

*Bill's Chicken & Steak House* 2200 Saint John's Blvd. Vancouver, WA 360-695-1591

## Wednesday, December 9, 2009

No Host Social Hour @ 6:30 pm Dinner served @ 7:30 pm

### CHOICE OF ENTRÉES Boneless Breast of Chicken

Baked and topped with your choice of herbed butter or pineapple salsa Grilled Halibut 8 oz Alaskan seasoned filet Grilled Top Sirloin Steak 8 oz choice steak topped with mushrooms Roast Prime Rib of Beef

8-9 oz Prime Rib served with creamy horseradish sauce and au jus

# <u>\$29.00 Taxes and Gratuity Included</u>

**All Entrées Include** Fresh garden salad, baked potato, vegetable, roll and butter, dessert, and beverage

# **DOOR PRIZES—RAFFLE**

ENTERTAINMENT-----DANCING? Celebrate the holiday season and kick off a New Year of Fun!!!

Please **RSVP** by **Friday** December 4<sup>th</sup> to Jim Taylor with <u>choice of Entrée</u> jimontheroad@comcast.net

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### 2009 Club Officers

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# The Clark Flyer November 2009



WOW it is already November, Where did the year go?

It feels like we just got the field resealed and ready for the year a couple of weeks ago.

It is wonderful to see so many new members joining the club and so late in the year. Welcome aboard all you new members.

A big thanks to everyone for all the work that was put into the club this year it does show!!

Be thinking of dates for a spring show and shine at the mall or at old Joes parking lot, which ever will give us the best offer!!

Thank you Jim Taylor for organizing the Christmas party again this year.

See ya all at the field keep em in the air and safe

Mike

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## **Meeting Minutes** November 11th, 2009

Called to order at 7:30 by President Mike

Guests included Rollin Reynolds.

Minutes from last meeting approved as posted on web site.

Steve gave his money report. He reports that we have 119 members. We have \$4,159.75 in the checking account. The 2 CD's are valued at \$1,097.10 and \$1,035.02. Total money is \$6,296.87.

Randy Boardman gave a report on the Big Bird fly in. Randy stated that they had 4 flyers and that he won.

President Mike talked about the club having a show in the parking lot of the mall. Other suggestions were the Founders Day Parade and the parade in Ridgefield.

Tom gave a safety report. He talked about being aware of your surroundings so as to prevent unsafe actions or accidents.

Dave Anderson talked about a mini show that some members did at Harmony Elementary School. They set up a display in the library which was very well received.

Dave Anderson talked about the web site progress. He stated it is still work in progress, however it is looking good.

Jim Taylor told us the Holiday Party will be at Bills again on Dec 9. An email will be sent out with the meal details. All members were asked to bring canned food for the food bank and a raffle will be had for all that bring can goods.

Steve Piper mentioned that parking for the meeting is in the south parking lot.

Elections and Jim Taylor's annual motion was held for the new club officers. No new nominations were offered and the same board members from 2009 will carry over into 2010.

The broken prop award was won by Stewart who destroyed the last months raffle prize. It

was mentioned that he just wanted his name in the newsletter two months in a row.



October's Raffle: Phoenix Models Dolphin ARF Won by Jim Taylor Donated back to the club for The Christmas Dinner Anyone who brings a can of food to be donated to the Clark County Food Bank will receive one raffle ticket for the A/C.

Bring five cans, receive 5 tickets, etc.

Only **canned** food will be accepted for tickets, other food will be collected and given to the food bank, in the name of CCRCS.

We had several planes for show and tell:

Randy had his Extra 300.

Doug had his Hornet.

Austin had his Stephens Acro 1/4 scale

Tom had his Pitts.

Dick had his Acrobat Zlin.

The criers raffle was won by Chuck Murray who was not at the meeting so the money will roll over to next month.

Jim Taylor won the raffle prize. Jim donated the plane back to the club and it will be the prize for the canned food drive at the Holiday Meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30.

