Jim Cannon and seconded by Rick Altomari. All members approved the Treasurer's Report as read.

Vice President, Al Kozusko:

- Reported on the March for Parks and discussed the C.A.B. (Citizens Advisory Board). Al will attend the C.A.B. May 23 and will report the findings at the next MVRC monthly meeting.

Field Director, Rick Altomari reported:

- Electricity, Aaron Siko the county maintenance lead for Cedar Creek park explained that the equipment such as the panel, meter, etc is at the maintenance building and should be installed in the field storage building. Panels need to be installed before the electricity is installed. There is a question about electricity exiting the panel, what is going to happen? Greg McCloskey will get more input.
- The electricity was delayed and reported a discussion about the county park office alert. The park hired an electrician to plan and install an electric panel in the storage building. There was a discussion about meter location, panel box location and conduit across the road to the pin board. This should provide electricity across the road. This will also give the notice to install a pole and run wire to the storage building. Not one is sure when West Penn will begin the project. Further discussion about the pole location and electric installation.

Executive Committee Chair, Rich Wojnar (Rick Altomari) reported:

- The EC Committee discussed:
 1. Fun Fly Event.
 2. Giant Scale Event.
 3. FAA Registration
 4. Orientation to MVRC Club – John Millard is working on this project.
 5. Safety Officer – AMA Orientation
 6. Sponsors for new members
 7. March for Parks

Safety Director, John Millard No report, not present:

Newsletter, Richard Wojnar No report, not present:

New Property, Allan Lesko No report, not present:

Giant Scale Contest Director, Jeff Sumey:

- Continues to make progress, new poster printed. Al Kozusko is trying to get the Lions Club to prepare food for the event. Budget for misc funds for event \$300 motion by Bill Hass Second by Mark Sesmanski

EAA Coordinator, Lew Marascalco, No report

Line Painting Director, Bob Haden:

- Cleaned painting machine, battery is charged and will try using yellow paint. Randy Zidack donated 9, 3 gallons of yellow paint. Bob will try to have lines for the May 13 fun fly event

Old Business: Discussion about safety lines. Pilot line is to be located behind the grass barrier. All flying should be 25 feet from pilot line. More discussion about center line, safety line and pilot line by Jim Cannon and Bob Haden.

- **Mike Eiben** – Proposed bylaw changes discussion, Youth 12 – 18 junior, eliminate 12 and like AMA Youth includes (1 through 18) (article 2 section 7 removed,,, change cannot be approved since we don't have a quorum.
- **Jeff Sumey** – Discussion about membership form. Reference about sponsor defined in Section 2 Article 2. Change bylaws better sense to Section 4. Also Section 5 dues given to secretary not to the treasurer. Also, send pdf and not Word document in email.
- **Lew Marascalco** – Article 2 was crossed out, although it was not crossed out? There was confusion
- **Mike Eiben** – talked with Ernie Scavenski about frequencies at airfield. Non-frequency hopping should be referred to Flight Control Transmitter and not frequency. Change motion Bob Haden, second Jeff Sumey all voted in favor
- **Mike Eiben** – Budget for May 13 Fun Fly. Motion for \$300, Bob Haden, second Jim Cannon.

New Business:

- None

New Members

Dave Long, Motion Jim Cannon and Jerome Moran
Pete Darr, Motion Jeff Sumey and Jacob Cannon
Mike Palmer, Motion AJ Switzer and Jerome Moran

Show 'N Tell Presenters

None

No Night because of bad weather

8:20 PM – Meeting was adjourned on a motion by Jerome Moran and seconded by Rich Altomari.

Respectfully submitted,

Al Kozusko

Vice President

Roving Reporter

LEW MARASCALCO



FPV Gates



The three FPV gates have been placed in the field behind the main RC field. So far they are working nicely.



Three "gates" have been built for enhanced FPV flying at MVRC. They are made from $\frac{3}{4}$ " PVC pipe and covered with "pool noodle" foam to soften the impact if hit by an FPV quad.

Micro FPV Quads

Recent reduction in size of full performance quad rotor electronics has allowed manufacturers to produce micro units with brushless motors and FPV cameras with integrated video transmitters. Sure there are and have been smaller quads but it's safe to say they are in the "toy" category compared to these micro FPV capable quads with excellent performance.



This micro FPV quad is an Eachine "Lizard" 95mm that has become very popular in the past month and already out of stock at many RC suppliers. Its flight performance is excellent. On a 2s 650mah lipo pack the flight time is in 4 minute range. There is a YouTube video that documents with a radar gun its speed in mid 70mph range using 3s lipo pack. There are claims it's the world's fastest micro quad!!

Three 95mm size examples are shown in comparison to a typical 250mm size quad equipped for FPV flight. They are smaller, significantly lighter and quite durable.



Club Aircraft Coordinator – A J Sweitzer

The electric trainer plane has been checked over and other than charging the battery is ready to fly. The trainer plane has everything needed to fly. The plane has very small wheels so the grass needs to be freshly cut for a successful takeoff. The batteries in the transmitter have been checked and are fine. The glow trainer plane is currently not in flying condition. It seems it became the home of “The Mouse Family” over winter. They got in from the hole where the fuel lines exit. The little critters were busy chewing up the foam and some of the wires, including the one for the receiver battery. A close examination is needed to see if any more damage was done. If anyone has a receiver battery they would like to donate please let me know.



Executive Committee Report 2017 – Rich Wojnar



The Executive Committee met this past Saturday July 1st, 2017 at the Roadside Restaurant. The gathering was not as lengthy as usual due to the holiday weekend and various members were away for the weekend. However we did discuss a few items that were a working progress from previous meetings.

