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MCRC News

Here are the meeting notes from July 20th, 2025, MCRC Meeting:

Present at meeting: Dave G, John M, Maurice S, Bob K, Dave C, Joe Klein, Bill M, Charlie A, Joe K

****Secretary's Report (Joe K): ****

- There was no meeting last month due to Father's Day.
- The minutes from the previous meeting (May 18) were accepted as written.

****Treasurer's Report (Wayne S): ****

- Wayne was absent; no financial discussions took place.

****Safety Report (Maurice S): ****

- Overall, conditions at the field are satisfactory.
- However, safety briefings have become disorganized for members joining the Club online.

****Membership Report (Dave C): ****

- There are currently 96 active members in the database.
- Four members appear to be inactive, and those members were discussed.
- Dave will coordinate with Wayne S regarding these members.

****Field Maintenance Report (Joe Klein): ****

- There are concerns about the ongoing challenges in keeping the field mowed.
- The MCRC Club needs more volunteers to assist with mowing. Despite these challenges, comments were made that the field looks great.

****Training Report (Joe Klein): ****

- There are no new students currently, but he may have a new member interested in training soon.

****Newsletter Report (Dave C): ****

- There are no new updates for the newsletter.
- Members commented that the newsletter "looks great."

****Control-Line Report (Wayne S): ****

- Wayne was not present to provide a report.

****Vice President's Report (Bob K): ****

- Bob emphasized the importance of volunteering within the Club.

- He stressed the need for inclusion in the newsletter to encourage members to volunteer.
- Bob identified the requirement for sandbags to secure the fabric runway during hurricanes.
- Additionally, he mentioned the need for a heavy-duty roller to flatten holes along the runway and dirt or soil for filling some areas.
- Extensive discussion followed regarding these items, and John M will obtain prices for the roller, sandbags, and dirt/soil.

****Unfinished Business: ****

- Discussion regarding the installation of ceiling fans in the kitchen; Charlie A will investigate this matter.

****Final Remarks by Dave G: ****

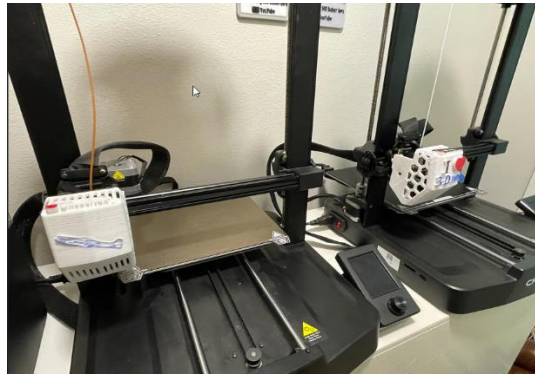
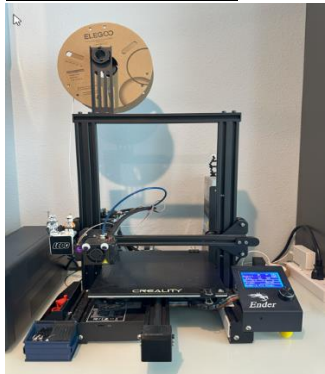
- Dave concluded the meeting with several observations, including:
 - The need to repair, if necessary, the braces for the shelters in preparation for any hurricanes.
 - Overall, the MCRC field looks great!
 - He noted the high costs associated with maintaining lawnmowers; a recent repair amounted to \$2,800.
 - Additionally, he commended the excellent work being done in the Club's "Hobby Shop" and acknowledged Joe Klein's contributions to the field.

New Business:

