



Stetson Flyer

Stetson Flyers Model Airplane Club

September 2006

7th Annual Stetson Flyers Giant Rally

September 23 and 24
Stetson Field

Giant Pig Roast
Saturday Night

**Volunteers are needed
to assist with this event**

Please make an effort to come out one or both days and lend a hand. Even a few hours helping to serve a meal, monitor parking, or sell pop would be appreciated!

This event really puts our club on the map and has always been a successful event. Come on out and lend your support! It is a lot of fun!

Next Meeting

Tuesday, September 26th
7:30 pm

Don't forget your "Bring'n'Brag"!

Annual Zone Meeting

October 29th. Starts at 9:00 AM with work shops and demos, silent auction. Business Meeting from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM, with prize draws following.

Possible Date Change for Next Meeting

Please watch the web for a possible date change for the next meeting. The last Tuesday in October is Oct. 31 and your executive feel that Halloween is not the best night for a meeting. We are trying to reserve our meeting space for October 24th instead but do not yet have confirmation that this is possible. Perhaps more info by September Meeting.

Coming Stetson Events...

Sept. 23. & 24 th	Giant Scale Rally
Sept. 26 th	Regular Meeting
Oct. 29 th	Annual Zone Mtg @C.A.M.
Oct. 31 st	Elections Meeting
Nov. 28 th	Regular Meeting
Jan. 1 st	First Flight of the New Year
Jan. 30 th	Regular Meeting

Our website address: <http://www.stetsonflyers.com>

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Dues:

\$70.00 per calendar year; \$30.00 for students under 18

Meetings

The Stetson Flyers meet at 7:30 on the last Tuesday of each month, except for December, June, July or August. The meetings are held at the Canadian Aviation Museum in the Bush Theatre.

Use the back door to the museum! To get to the back door follow the roads around to the extreme left side of the museum. Pass through the gate in the fence and proceed to the back door.

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May 30, 2006

Last Meeting pre 2006 Flying Season

Meeting was opened around 8pm by Richard Campion, seconded by Mike Graton.

Minutes - published and accepted by Dave Martin, seconded by Rick Ramalho.

Guest – Navy pilot Glenn Cook who gave a presentation after the business part of the meeting.

Budget Report –

Bank balance \$3600.00 aprox.

GIC balance = \$7215.00 give or take a few bucks.

Membership Report – 78 paid member as of this meeting

Newsletter Report – None

Webmaster report – None

Safety – Scott mentioned that he as president has received many calls concerning safety at the field. He cautioned all members and reminded all about the following points.

- Transmitter impound

- Flying over the pit and parking areas

- Safety guide lines found on the MAAC website

- Flying the circuits

Events – Ed Rae June 10th
Canada Day at the Museum
Zone Fun Fly in Brockville July 8th
Helli Fun Fly August 12
Giant Rally Sept 23-24th

Grass Cutting- New contract with private company will cut every Friday morning before flying starts, trimming and cleanup before every major event.

New Executives Needed – It was mentioned that Pete Tessier, Rick Ramalho and Gregg Marshall will not be putting there names in for the upcoming fall elections. Scott has said that he would gladly step down as President if anybody was interested in the position.

Motion to close- the business meeting shortly after 8:15 pm made by Ed Whynott seconded by Gerry Nadon.

Aerial Photography

The Dynamic Hobbies SMALL Event organized by Ken Park was held at the Rideau Flyers Club on July 23rd this year. Attendance was great and so was the prize draws—computer radio, brushless motors, Sombra receivers, The pictures below show a neat camera plane. The camera angle can be adjusted using the radio transmitter, however you may or may not know the attitude of the camera once in flight.



Stetson Heli Fun Fly—Aug. 13 2005