The first topic that was discussed was the progress regarding the electricity installation.

The second topic that was addressed was the newly developed pilot introductory course headed up by John Millard. Another topic that was brought up was appointing a member to get involved with new signage for our field. The up-and-coming progress of the giant scale event was also discussed. The last item that the committee discussed was the possibility of approaching a very limited number of qualified members in order to seek the most effective plan to address the placement of electrical panels, receptacles, outlets, etc. of our newly acquired electricity.

Safety Officer Report 2017 – John Millard



I have noticed one thing that needs mentioned. It's not wrong to fly without a spotter but with the increased interest in FPV, we need to make sure we are using spotters when flying FPV. The person flying FPV is not aware of what is going on in the skies around them and a spotter will be a lot of help in letting them know when another aircraft is in the same area. This should make other pilots feel more comfortable being in the air when someone is flying FPV and also the FPV pilot should feel more comfortable knowing that no one else is in the same area. FPV seems to be the new and upcoming thing for veteran and novice model flyers and it looks like it is here to stay.

A spotter is an important part of anyone flying, even the guys with the big guns, the jet pilots, that are in the air alone, are using spotters to help them make the proper choices. We, as a group, should and will notice the increased need for spotters, even for the advanced pilots.

Introductory Pilot Program Report 2017 – John Millard



The first class started on time, at 8:00 AM, on Saturday June 24th. All of the students were early, which to me is a sign of interest and respect. We talked about AMA rules, safety, club rules and courtesies. We touched briefly on the proper and safe setup of an aircraft. Next week we will be getting more involved in proper safe setup of aircraft, control surface movement and also going over safety and club rules. One of our new students, Ken Monte, has applied for membership in the club.



Night Fly Director – Mike Eiben

Cedar Creek Airfield is a fun and relaxing place to be, especially after dark. So far this year we have had several night flying events. Attendance has been good and we stay till about midnight. Allan Lesko brings his Radian sail plane which is well lighted with LEDs. Allan always offers to allow other members to share in the fun. I hope to see more members join us.

See you in the dark,

Mike Eiben



Giant Scale Events Corner – Jeff Sumey, CD

Things continue to fall into place for the Giant Scale event the last weekend of July. A big thanks goes out to Al Kozusko who completed all the paperwork with the County for the event, vendor & concession permits, overnight camper permits, night flying permits, and orders for big tents. Concessions will be handled by the Lions. We will need some club member volunteers to assist John Mallard with safety and flight line support. We will also need a couple club members to help with parking and handicapped access logistics. Sign up for these volunteer spots at either the June or July regular meeting or email me at jsheli@yahoo.com.



Field Director Report – Rick Altomari

The field has been cut and recently the County cut the surrounding area. The electric company installed the supply pole near the ball fields and we are awaiting another electric supply team who are to install the transformers and wire to connect to our panel.



New Pilot Shelter Director – Rick Altomari

The electricity installation is coming along. The supply utility pole has been installed and the electric panel with meter socket is also in place. The utility company has followed up with the installation team ready to complete their portion of the project. We should have power soon.

GIANT SCALE AIRSHOW – Volunteers Needed



Mon Valley R/C Club Presents

GIANT SCALE AIRSHOW

CD: Jeff Sumey (jsheli@yahoo.com)

Website: www.monvalleyrc.com



When: July 29, 2017

Pilot/safety meeting at 9:00am

Open flying Fri, Sat 4pm-midnight, Sun

AMA required, Sanction #17/1170

Where: Cedar Creek Park

45 min south of Pittsburgh

just northeast of the I-70/Rte. 51 intersection

551 Timms Lane Belle Vernon, PA 15012

Google maps: 40.1748, -79.7777

ALL TYPES OF AIRCRAFT WELCOME

Turbine Jets ♦ Sailplanes ♦ Warbirds ♦ Helicopters ♦ Quads/Multirotors

Airshow starts at noon open to Public

Free Admission
On-site Concessions
First-Person View (FPV)
Night Flying (Saturday)
Pilot Drawings
50-50



FINLEYVILLE FUN FLY

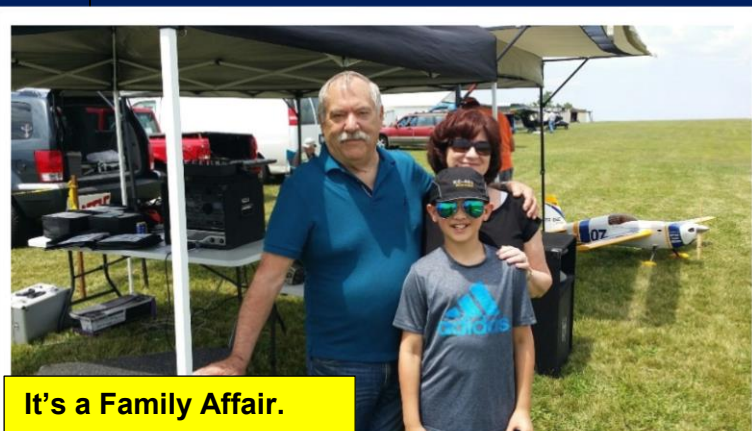
June 10, 2017





**Finleyville Fun Fly Official,
Pilot (Heli Demo), and
Announcer.**

High School Sweethearts



It's a Family Affair.





Ed Andrews from SPARKS



**Ed's AMA EXPO EAST Best of Show
Winning Scratch-Built 52% Scale Gee Bee**



Rest in Pieces

Thank you
for the
memories!



Even the
very best
pilots may
have to say
goodbye to
their favorite
aircrafts.

