



FLIGHT LINES

Editor – Len Cymbal

February 2008

Up & Coming



Next Meeting

March 16, 2008

WCAM 7:30 PM

Show & Tell

April 20, 2008

WCAM 7:00 PM

Flight Instructors

Eric Bittner

Len Cymbal

Training Times

Tuesdays & Thursdays
WRCC Flying Field
To Resume in the Spring

**Proof of MAAC and
WRCC Membership
Mandatory to Fly**

From the Prez's Desk

*****WRCC's Future*****

by Len Cymbal, President, WRCC

Our Annual Flea/Fly Market held on February 17th was well attended this year with 11 tables purchased and lots of goodies for sale. Our next meeting is set for Sunday March 16th and if you are at all interested in our Club's future make a point of attending! We have been made aware of the City's tentative plans for the South Winnipeg Water Treatment Plant expansion and how it will affect our flying site, your Executive will be providing information at the meeting to members in attendance, not individually prior to the meeting so no calls please.

We will be accepting membership renewals at the meeting, just a reminder that WRCC adult renewals are now \$60, and only paid members can make or second motions or vote on them.

At the swap meet I sold the first 15 tickets @ \$10.00 each for the 1st Annual Pig Roast which will be held at 6:00 pm immediately following the 2nd Annual President's Day Fun Fly. Don Hatch won the draw for a \$10.00 refund as part of the initial offering promotion that night. Only advance tickets will be available for this mouth-watering event, and we are offering a full refund if WRCC executive cancel the event due to rain, flooding from the annual snow mountain which this year is South of our outhouse. Cancellation will be posted to our website within 3 days of the event so be sure to check it on June 14th!

See the attached page promoting our President's Day Fun Fly and Pig Roast, you do not want to miss the event this year, feedback on last year's event was nothing but positive, and with two riding mowers this year we won't be flying on a field of dandelions!

Volunteer plea:

- someone to assume responsibility for this newsletter and,
- Someone with a half ton to pick-up the pig and cooker from Danny's Whole Hog in Stony Mountain on Saturday June 14th and then to return the cooker.

Len

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2nd Annual

WRCC President's Day Fun Fly & Pig Roast

Sunday June 15, 2008

Proof of paid 2008 MAAC or AMA membership is mandatory, proof of paid 2008 WRCC membership required to be named Fun Fly Champion. All participants are required to be competent pilots and successful graduates of a wings program. We will be enforcing a transmitter impound which will be in effect from 10:00 AM until approximately 3:00 PM. All WRCC Field rules will be in effect.

Flying will start at 10:00 AM for internal combustion powered aircraft, electric and gliders can start earlier. The WRCC flying field will be closed to flying at 7:00 PM sharp to coincide with the Pig Roast. Prize draws and awards presentations will be made at 4:00 with the Fun Fly Champion being announced at the Pig Roast.

Pig Roast tickets are available by advance ticket purchase only @ \$10.00 per ticket which will include pork, potato salad, coleslaw, rolls, soft drinks, dessert and coffee **if we ever find our power cord for the pot!!** Tickets will be available at all WRCC Club meetings between now and April 20th and by email requests sent to pres@wrcc.info up until May 31, 2008. We encourage members to sell tickets to family and friends, more the merrier to help promote our club! Unsold tickets must be returned or they will have to be paid for.

Because we had to move our event to our rain day to accommodate the Saints Fun Fly and the Kenora Float Fly on June 8th there will not be a scheduled rain date. Refunds for the Pig Roast tickets will be provided if requested by July 15th.

This year we will be holding the following 3 events open to all registered pilots:

SUDDEN DEATH

Pilot takes off and circles in traffic pattern until an unknown time period passes (judge draws the time and only he knows what it is). Time starts at an audible signal, and pilot must land as soon as possible, on the runway heading in the same direction as was used for take-off, when the plane comes to a complete stop the timer is stopped, low time wins and gets 10 points. 5 points will be deducted if the plane comes to a stop off the runway! This is a prize event

EGG DROP

Everyone gets 3 plastic Easter eggs, a Dixie cup, a popsicle stick and some rubber bands to assist in mounting your bomb, but how you set-up your plane for dropping the supplied 'bombs' is entirely up to you. Most shove the stick through the cup and then rubber band it around the fuselage behind the engine or on top of the wing above the centre of gravity, remember your CG!!! There will be a target on the grass east of the runway. 25 points if you are within 4 feet of the bull's-eye, 15 points if you are within 10 feet but outside 4 feet, 10 points if you are within 15 feet but outside 10 feet and 5 points if you are within 25 feet but outside 15 feet. Everyone gets 3 drop attempts; this prize event will require the ability to roll your aircraft to drop your "bomb" or any other maneuver that will cause your bomb to leave the cup.

LIMBO LUNACY

A crepe paper draped piano wire will be strung tightly across the runway at the North end of the runway at 6' above the runway if a North wind, South end if a South wind (kidding about the piano wire). Pilots will take-off and await their name to be called where they will make their first pass and a timer will start when then plane passes under the streamer from either direction, you will then have 2 minutes to make as many passes under the streamer as you can, you get 1 point for every pass under the streamer. The timer stops if a pole is hit or the streamer is cut, and you get 'double' points if you limbo inverted!

Fun Fly Champion

The WRCC pilot with the most combined points from the above events will be awarded the 2008 President's Day Fun Fly Champion's Trophy to adorn their home trophy case, along with custody of the "Snoopy" flag for one year.