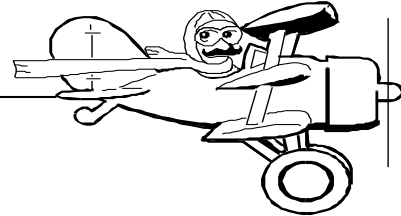


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Club Meetings are held the **Second** Thursday of every month at Brauer's Restaurant 6611 Campbell Blvd.

**** Our next meeting will be Thursday January 9th at 7:30PM *****

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

The club officers would like to wish everyone a Happy and healthy New Year. →

RENEWALS FOR 2020

Have you renewed for 2020 yet? Please send your dues into Glenn. Remember that he doesn't need the application if no information has changed. Please get your dues into Glenn ASAP as you are now late. →

FROM THE PRESIDENT

We trust that your Christmas was Joyful and Peaceful and wish you a Happy and Safe New Year. Thank You to Glen Topolski for coordinating the Holiday Party, Dave Raczka for the video presentation and to Dick Brazell for building the EZ cruiser and managing the raffle. This raffle netted \$125 for the Weather Station. The party was well attended; the food was good and the comradely was great. It's really nice to have social events that allow us to get to know other club members that we don't often fly with. Congratulations to Joe Logan, as he was the recipient of the EZ cruiser after Jeff Shepard donated the plane back to the club and Joe's number was pulled. We expect that Joe will find flying the EZ Cruiser a delightful experience.

The Committee of Dan Yaeger, Mike Bucklaew and Brian have completed our AMA Flying site improvement grant application. The grant was submitted by Dan for the optional review. This review will allow us to make any changes to improve our opportunity to obtain the grant.

The Technical Topics for January will First Person View (FPV) Conrad Kantor will be the Presenter. Conrad has been a pioneer in FPV and is extremely knowledgeable and enthusiastic about this way of flying. In the event of inclement weather that prohibits his travel from Lancaster /Alden area we will have an interactive presentation on aircraft trimming of a new model. Should you have an interest in flying a model from inside this is one meeting you won't want to miss. If Conrad makes the January meeting the aircraft trimming will be in February.

Now that I have a powered glider without wheels, I'll sign off

ALTSU (Always Land Tail Side Up)

Brian →

MEETING PROGRAMS FOR 2020

As you heard in Brian's note above, we have meeting presentations set up for January and February. So, the question is, what do you want information on that someone can present at the meetings for the rest of the year? Do you have a topic that you would like to present to the club? Please let one of the club officers know as soon as possible so that things can be set up for future meetings. →

POSSIBLE WINTER FUN FLY

Before we can consider a winter fun fly, we need some SNOW! Get your seaplanes, floatplanes planes equipped with skis or hand launch planes ready. If you've never flown off of snow, it's a blast. Watch your email and we will keep you posted with more info as it becomes available. →