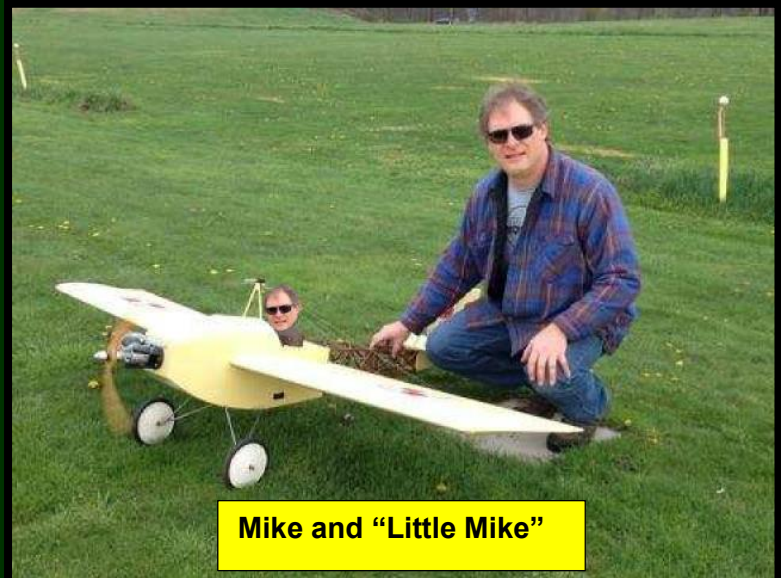
Our MVRC Pilots and Their Magnificent Flying Machines



Bill maidens his new 50cc 88" Extre MX2 on 5/18" Submitted by Jeff



Lew sporting his new sunglasses!



Mike and "Little Mike"



**Dave Herrington and his wife:
First helicopter ride in St. Lucia**



**Dave Darr's four photos from US
Nationals**



Classified Section

Please send the information you would like to post in this section for inclusion in the next newsletter to richardwojnar@yahoo.com by July 25.

You might also desire to attach a photo of your item(s) and your contact information as well.

OS 91FX with remote needle valve, BCM muffler, 12x6 prop, and 16 oz fuel tank. Great shape, lots of power. **Make offer to** jsheli@yahoo.com

For sale: various charging items. Triton charger (original version), Triton 2 EQ charger, various charging/adaptor cords, all in a nice Harbor Freight carry case. **Make total package or "a la carte" offers to** jsheli@yahoo.com





Edge 540 buildup frame covered with EPP foam PNP hi tech service 60 amp ESC Flies on 3or 4 cell battery. Just put a receiver in and a battery and go. **\$250.00**

Contact: Jeff Dzikowski



Slick 540 just add your gear and fly. Al linkage pushrods and fuel tank install **\$250.00**

Contact: Jeff Dzikowski



Brison 95 cc Engine totally rebuilt from factory only thing original is case and carburetor. Carburetor has a carburetor kit installed. **\$250.00**

Contact: Jeff Dzikowski

IMPORTANT DATES

July



4 –Fourth of July – Be Safe

7 –MVRC Meeting –

If you can find time to attend as many meetings as you can this year, your input will better serve our club.

Meetings are held at 7:00 PM at the MVRC Airfield.

22 – Executive Committee Meeting – “Roadside Restaurant”
9:30 am

22 – Quad Copter Races

29 – Giant Scale Airshow – MVRC Airfield

August



4 – August MVRC Meeting –

If you can find the time to attend as many meetings as you can this year, your input will better serve our club. Meetings are held at 7:00 PM at the MVRC Airfield.

19- National Aviation Day

Executive Committee Meeting
September 2 – Roadside Restaurant
9:30 am.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

Quad Copter Races

July 22

Cedar Creek Park

MVRC Airfield

In Case You Didn't See This..... The JULY South Hills Messenger Paper

Messengerpaper.com

The South Hills Messenger Newspaper selected our article "Mon Valley Radio Control Giant Scale Model Airplane Show Planned at Cedar Creek Park for July 29th" to be one of the three featured articles for the JULY Messenger Newspaper.

When we advertise our events, we are also advertising for Cedar Creek Park.

Not only is the Giant Scale Event featured on the front page of the newspaper, it is also listed on P. 8 under Places to Go... Things to See... and Stuff to Do.

MODEL AIRPLANE SHOW -

Hosted by the Mon Valley Radio Control (R/C) Club at Cedar Creek Park. Free admission. Public welcome.



Another great feature of the Messenger Paper is the Slide Show of photos.

If you access messengerpaper.com and are able to wait a few minutes without clicking on the Digital Edition link, you will see the photos change.

Each photo represents one of the featured articles in that newspaper edition.

For July, you'll notice **Bill Kirkpatrick's** photo along with another view of our article.

Messenger Paper Locations:

UNION TOWNSHIP / FINLEYVILLE AREA

Mingo Presbyterian Church
 Cheplic Meat Packing / 111 Cheplic Lane, Union Township
 Giant Eagle / 3701 Route 88 / Finleyville
 Healthy Directions – inside Giant Eagle
 Hair-O-Dynamics / 3711 Route 88 / Suite 100 / Finleyville
 Finleyville Beer Distribution / 3711 Route 88 / Suite 103 / Finleyville
 Sunoco Mini-mart / 3580 Washington Ave / Finleyville
 First Presbyterian Church of Finleyville / 3595 Washington Ave
 Car Quest Auto Parts / 6078A Brownsville Rd Extension / Finleyville
 Mitty's Restaurant, 203 Brownsville Road Extension / Finleyville
 Union Valley Apartments / 6100 Union Valley Apt Way
 Dairy Queen / 6180 Route 88 / Finleyville

