



Aerobeez Monster Fest 2013 Report

August 17-18, 2013 at CARL HENSON FIELD

40+ pilots and approximately 500 spectators in attendance. It was hot with light winds.



3D Demo by Aerobeez pilot Pete Young



Aerobeez Monster Fest Team - Alan, Pete and E

Show about to start



Pilot sign in



Stuff for sale

ERCA Clubs' Father and Son team put on a show



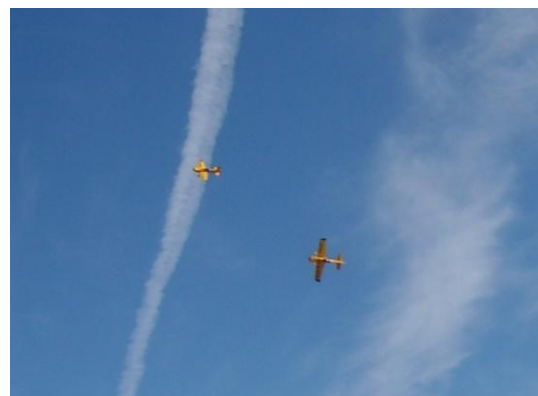
Oliver and Pat take off



Both in the air



Starting their show



About ready to come back down

Chief Aircraft team entertain the crowd



Tandem flying always a crowd pleaser.



Steve Coleman



Mark Tobin

Chief Aircraft Show Team - Steve Coleman, Dana Blix and Mark Tobin

Jim Thomas photos



Flying mower



Spectators



B-25 in the air



Planes resting



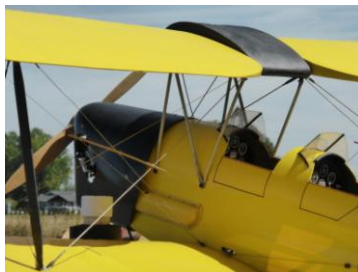
Pilot resting



Helicopter landing



3D Demo



Scale Biplane



Smoke on

Food



Doggie Llama



Cindy's Ice Cream

Al Barrington photos



Parking crew



Some shade



Recovery crew



Ready for the pilots



Here they come



Shade seekers



East side pit area



Battery charge time



Prize winner Brad

Prize winners



Oliver wins the Aerobeez 50cc



Brad wins the Aerobeez 30cc

Prize winners continued



Mike wins an airplane



Theo wins the Futaba radio



Saturday Candy Drop airplane winners



Sunday Candy Drop airplane winners



Doug scores



Another happy winner

Prize List – value over \$3,000

Aerobeez - 3 ARF Planes (Foamy SBach, 30cc Yak and 50cc Slick 540) retail value over \$1000

RC FlightDeck - \$450 (30 T-Shirts)

Tower Hobbies - \$200 (4 x \$50 gift Certificates)

Futaba - Futaba 6ex 6-Channel 2.4GHz System

Savox - \$100+ in prizes (Servo and T-Shirts)

Fromeco - \$100 Gift Certificate

Tru-Turn - Spinner, Hats, Gift Certs (estimated value \$350)

Trump's Hobbies - 1 ARF Seagull Nemesis plane .46 size and 1 RTF plane for kids raffle.

Eugene Toy and Hobby - \$50 in Gift Certificates

Rotary Motions - 5 RTF Planes for the kids raffle

RCTHRASHER.COM - \$100 (4 T-Shirts)

Castle Creations – 3x 50% off and 3x 30%

2 planes Mickey Purchased from Trumps – Value approx. \$400

Comments: -----

President

Last weekend was the Monster Fest and it was a terrific event. The contest directors, Brad Werneth and Mike Winklepleck put countless hours of work into preparation for this event and if you had the opportunity to attend the Monster Fest you know it paid off and they should be congratulated for this great success. We had pilots from Washington, California, Idaho as well as Oregon.

The prime sponsor Aerobeez really brought their "A" game to this event. The demo flights were nothing short of awesome and there was lots of product for sale. I must make special mention that the entire Aerobeez team were first class, informative, knowledgeable and friendly people.

Mickey

Vice President

See Mike Winklepleck's extensive report on the web site. – worth the read.

Contest Director

For all club members, I would like you to know that Mike Winklepleck is the reason we had any of the main prizes at all. Mike spent at least 75 to 100 hours on getting us prizes and talking to manufacture after manufacture to get every little thing he could. Thank you Mike, this event would not have been possible without you.

Brad S. Werneth

Treasurer

Preliminary financial report:

The club brought in \$400 in pilot fees at the event and \$172 from pre-registration and T-shirt sales, \$605 from the plane raffle, \$45 in hat and shirt sales, \$173 in BBQ and soda donations.

All of the expenses have not been summited yet.

AL

Misc Info: -----

Food – On Saturday we had a hot food vendor and an Ice cream vendor. Sunday Al got the BBQ running, grilling burgers and dogs. We had a return visit from the Ice Cream vendor.

Volunteers – We can put hours and hours of planning, marketing etc... but without the volunteers we would have been in serious trouble! Thank you for all that came out and helped.

- Jayne K, Heidi W and Al (registration, hat sales and raffle)
- Al (BBQ Master)
- Doug, Chick and Mel (Parking)
- Brad, Mike W and Mike B (Announcers)
- Roger (Saftey)

Prize winners – Oliver, Brad, Mike B, Doug D and six youngsters won airplanes

Parking – at one point in time 105 vehicles were parked at the event.

Misc Photos: -----



Parking East



Parking West



Pool party



Thank you Mike Burgess

Over \$3,000 worth of prizes donated for our pilots!