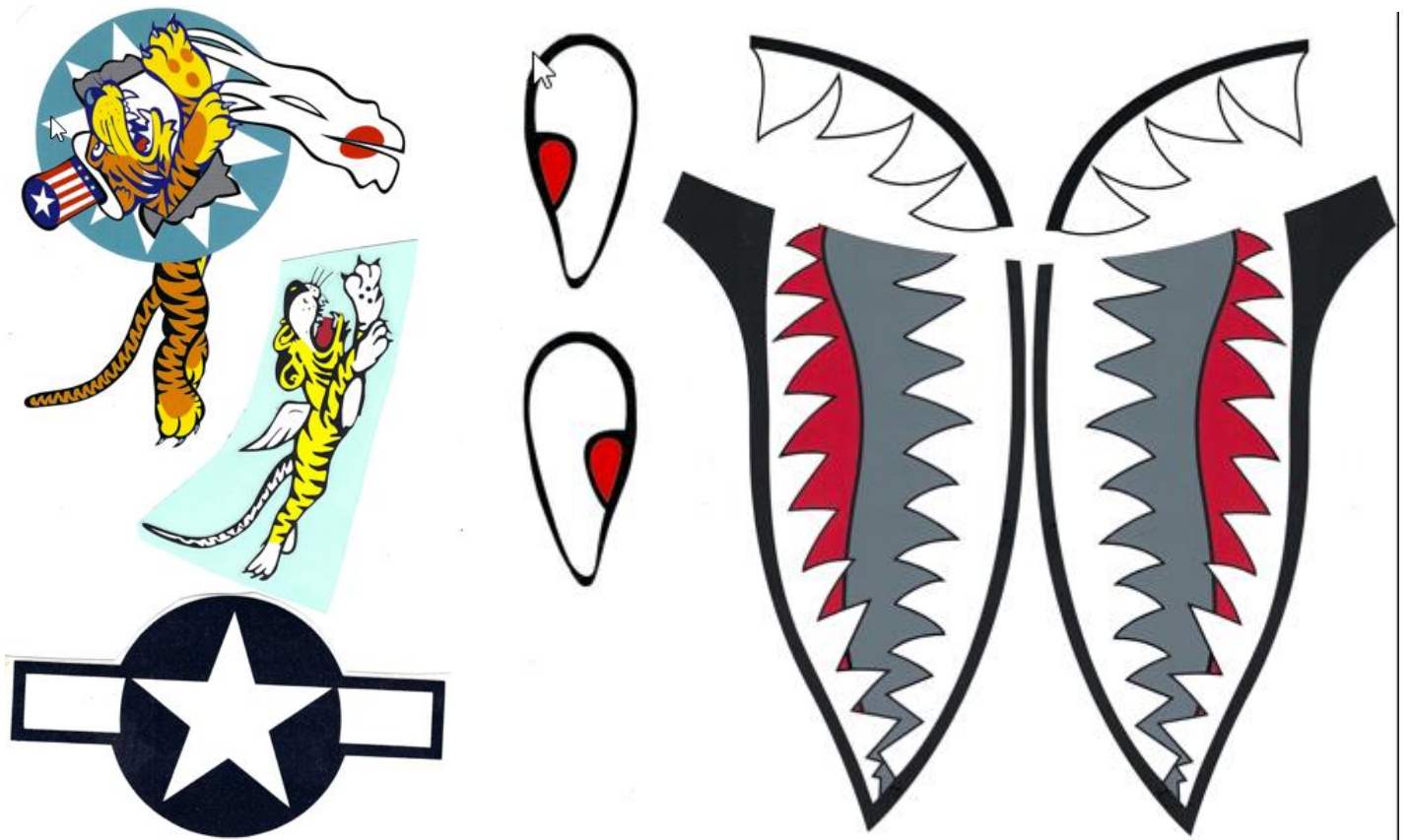
The MCRC club thanks the members who provided 21 sandbags for hurricane preparations. The sandbags are placed in the gated area by the kitchen.

Nancy Iannucelli, the widow of MCRC member Tony Iannucelli, sent a beautifully written letter to the MCRC board expressing her gratitude for the "Thank You" card and gift card she received in recognition of her generous donation to our shop. The letter is displayed on the board near the kitchen for everyone to read.

3D Printing Capabilities and Decal Available to MCRC Members



If you need 3D printing services, please contact Robert at 941-293-6155 or Daniel at 941-720-9413 for pricing information. They offer a variety of 3D printing options from small to large projects, including whole airplane concept ideas, bomb doors, any replacement parts, and much more.



If you are looking for high-quality decals, please reach out to David Cutaia at dcutaia8453@gmail.com or 952-465-4609 for pricing information. David can scan any image and create professional-looking decals suitable for your radio control projects or any other projects you may have.

MCRC's Safety Concerns

If you use a fire extinguisher, please inform one of the following club contacts so they can ensure the CO2 compound in the extinguisher is refilled:

- David Grenier: osirisdlg@gmail.com, 941-779-3294
- Maurice Spence: maurices9797@gmail.com, 206-949-9797
- Joe Klein: jibstay214@gmail.com, 914-420-8617

MCRC's 2025 AMA Charter Club Certificate



AMA's Altitude Extension

AMA field that's part of the national altitude extension in Class G airspace released in April of 2025
<https://amablog.modelaircraft.org/amagov/>