TRAX Farms / 528 Trax Road @ Route 88
 The Beach House / 6285 Route 88 / Finleyville
 Dollar General, 6239 Route 88, Finleyville
 Subway / 6225 Route 88 / Finleyville
 Skeets / 6103 Route 88 / Finleyville
 Quilter's Corner / 6101 Route 88 / Finleyville
 Ringgold Middle School, 6023 Route 88 / Finleyville
 Huntington Bank / 3576 Sheridan Ave (Route 88) / Finleyville
 Sunshine Kids Daycare / 3549 Marion Ave / Finleyville
 Finleyville Community Center / 3547 Marion Ave / Finleyville
 Century 21 Frontier Realty / 3523 Washington Ave / Finleyville
 Affordable Care Vet Clinic/3520 Marion Ave/Finleyville
 First Niagara Bank /3500 Extension Ave / Finleyville
 Finleyville Post Office / 3510 Extension Ave / Finleyville
 Peters Creek Pub / 2103 Rankintown Road / Finleyville
 DaBuzi's Restaurant 3547 Washington Road / Finleyville
 Vocelli's Pizza / 3527 Washington Ave / Finleyville
 Gastonville Elementary Center / 3685 Finleyville-Elrama Road
 Gastonville Post Office / 3708 Finleyville-Elrama Road / Finleyville
 Union Township Municipal Building / 3904 Finleyville-Elrama Road

BETHEL PARK

Brentwood Bank, 5259 South Park Shops
 South Hills Jewelers, 5241 South Park Shops
 Rite-Aid, 5235 South Park Shops
 Pet Supplies Plus, 5229 South Park Shops
 HealthTrax Fitness, 1000 Higbee Dr (1st floor)
 HealthTrax Fitness, 1000 Higbee Dr (2nd floor lobby)
 Giant Eagle - Bethel Park, Shopping Center
 St. Clair Hospital Outpatient Centers, 2000 Oxford Drive (Village Square)
 First National Bank, 1500 Oxford Drive (Village Square)
 Old West Washhouse, Hillcrest Shopping Center, Route 88
 Dollar General, Hillcrest Shopping Center, Route 88
 1st Niagara Bank, Hillcrest Shopping Center, Route 88
 Shop-n-Save, 5001 Library Rd, Route 88
 Sheetz gas station, 4599 Library Rd.
 Danny's Pizza & Hoagies, 5159 Library Rd
 CVS, 5190 Library Rd
 Eat 'n Park, 5220 Library Rd
 PAT Park 'n Ride, Lytle Station, Library Rd
 Bethel Bakery, 5200 Brightwood Rd
 Brightwood Plaza Apts., 4940 Brightwood Rd
 Marathon Gas, 2733 South Park Rd
 South Park Cogo's, 2733 South Park Rd
 Judy's Java Joint, 3400 South Park Rd
 Rutherford Market, 3400 South Park Road
 Taylor Rental, 2901 Baptist Rd

Phone Numbers of MVRC Officers

You have access to
phone numbers for
all officers at your
fingertips:

