

The Monthly Newsletter of the Eugene RC Aeronauts Flying Club



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Next Club Meeting – Tuesday, January 20, 2026
7pm at River Road Abby's Pizza



From Our President

Hi All,
This is my last "blurb" as your Club President.

Christmas, 2025 is just around the corner, and we have voted in a new President for the next year! (or more)
Dave Thomas has been tackling the grocery shopping, and grilling duties for the last few years, so we should give a shout out to thank him for that, and to welcome him as our new President, 2026! Maybe we will have another member step into his grilling shoes???

Dave Carlstrom is recovering from a fall that he had a few weeks ago, that broke his hip. It was good to see him getting around, and he's getting better with the help of physical therapy.

I want to thank those of you who have taken on different roles throughout the years, such as Jim Corbett, who has with the help of mowers, and watering, set up, and take down, given us a nice field to fly on.

Thanks for the maintenance of equipment, etc.

Thanks to Martin for his abilities in keeping the boat upright and dotting the proper letters!

Thanks to Ken Milbrett for organizing events in our future, and helping train new pilots. Please plan on joining us for our swap meet in February!

Tell your Wife that you're selling your stuff, and hope she doesn't notice you when you come home with different stuff! 🤪

I hope you all have a wonderful Christmas, and a Happy New Year!

Rog

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Secretary and Treasurers report

Martin Booth

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ERCA Members 2025

Officers (4):

- President: Roger Dahl
- Vice President: Al Barrington
- Treasury/secretary: Martin Booth
- Safety Officer: Brian Ostlind

As of December 10th, 2025:

Members (65):		
Anderson, Wally	Gutierrez, Samar	Ray, Blandon
Avila, Michael	Hansen, Augustus	Risbrough, John
Bell, Cecil	Hansen, Donnel	Schiltz, Don
Berger, Andrew	Hiner, Kurt	Shay, Tristan
Bergeron, Rick	Hoard, Wayne	Sinclair, Dan
Bruckner, Cale	Hokenson, Ron	Singer, Solomon
Burgess, Mike	Jenkins, Nolan	Stuart, Jim
Carlstrom, Dave	Kristiansen, Mark	Thomas, Dave
Carmichael, Jesse	Leavitt, Lester	Thomas, James
Clark, Jefferson	Lee, Mike	Trujillo, Mark
Clark, Shaun	Lutz, Jeff	Von Moos, Larry
Cook, Doyle	Madison, Rod	Walsh, Adam
Corbett, James	Maris, Richard	Webster, Wade
Dziura, Eric	Mattox, Monty	Wellentin, Alan
Edwards, Warren	McClellan, Gary	Werneth, Brad
Fenner, Dave	Milbrett, Ken	Willis, Hudson
Firth, Peter	Moffett, Brad	Willis, Oliver
Fitts, William	Monsen, Samuel	Willis, Pat
Funk, Brian	Montgomery, Roger	Wilson, Sean
Funk, Robert	O'Donnell, Chuck	Winz, Roger
Giessen, Mark	Petrie, John	Yarbrough, GERALD
Graham, Mel	Rawson, Paul	

Treasurers Report November 2025

Balance:	November 8th, 2025	\$8,128.91
Expenses:	Abby's Pizza - Club Meeting	\$206.09
	Above All Sanitation - monthly service	\$120.51
	Total Expenses	\$326.60
Income:	Dues & new member fees	\$1,219.94
	Swap meet table fees	\$100.00
	Total Income	\$1,319.94
Balance:	December 10th, 2025	\$9,122.25

Hello fellow flyers,

Here are the notes from the finance and admin side of the club this month:

- As of December 10th, we have a total membership of 69 members.
- New members who joined the club in November/December: Brad Moffett, Blandon Ray, and Richard Maris.
- For members whose membership expires at the end of December, you can find the renewal form on the club website, and you can send a check to the PO Box to renew.
- **42** club members still have their membership expiring at the end of December.
 - Please remember that the By Laws state that renewals over two months late will be required to pay an additional \$10 late fee, and after three months the member will be dropped from the club membership and will not be permitted to use any designated club flying area. Dropped members that rejoin the club after being removed from club membership will be required to pay the initiation fee again in addition to the annual dues.
- **3** club members that have yet to renew also have lapsed AMA membership. AMA membership is required to continue to be a member of the club.
- Our incoming President, Dave Thomas, has been set up with the email address **president@eugenerc.org** for any official club business.
- Club meeting dates for 2026 are on the website: <https://www.eugenerc.org/wp/meetings/>

Thanks,
Martin

From our Safety Officer: Brian Ostlind, "Ask about the club trainer and buddy box for new pilots and/or veterans who need to dust off the cobwebs at the start of the season!"



Field Maintenance

Email to: james.corbett@comcast.net

WINTER FLYING RULES

During November, December, January and February
on Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays no flying is allowed prior to NOON.
DO NOT ARRIVE AT THE FIELD BEFORE NOON.

Swap Meet

We have scheduled our swap meet for Saturday, February 28th at the Irving Grange, same place as last year.

Load in stats at 8:30 AM and the main doors will open from 10:00 AM- 1:00 PM for the public.

I am giving our members first choice for tables. I will open up space to outside sellers on December 1st.

We have room for 25 tables and some outside space.

Please let me know ASAP if you would like to reserve a table.

[Swap Meet Flyer](#)

Thanks,

Ken Milbrett

Events Manager- Eugene RC Aeronauts events@eugenerc.org

Coming Events: Save these dates

- (No December Club meeting)
- Tue Jan 20 – Meeting At Abby's
- Tue Feb 17 - Meeting At Abby's
- Sat Feb 28 - Swap Meet
- Tue Mar 17 - Meeting At Abby's
- Sat Apr 18 – Meeting At Field
- Sat May 16 – Meeting At Field
- Mon May 25 - Memorial Day fun fly
- Sat Jun 20 – Meeting At Field
- Sat Jul 4 - Warbird fly in
- Sat Jul 18 – Meeting At Field
- Sat Aug 15– Meeting At Field
- Aug 21-23 - MonsterFest
- Mon Sep 7 - Labor Day fun fly
- Sat Sep 19 – Meeting At Field
- Tue Oct 20 - Meeting At Abby's
- Tue Nov 17 - Meeting At Abby's
- No December Meeting

Happy Birthday!

**To all members
born in the
month of
December**

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