Flying Site	Latitude	Longitude	Street Address	City	State	Airspace Altitude
Tampa RC Aircraft Club Inc - Taylor Rd	28.01745902	-82.29383731	7208 Taylor Rd	Seffner	FL	700
Florida Float Flyers, Inc - Dover Rd	27.9572	-82.22	1166 North Dover Road	Valrico	FL	700
Largo Flying Club Inc - 8th Ave	27.910906	-82.776637	901 8th Ave SE	Largo	FL	700
Sarasota Silent Flyers - FL 64	27.4725	-82.3308	20600 FL 64	Bradenton	FL	1200
Valkyries of Manatee Inc - Woodstock Rd	27.50806	-82.36695	634 Woodstock Rd NE	Bradenton	FL	700
Manatee County Radio Controllers - Carl Wegner Field, Manatee Co	27.579578	-82.493001	7315 71st Ave E	Palmetto	FL	1200
Triple Creek RC - Triple Creek RC Field	27.80865231	-82.24327733	12705 Balm Boyette Rd	Riverview	FL	1200
BCF Area 52 Flying Field @ Conner Preserve	28.314989	-82.444851	22500 State Rd 52	Land O Lakes	FL	1200
W Pasco Model Pilots Association Inc - Gladstone Dr	28.198164	-82.583627	13749 Gladstone Dr	Odessa	FL	1200
Sarasota County Park	27.2968	-82.3897	8750 Bee Ridge Rd	Sarasota	FL	1200

MCRC's Upcoming Events

No upcoming events scheduled

MCRC's Membership Renewals

If you haven't paid your 2025 MCRC Membership dues, it's still time to do so. Please contact Wayne Smith at kamwns@verizon.net, or call Wayne at 813-464-9965 if you have questions or concerns about your 2025 MCRC membership.

MCRC No Fly List As of May 17, 2025

**Ansboury, Jim
Barker, Granville
Brown, Warren
Carbonneau, Jackson
Cavis, Nicholas
Histed, Jeff
Pettit, Mike E.
Roman, Stan
Winget, Jason**

If you see any of these individuals flying at the MCRC field, please contact David Grenier (email: osirisdlg@gmail.com) or call David at 941-779-3294, or contact Maurice Spence (email: maurices9797@gmail.com) or call Maurice at 206-949-9797.

MCRC's Membership Badges



Please email David Cutaia at dcutaia8453@gmail.com if you need a MCRC Membership badge. We encourage you to wear your MCRC Membership Badge while at the MCRC field to identify yourself as a member and help others get to know your name. The badge holder opens at the top, allowing you to insert your AMA card with your MCRC badge.

MCRC Board Meeting

The next scheduled MCRC Board meeting will be held on August 17th at 10:00am. All MCRC members are welcome to attend the board meeting to discuss any concerns they have with the MCRC board. Following the board meeting, there will be a general MCRC meeting with lunch being served.

MCRC Field Maintenance

Field Maintenance is an ongoing need. Volunteers for field maintenance, including mowing and some small projects are needed. Please contact Joe Klein if you can help.

Finances

Wayne Smith has reported that the club's finances are in good shape. We've welcomed several new members, and our financial situation is healthy. Currently, there are no plans for dues increase or assessment. Any member is welcome to view our financial records upon request.

Wayne uses "QuickBooks" and our reports are accurate. We have sent a reminder email to members with outstanding membership dues and will be contacting them soon to inquire if they would like to continue their MCRC membership.

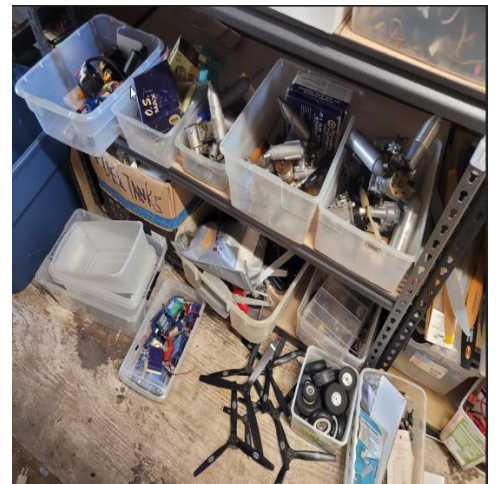
For Sale

If anyone has items for sale related to radio control, please send an email to dcutaia8453@gmail.com with pictures and a description. I will include the item for sale in the For Sale section of the newsletter.

Maurice Spence manages our clubhouse shop. If you need any radio control items, please contact Maurice Spence, at maurices9797@gmail.com, or 206-949-9797), and he will

check the clubhouse shop and get back to you with the item's price.

Here are some pictures of our Shop:



Newsletter

Please email David Cutaia at dcutaia8453@gmail.com if there are any topics or information you would like to include in the next newsletter(s).

FLY SAFE and HAVE FUN!