1. Back side of your
membership
card and
2. Top of each
newsletter

MVRC Website
monvalleyrc.com

Bethel Park Community Center, 5151 Park Ave

SOUTH PARK / LIBRARY AREA

Hot Shots Saloon, 4099 Brownsville Rd

PAT Park and Ride, Library Station

Snap Fitness, 4110 Brownsville Rd

Ya Ya's Pizza, 6555 Library Rd

Library Fire Hall, 6581 Library Rd

Latkowski Auto, 6430 Library Rd

Rite-Aid, 6375 Library Rd

Castle Tavern, 6347 Library Rd

Meadowcrest Nursing Home, 1200 Braun Rd

Northwest Savings Bank, 6284 Library Rd

Subway, 6270 Library Rd

Trolley Stop Inn, 6427 Library Rd

Luciano's Pizza, 1030 Clifton Rd

Nativity Church, 2811 Brownsville Rd

Daniel's Hardware, 2724 Curry Rd

Maureen W's Notary Service, 6407 Brownsville Rd

Dorido's Restaurant, 6408 Brownsville Rd

Donte's Pizza, 6409 Brownsville Rd

Kindercare, 2901 Ridge Road

Mt. Vernon Senior Care, 1400 Riggs Rd

South Park High School, 2005 Eagle Pride Lane

South Park Elementary Center, 2001 Eagle Pride Lane

Allegheny County Parks Bldg, 100 Buffalo Drive

South Park Clubhouse Restaurant, 2200 Brownsville Rd

Xanadu Salon, 2520 Brownsville Rd

Bavarian Beer Distributor, Bavarian Village

Peking House Restaurant, Bavarian Village

First National Bank, 2550 Brownsville Rd

South Park Library, 2575 Brownsville Rd

South Park Township Bldg, 2576 Brownsville Rd

Gil's Cafe, 2700 Brownsville Rd

Dollar General, 2301 Brownsville Rd

Prescription Center Plus, 2850 Brownsville Rd

Sunoco / CoGo's, 2880 Brownsville Rd

South Park Middle School, 2500 Stewart Rd

BALDWIN AREA

Legacy Lanes, 5024 Curry Road, Baldwin

Dave's Terrace Bakery, 5253 Brownsville Road, Baldwin

The Loose Moose Saloon, Brownsville Road, Baldwin

Italian Village Pizza, 5235 Clairton Blvd, Route 51

Eat 'n Park, Route 51, Baldwin

BRENTWOOD / CARRICK AREA

Gorman's Pub, Route 51, Brentwood

First National Bank, 501 Towne Square Way Brentwood Towne Square

2017

**Executive
Committee
Members**

Chair - Rich Wojnar

Rick Altomari

James Cannon

Mark Szemanski

John Millard

Jerome Moran

Brentwood Library, 3501 Brownsville Road

Huntington Bank, 1817 Brownsville Road

WHITEHALL

Giant Eagle, Grove Road/Baptist Road, Whitehall

Frisch's Restaurant, Caste Village, Whitehall

Gianna Via's Restaurant, 5301 Grove Rd, Caste Village

First National Bank, 650 Caste Village - Whitehall Shopping Center

Whitehall Library, 100 Borough Park Drive

Maidenbridge Apts, 100 White Hampton

Canongate Apts, 200 White Hampton

CASTLE SHANNON

First National Bank, 600 Castle Shannon Blvd

Gil-Con Tool, 3355 Library Road

VENETIA / THOMAS / PETERS TOWNSHIP

The Country Store, 698 Venetia Rd

Open Italian / German Flair, 101 Sugar Run Road

Nottingham Christian Center, 1028 -1031 Linden Rd

Sunshine Kids Daycare, 1059 Linden Rd

Grande Italian Restaurant, Waterdam Commons

Harry's Pizza, Waterdam Center, 4133 Washington Rd

Jersey Mike's, Waterdam Center, 4123 Washington Rd

St. Clair Jewelers, 1037 Waterdam Plaza Dr.

Century 21 Frontier Realty, 4121 Washington Rd

Canonsburg Hospital, 100 Medical Blvd (Snack Shop)

Canonsburg Hospital, 100 Medical Blvd (Emergency Waiting Room)

North Strabane Twp Bldg, 1929 Route 519

Prescription Center Plus, 4080 Washington Rd

1st Niagara Bank, 4073 Washington Road

St. Clair Hospital Outpatient Centers, 3928 Washington Road

Giant Eagle, Donaldsons Crossroads

Peters Township High School, 264 E. McMurray Rd

Pleasant Valley Elementary, 250 E. McMurray Rd

Paramount Sr. Living Ctr, 240 Cedar Hill Dr., McMurray

CVS Pharmacy, 3870 Washington Rd

First National Bank, 3539 Washington Rd

Martinizing Dry Cleaners, 3517 Washington Rd

Sunshine Kids Daycare, 3244 Washington Rd

Heisler's Market, 601 E. McMurray Rd

Peters Township Municipal Bldg, 610 E. McMurray Rd

Peters Township Library, 616 E. McMurray Rd

Crossroads Mower Center, 611 E. McMurray Rd

Charleroi Federal Savings Bank, 622 E. McMurray Rd

McMurray Elementary, 626 E. McMurray Rd

Peters Township Middle School, 625 E. McMurray Rd

Carquest Auto Parts, 534 Valley Brook Road

Peters Township Recreation Center, 700 Meredith Dr

**Coming Attractions
Beginning with the
Next Newsletter**

**Walk Down MVRC
Member Memory
Lane**

**Please send
photos and
captions.**

Bower Hill Elementary, 424 Bower Hill Road

MONONGAHELA / NEW EAGLE

Ashcraft Self Storage / 101 Gregg St / Mon

Sheetz Gas / 111 East Main / Mon

The Bar / 131 W. Main / Mon

Hidden Treasures / 159 W. Main / Mon

Jim's Bar / 163 W. Main / Mon

Great Wall Chinese Restaurant / 201 W. Main / Mon

Community Savings / 235 W. Main / Mon

Angelo's Restaurant, 111 3rd St / Mon

Monongahela Manor / 401 W. Main St (Sr. High-rise) / Mon

Newspaper Box / Main St. in front of Senior High-rise / Mon

Devore's Hardware / 437 W. Main / Mon

Monongahela City Hall / 451 W. Main / Mon

Monongahela Area Library / 813 W. Main / Mon

Sun of a Beach / 913 W. Main / Mon

Dettores Pizza / 915 Main St / Mon

Foodland / 1223 W. Main / Mon

Hey Andy Restaurant & Bar / 1221 W. Main / Mon

Dollar General / 1237 W. Main / Mon

Hill's Restaurant / 107 Main / New Eagle

New Eagle Borough Building / 157 Main / New Eagle

Mon Valley Vision Center / 120 Main / New Eagle

John Lignelli Manor (Sr. Care Home) / 110 Chess St / New Eagle

Henry Holets, Jr. MD / 1290 Chess St / Mon

7-Eleven / BP / W. Main & Dry Run Road (Route 136) / New Eagle

Eat 'n Park / 1250 W. Main & Dry Run

CFS Bank / 1220 W. Main / Mon

Madonna Catholic Regional School / 731 Chess St / Mon

Mon Valley Laundromat / 200 5th St. / Mon

Rite Aid / 446 W. Main / Mon

From the Top Music Shop / 442 W. Main / Mon

Monongahela Post Office / Chess St. & 4th / Mon

First Niagara Bank / 318 W. Main / Mon

Newspaper Box / Main St. in front of PNC Bank

PNC Bank / 300 W. Main / Mon

Monongahela Area Chamber of Commerce / 212 W. Main St

Chaney's Natural Health / Northwest Savings 138 W. Main / Mon

St. Paul's Episcopal / 130 W. Main St. / Mon

Crall's Flower Shop / 120 W. Main St. / Mon

Mon Senior Center, 102 W. Main St. / Mon

Dierken's Pharmacy / 100 W. Main / Mon

7- Eleven / BP / 88 & 837 intersection / New Eagle

Webster Chiropractic - 767 Dry Run Road

Monongahela Animal Hospital - 321 Hazelkirk Road

Eck's Restaurant and Lounge -1574 4th Street

Portland Head Light Maine



Pete Darr was unable to attend the June MVRC Meeting, but let us know "there was enough wind to fly slope planes" here.

