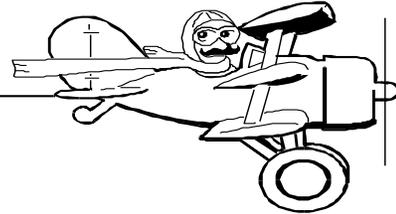


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Club Meetings are held the **Second** Thursday of every month at Brauer's Restaurant 6611 Campbell Blvd.
***** As per Brian Mau, Meetings are suspended until further notice! Stay Home – Stay Safe! *****

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Greetings;

Considering the current state of affairs our April meeting is cancelled.

Staying home and staying safe can be a bit of a challenge for most of us. The trick to being happy during this time is to create a balance between working at home, home schooling the children, getting food and supplies, sanitizing everything and finding time to relax or unwind. As RC modelers we have an avenue to create that down time. Practice on a flight simulator, try flying planes that you don't have, practice touch and go's. This is a great way to improve your landing skills and reduce the chances of a "Hard Landing". Watch You Tube Videos as there is always a lot to watch. Crashes seem to be a popular choice so when you're watching them try to figure out what went wrong. If you are serious about this thought process it will help you in your flight thinking process. I'm using this time to go over each airplane. I check all the control surfaces for fit and function, check the tightness of all fasteners, cycle the batteries and check the bind between the TX and RX. Sometime, and I don't know why the Receiver will lose bind over a storage period. This also is a good time to look at your plane and decide if it's looks could be improved by adding stripes or graphics. Foam planes can be painted with any latex paint. This is a creative way to make your purchased plane more personalized and less like a cookie cutter plane. Sticky film covering and graphics can be ordered on line. This is an easy way to personalize your plane.

We are all in this together and are all willing to help, so if you get stuck reach out to another member or a club officer and we'll get a suggestion to get you "unstuck".

ALWSU -- Brian →

AMA FLYING ASSISTANCE GRANT UPDATE

According to the AMA website, they are reviewing applications and will notify us one way or another in mid-April. →

CLUB ROSTER

Attached is the Club roster provided by Glenn Topolski. If you see anything that is incorrect, please contact Glenn. →

CLUB FUEL ORDER FROM FIELD'S HOBBIES

I have received a few orders for fuel. Unfortunately, since Field's Hobbies is currently closed due to the virus, I am unable to place the order. Once they re-open, I'll let everyone know and will place the order then. →

