



# RC AEROGRAM

*The Monthly Newsletter of the Eugene RC Aeronauts Flying Club*

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**Next Club Meeting – Tuesday January 17th at 7PM.**

The meeting will be at Abby's Legendary Pizza located at 1970 River Road, Eugene. This is a No Host meeting so bring your stash for some good pizza.

*If you have any interest in being part of the decision making for events in 2017 this is the meeting you don't want to miss. There will be open discussion regarding events sponsored by our club and voting will take place to firm up type of events, dates, etc.*

*This is also a great opportunity to bring your project or new Christmas present for show and tell to share.*



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**AMA Charter #530**

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**Presidents Report – Roger Dahl** [roger@artistry-in-motion.com](mailto:roger@artistry-in-motion.com)



*Hi All,  
The snow is falling, which is better than tree branches falling! The airplanes are safely hanging in the garage, and new creations on the building board are slowly coming to life! It's always funny to me how fast paced we think life must be, and how a little ice is the great equalizer! We have to slow down, or fall down! I would like to wish all of you a Merry Christmas! Let us remember the gift given to mankind as the savior of the world!  
See you next year!  
Rog*

**Treasurer's Report – Jeff Lutz** [jefflutz@q.com](mailto:jefflutz@q.com)



*Treasurers report December 2016*

*Balance as of November 22, 2016: \$6008.03*

*Checks written for: Abby's Pizza November Meeting: \$143.15*

*Income for December: Member dues: \$525.00  
Donations: \$70.00*

Total Income for December: \$595.00

**Balance as of December 19, 2016: \$6459.88**

I hope everyone has a **Merry Christmas** and a **Happy New Year**. See you all at the January meeting.

**Secretary's Report – Dave Fenner [dbfenner@comcast.net](mailto:dbfenner@comcast.net)**



*ERCA Minutes for the Nov. 22, 2016 Meeting:*

*The meeting began at 7:15 p.m. at the River Rd. Abby's Pizza location. The October minutes were read and approved, and the Treasurer's report was also read and approved.*

*Five-year Leader Club patches were handed out to all in attendance.*

*Under Old Business...*

*-Indoor flying started at Willamalane as of October 12<sup>th</sup>. Admission is \$3.*

*-It was announced that the ERCA address has been repositioned on our website.*

*-Sprinklers have been set aside and tied up for the winter, and the water hose has also been disconnected until next spring.*

*Under New Business...*

*-Club members were reminded not to drive onto the field during the winter – the ground is too wet.*

*-President Roger elicited member discussion about event planning for next year. Items discussed included how many events to have, and at what level. It was discussed to hold 1 or 2 big events to draw participants from outside the state, as well as more informal, local-participant events.*

*-Brad and Casey said they are willing to do the planning for a Monster Fest event, but would need the help of several volunteers.*

*-It was proposed that Don Schultz be given a year's free membership for his willingness to loan his tractor (and his labor) for sanding the field this fall. The motion to approve passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m. Next meeting will be held in January.*

## **2017 ERCA Club Contacts**

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*The ultimate high “G” selfie.*

## **2017 Upcoming Events**

*January 17<sup>th</sup> Membership Meeting at Abby's Legendary Pizza, River Road  
\*NH @ 7PM.*

*February 21<sup>st</sup> Membership Meeting at Abby's Legendary Pizza, River Road  
Hosted by ERCA @ 7PM.*

*March 21<sup>st</sup> Membership Meeting at Abby's Legendary Pizza, River Road  
\*NH @ 7PM.*

*April 18<sup>th</sup> Membership Meeting at Abby's Legendary Pizza, River Road  
\*NH @ 7PM.*

*May 16<sup>th</sup> Membership Meeting at Abby's Legendary Pizza, River Road  
\*NH @ 7PM.*

*June 20<sup>th</sup> Membership Meeting at ERCA Flying Field @7PM. ERCA will  
provide burgers, hot dogs and drinks. You are encouraged to bring a side  
dish, deserts, chips or make a cash donation.*

*July 18<sup>th</sup> Membership Meeting at ERCA Flying Field @7PM. ERCA will  
provide burgers, hot dogs and drinks. You are encouraged to bring a side  
dish, deserts, chips or make a cash donation.*

*August 15<sup>th</sup> Membership Meeting at ERCA Flying Field @7PM. ERCA will  
provide burgers, hot dogs and drinks. You are encouraged to bring a side  
dish, deserts, chips or make a cash donation.*

*September 19<sup>th</sup> Membership Meeting at Abby's Legendary Pizza, River  
Road \*NH @7PM.*

*October 17<sup>th</sup> Membership Meeting at Abby's Legendary Pizza, River Road  
\*NH @ 7PM*

*November 21<sup>st</sup> Membership Meeting at Abby's Legendary Pizza, River  
Road, Hosted by ERCA @7PM.*

.Happy New Year  
Wishing Everyone a Happy and Healthy 2017



## **Active Projects**

*If you have a build project that's new or have updates to a project we showed in a previous newsletter please send some pictures along with information about the project so that we can share it in the newsletter. New additions to your hangar are also a great item to share. Send to mickeyn83mc@gmail.com*



***Mickey Cohen's Mr. Mulligan***

*Color applied to fuselage and wings. Next decals and clear coat followed by installations. A big thank you to Frank Blain for the painting while I have been down for some maintenance.*

## **For Sale**

*If you have something for sale and would like it put in the newsletter send the information to: [mickeyn83mc@gmail.com](mailto:mickeyn83mc@gmail.com).*

*Hangar 9 Taylorcraft ¼ Scale ARF  
Zenoah 26 Magneto Engine  
Hitec Servo's  
Ready to Fly, just add receiver.  
Less than 10 Flights, Perfect Condition  
**\$500.00**  
Email [mickeyn83mc@gmail.com](mailto:mickeyn83mc@gmail.com)  
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**For Sale**

*Aeroworks 30 cc Edge 540 ARF  
DLE 30 cc Engine  
Hitec Servo's, A123 Batteries  
Many Extra's  
Add your receiver and fly.  
**\$500.00**  
Email [mickeyn83mc@gmail.com](mailto:mickeyn83mc@gmail.com)  
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**For Sale Need A Winter Project?**



*Top Flite P-47D Thunderbolt Giant Kit 85" Sells for \$329.99*

*Fiberglass Specialties Cowl Sells for \$50.00*

*Never touched.*

*Take it for \$300. Email [mickeyn83mc@gmail.com](mailto:mickeyn83mc@gmail.com)  
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