For more information about Portland Head Light access the following website:

portlandheadlight.com

Thanks, Pete!

St. Damien of Molokai - 722 W. Main Street
Expressions Styling Salon - 600 Park Avenue, Route 481
Ponce's Place - 715 Route 481
IGA Cox Market - Park Ave Extension- Route 481

EIGHTY-FOUR / NOTTINGHAM

Ultimate Bronze - 1629 Rt 481
Diddlebug's Pizza - 1629 Rt 481
Van Voorhis Post Office - 1275 Bentleyville Rd
Eighty-four Post Office - 812 Rt 519
Beer Tenders, - 820 Rt 519
Subway - 845 Rt 519
Red Apple / Qwik Fill - 1794 Rt 136
Sunoco Mini-mart - 1795 Rt 136
84 Fitness Center - 101 Rt 519
Danny Jr.'s Pizza & Hoagies - 1045 Rt 519
Prescription Center Plus - 1045 Rt 519
The Springhouse Restaurant - 1531 Rt 136
Washington Area Humane Society - 1527 Rt 136
Guyton's Food Warehouse - 1470 Rt 136
84 Packing - 1949 Rt 136
84 Lounge & Lake - 1937 Rt 136
Mingo Inn - 2698 Rt 136
Denny's Roadhouse - 34331 Route 136
Nottingham Township Municipal Bldg - 909 Sugar Run Road

CARROLL TOWNSHIP

Mon Valley Hospital - 1163 Country Club Dr/ Rt 88
Mon Valley Country Club (Restaurant) - 1188 Country Club Dr.
Haven Crest Nursing Home - 1277 Country Club Dr/ Rt 88
Bartolotta's Giant Eagle - 1300 Country Club Dr/ Rt 88
Mon Valley YMCA - Taylor Run Rd & Rt 88
Spartan Health Center - Stoops Dr & Coyle Curtain Rd - lobby
Spartan Health Center - Stoops Dr & Coyle Curtain Rd - cafe
Double M's Pizza - 372 Pennsylvania Avenue
Mon Valley Community FCU -140 N. Rt. 88 Suite 101

CHARLEROI AREA

Robert's Dairy Queen - 22 Route 88
Char House High Rise - 251 Ninth Street
Crest Avenue Apartments - 500 Crest Avenue
Maple Creek Beer Distributor - 158 Lincoln Ave Extension
Clineman's Mini Mart - 581 Old Route 71
Charleroi Bowling Lanes, 1301 Prospect Ave.
Mid-Mon Valley Transit Authority - 1300 McKean Avenue
Rego's Restaurant - 601 McKean Avenue
Medved's Pharmacy - 536 McKean Avenue #A
Salatino's River House Café - 506 McKean Avenue
Honor Box - Outside plaza next to Salatino's River House

My Girls Korner Kitchen - 300 McKean Avenue
Bill's Feed & Garden Center - 130 McKean Avenue
CFS Bank - 101 McKean Avenue
Mon Valley Regional Chamber of Commerce - One Chamber Plaza
Riverside Place - SPHS Aging Services -303 Chamber Plaza
S.W.PA Human Services - 305 Chamber Plaza
John K. Tener Library - 638 Fallowfield Avenue
Citizen's Bank - 501 Fallowfield Avenue
Prima Diva Boutique - 435 Fallowfield Ave
Cotromano's Italian Restaurant - 411 Fallowfield Ave
Studio K - 329 Fallowfield Ave
Charleroi Laundromat 301 1st Street
Martinelli Eye Clinic 303 1st Street

BENTLEYVILLE

Amish Storehouse, 5 SR 2044
Bentleyville Giant Eagle, 155 Wilson
Bentleyville Lanes, 1220 Main Street
Bentleyville Public Library, 931 Main
Bentworth Senior Center, 931 Main
Charleroi Federal Savings Bank, 919 Main
Kings Family Restaurant, 206 Wilson
Bentleyville Fire Co. & Social Hall, Main St.
Best Western Garden Inn, 101 Gosai
Holiday Inn Express, 25 Smita Lane

SPEERS

Lorraine's Family Restaurant - 1001 Guttman
Magic City Mart - 147 PA Ave, Rt. 88
eKernally Yours Popcorn - 149 PA Ave, Rt. 88
Mon Valley Career & Tech Center - 5 Guttman
Campy's Pizza - Rt. 88
Speers Street Grille - 121 Speers

DONORA

Anthony's Italiano - 557 McKean Ave.
Hanna's Wholesale - 833 McKean Ave.
Donora Lumber - 300 Meldon Ave.
Donora Public Library - 510 Meldon Ave.
Donora Towers - 685 Meldon Ave.
Unimart - 802 Meldon Ave.
Donora Senior Center - 701 7th Ave.
PA Career Link - 507 Galiffa Drive
Charlotte's Dei - 501 Allen Avenue

MONESSEN

Buzzy Byron's - 313 Schoonmaker
Valley 1st Community FCU - 815 Schoonmaker
Keystone Bakery - 3 Eastgate
City of Monessen Municipal Bldg. - 8 Eastgate

St. Vincent de Paul - 1701 Grande Boulevard
Giannini Distributing Co. - 13 Donner Avenue
SPHS Family Health Complex - 301 East Donner Avenue
Monessen Public Library - 326 Donner Avenue
Union Pharmacy - 401 Donner Avenue
The Torn Page - 474 Donner Avenue
Greater Monessen Historical Society - 505 Donner Avenue
Pasta Shoppe - 509 Donner Avenue
Westgate Manor (highrise) - 848 Donner Avenue
Monessen Sunoco - 1000 Donner Avenue 10th Street

BELLE VERNON

Duritza's Market, 735 Henry St
Belle Vernon Public Library, 505 Speer St
Eat-n-Park, 1675 Broad Ave
North Belle Vernon Volunteer Fire Co. Social Hall, 585 Broad Ave.
Jake's Pizza, 428 Broad Ave
Keystone Bakery, K-Mart Plaza, Route 201
Ollie's Bargain Outlet, 720 Tri-County Ave.
Martins Flowers & Shrubs, 5045 Route 51
Standard Pharmacy, 619 Broad Ave
Teddy's Tavern, 1305 Axton Ave
Washington TWP VFC Social Hall, 1314 Axton Ave
Wal-Mart (Entrance 1), 200 Sara Way
Wal-Mart (Entrance 2), 200 Sara Way
Valley First Community, 200 Sara Way
Brunswick Zone Bowling Lanes, 4742 State Route 51 (near Fellsburg Road)
Bill's Golfland - Restaurant, 210 Bill Lane, Route 51
Greater Rostraver Chamber of Commerce, 516 Circle Drive
James Connolly, D.D.S., 514 Circle Drive
CFS Bank, 1652 Rostraver Road
Rostraver Twp Municipal Bldg - 201 Municipal Dr
Cedarbrook Golf Course / (Clubhouse / bar)
Center on the Hill - 100 Summit Road
First National Bank (inside Shop & Save) Route 51 Rostraver
UHM Sales Center, 4500 Route 51
Port Royal Village, 485 Patterson Lane
Century 21 Frontier Realty - 780 Tri-County Lane / BV
The Pet Market - 1741 Rostraver Rd / BV
Hampton Inn - 1525 Broad Ave Extension
Wide Glides Bar & Grille - 518 Broad Ave

SUTERSVILLE

Moose Lodge - 138 1st. Ave
June Bug Restaurant - PO Box 151,
Miller's Place - 214 2nd. Ave

WEST NEWTON

West Newton Library - 124 N. Water St

West Newton Senior Center - 103 E. Main St

West Newton Giant Eagle - N. Water St

ROSTRAVER

Rostraver Public Library, 700 Plaza Dr

Sheetz, Inc., 4692 Route 51

Sweeney's Steakhouse, 1713 Rostraver

Val's Beer Distributor & Car Wash, 1025 Rostraver

Willowbrook Car Wash, 4672 Route 51

Snoball's Hair & Tanning Salon, 952 Rostraver Rd

BFS Foods, 4975 Route 51

Roadside Restaurant, 4965 Route 51

Eagles Landing II, Rostraver Airport

Nebby's News, 509 Broad Ave

Valdiseri's Bakery, 513 Broad Ave

ALLENPORT

Mon Valley Community Federal Credit Union - 1932 Main, Route 88

DUNLEVY

Highway Appliance - 22184 Route 88

PERRYOPOLIS

Randall's Restaurant - 3534 Rt 88

Sons of Italy Bowling Lanes - 199 Liberty St

SMITHTON

Jack's Super Market - 711 Peer

Smithton Truck Stop - Pit Stop, Rt. 70

STOCKDALE

Spee-D Food Mart - 1690 Rt. 88

ROSCOE

Dollar General - 315 Chester Ave

JEFFERSON HILLS / PLEASANT HILLS

The Interchange Lounge / 1560 Miller's Grove Road

PAT Park 'n Ride lot in Large

Slater Funeral Home / 1701 Route 51

Pittsburgh Eye Institute / 1675 Route 51 / Jefferson Hills

Huntington Bank, 1633 Route 51, Roman Biel, Mgr.

Econo Lodge / 1303 Clairton Road / Pleasant Hills

Elliott's Backstreet BBQ / 3006 Lewis Run Road & Route 51

Jefferson Hills Motel / 1205 Clairton Road / Pleasant Hills

Jefferson Medical Arts Bldg. / 1200 Brooks Lane / Jefferson Hills

Jefferson Hospital – Lobby entrance

Jefferson Hospital - Gift Shop (Rack)

Jefferson Hospital - (Lobby desk, right side)

South Hills Medical Building (left of main hospital entrance)

Lawson Nursing Home / 540 Coal Valley Road

Renee's Flowers / 1711 Route 885

The Pizza Company / 1711 Route 885

China Buffet / 1071 Mountain View Dr / West Mifflin

Arrowood at Southwestern / 500 Lewis Run Road
Southwestern Nursing & Assisted Living
Southwestern Health Center
First National Bank / 681 Clairton Blvd., Pleasant Hills
Life Force Fitness Center / 270 Curry Hollow Road (Shopping Center)
Emily's Hair Zone / 304 Curry Hollow Road (Shopping Center)
Dunkin' Donuts / 360 Curry Hollow Road (Shopping Center)
Weiss Meats / 100 Terence Drive / Pleasant Hills
Sheetz / 251 Curry Hollow Road / Pleasant Hills
Frisch's Chicken Derby / 10 Old Clairton Road / Bill Green Shopping Center
McClelland Elementary School / McClelland Drive at 360 School Lane
Pleasant Hills Library / 302 Old Clairton Road / Pleasant Hills
Pleasant Hills Middle School, 404 National Drive @ Old Clairton Road
Pleasant Hills Municipal Building / 410 E. Bruceton Rd / Pleasant Hills
Dr. Sean Leehan / 455 E. Bruceton Rd. / Pleasant Hills
Pleasant Hills Apts. / 500 E. Bruceton Rd. / Pleasant Hills
Dollar General / 716 Clairton Blvd / Pleasant Hills
Advance Auto Parts / 870 Clairton Road / Pleasant Hills
Sheetz / Route 51, 1000 Clairton Road / Pleasant Hills
Blue Flame restaurant, 1360 Clairton Road, Pleasant Hills
Diamond D Distributing -- Beer 'n At / 1450 Route 51 / Pleasant Hills
Jefferson Hills Municipal Building / 925 Old Clairton Road
Jefferson Hills Library / 925 Old Clairton Road
Jefferson Hills Elementary Center / 875 Old Clairton Road
Jefferson Hills Manor / 448 Old Clairton Road (on table inside door)
Thomas Jefferson High School – 310 Old Clairton Road (main office)
IGA Supermarket / 649 Old Clairton Road
Pleasant Hills Dry Cleaning / 631 Old Clairton Road
American Legion / XXX Old Clairton Road
Pleasant Hills Apothecary / 25 Gill Hall Road
Gill Hall Elementary School / 829 Gill Hall Road
Banana Peppers / 840 Gill Hall Road
Jefferson Hills Real Estate / 1264 Gill Hall Road
PA State Representative Rick Saccone District Office, 1002 Old Hickory Lane

CLAIRTON

Terrace Gardens Rest. (1180 Woodland Ave)
VFW Post 803 (911 North State St / Rt. 837)
Clairton Head Start (734 Miller Avenue)
The Medicine Shoppe (645 Miller Avenue)
Livingston Pharmacy (550 Miller Avenue)
Clairton Public Library (616 Miller Avenue)
American Legion (660 Miller Avenue)
St. Clair Beer Distributing (601 St. Clair Avenue)

ELIZABETH / FORWARD TOWNSHIP / ELIZABETH TOWNSHIP

Barton's Flowers & Gifts - 311 2nd Avenue
Elizabeth Post Office (Outside Paper-Box) - 320 South Second Ave

TAB's Convenience Store - 609 3rd Avenue
Elizabeth Borough Municipal Building - 3rd Avenue
RsR Tech - 107 North 2nd Avenue
Wagners Restaurant - 550 McKeesport Road
Forest G. Boucher Agency - 111 3rd Avenue
Bargain Corner / True Value - 901 Hayden Avenue (Route 51)
Get-Go - 998 Hayden Ave (Route 51)
Kickstand Bar & Grille - 1100 Hayden Avenue (Route 51)
Sylvester & Tweety's Bar (Route 51) - 8800 Robert's Hollow Road
Giant Eagle - Elizabeth
DeCarlo's Market - 803 Glassport Elizabeth Rd
Northwest Savings Bank - 603 Scenery Drive
Mt. Vernon Dairy - 1 Duncan Station Road
Bunola Post Office - 358 River Road
Dollar General - 352 North 2nd Ave

ELRAMA / WEST ELIZABETH AREA

Elrama Tavern - 1520 PA Route 837
Elrama Deli (Sunoco) - 1517 PA Route 837
Floreffe Fire Department - 1540 State St
Johnny's Drive In - PA Route 837
Scotty's Bar - 1210 5th St
The Country Kitchen - 4th & 5th Streets
Shop-N-Go - PA Route 837
Crossroads Community Church - 1028 Scotia Hollow Rd
Francesco's Restaurant, Route 51
7-11 / Exxon - 5th & Border St
Tim's Corner Bar - 700 4th St

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Mon Valley RC Club Pride

Thank you Mark Radcliff for the Awesome Article!

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As your AMA District III vice president, I am honored to visit and fly with many model clubs in Ohio, Pennsylvania, and West Virginia. One thing I have learned is that many clubs in the district have flying fields that are provided by city, county, state, and national parks.

The Mon Valley RC Club flies at Cedar Creek Park in Belle Vernon, Pennsylvania. The club held its annual Giant Scale air show on August 27-28, 2016. This event has been going strong for many years in western Pennsylvania.

AMA Flying Site Assistance Coordinator Tony Stillman and I arrived Friday afternoon to get set up and were greeted by club president Mike Eiben and contest director (CD) Al Kozusko.

The club members invited Tony and me to attend their meeting Friday evening to discuss current AMA business and flying field safety. Also discussed was how to integrate a new flying area the park had given them into their current flying site.

After some discussion, it was concluded that the additional land would be a great place to set up an FPV racing course and could also be utilized for smaller park-flyer-type aircraft. What a good problem to have for a club to be given more land to fly



This beautiful sign and planter greets visitors as they arrive at the Mon Valley RC field.



A view down the flightline of some of the aircraft that flew during the Mon Valley air show.

models!

The Mon Valley club is blessed that the county park works proactively with it to address anything the club wants to do to enhance its presence in the park. This excellent relationship did not happen overnight. The club has been flying at this park and promoting model aviation there since 1967.

On Saturday afternoon, Westmoreland County Public Works Director Greg McCloskey arrived and was pleased with the attendance at the event and thanked the club for doing such a great job of utilizing the park.

The Mon Valley RC Club is an excellent example of how working with the county park system has not only benefited the club, but also helped the county to better utilize the



Club vice president and CD Al Kozusko, and Greg McCloskey, director of Public Works for Westmoreland County, express their approval of the annual event.



This pavilion, used for club meetings and more, is just one of the amenities provided by the county park.

park facilities for the citizens of the surrounding counties. For additional information about Mon Valley, visit the club's website at www.monvalleyrc.com.

Congratulations Mon Valley RC Club and Cedar Creek Park on a great partnership. If you would like additional information about establishing a flying field within a county or city park, please contact Tony (tsac@modelaircraft.org) at AMA Headquarters. He works with park officials throughout the country to help clubs obtain flying sites.

Until next month, fly safely—fly AMA. 

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