### **Notes From The Webmaster**



### From your web "amateur"

Fellow flyers:

Your website continues to get better and bigger! New this month is activation of the "Essential Links" and "News & Events" buttons on the Home Page. Turn up your sound - or turn it off - it might get noisy! On the Home Page you'll find all the news and links for the Christmas party, community service at Harmony Elementary, raffle awards and much more.

The Project pages will be up and running again by December - all the pages from the old site have to be rebuilt, so it takes time.

Some have asked about getting in your Profile Page submission. . . it's easy! Send your pictures and biographies in an email to me, and I'll get them posted. Send your tips/tricks/hanger queens and best flyers! Share in the fun - to get to the page and see examples, click the "Members Only" button and follow the links to the Member Features page - there you'll see the link for Member Profiles. Click on any profile that is currently active to see examples.

As always, I welcome your suggestions, corrections and comments. I'll respond to every submission, it just might take a little time to get routine things posted. I'm doing updates now at least twice a month, so visit often to keep up with all the goings-on!

# **Tips & Tricks**

How many times have you used the household iron and been jumped on for leaving sticky stuff on it? Have you used iron-on film and had the color pigment stick to the iron and bleed to another section leaving streaks and marks on the second color (red on white, for instance)?

Solution: Heat the iron, put some salt on any sheet of paper and rub the iron over the salt. PRESTO! Iron face back in pristine condition.

–From the Tingalpa Transmitter in Australia

When drilling a hole in balsa, the wood has a tendency to splinter out and make a nasty mess where the drill bit exits. Drip a few drops of thin Hot Stuff around the exit area of the drill bit and let it cure. You can now drill a hole and the wood will hold together much better. It may still splinter out some, but not nearly as much. This method also works great when drilling wing hold-down holes on built-up wings.

-From the Windy Flyer newsletter, Downers Grove, Illinois

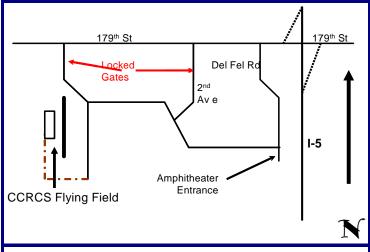
When taking an airplane apart for repair, put all the parts into a clear freezer bag with the name printed on the outside. This will save time in looking for the parts needed, as the airplane repairs are being completed. Some freezer bags have a spot for the name to be printed on and, if you put in a piece of the airplane's MonoKote, this will speed up the ID.

- from the Woodland Aero Modelers, Downers Grove, Illinois

When collapsing your transmitter antenna make sure to grab the bottom of each section and pull down. Pushing from the top can easily bend the antenna.

-from the Privateers, Mills, Wyoming

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### **Directions:**

Exit 9 from I-5 (Battle Ground Fairground exit) Head west to 2nd Ave. There are two ways to get to the field. Spectators and club members can use the Amphitheater entrance (open from 8 AM. until 9 PM. most days).

If locked club members can use the club entrance off of 2nd Ave. You must be a member and know the combination of the lock!



December's Raffle Top Flite Cessna 310 Twin ARF

Wingspan: 81" (2057mm) Wing Area: 914 sq in (58.9 sq dm) Flying Weight: 17 - 20lb (7771 - 9072g) Wing Loading: 43 - 50oz/sq ft (131 - 153g/sq dm) Fuselage Length: 66" (1680mm)

**Radio Required:** 6-channel minimum, 8-or 9-channel for retracts

**Engine Requirements:** Two .46 - .51 cu in (7.5 - 8.5 cc) 2-stroke, the O.S. .46 AX and the Bisson Pitts muffler is a good choice to keep everything hidden under the nacelles .70 to .80 cu in (11.5 - 13.1 cc) 4-stroke can be used but will require extensive modification to the cowl

Clark County Radio Control Society members shop at the following locations



8720 N.E. Centerpointe Dr. Suite 219 Vancouver, WA 98665 (360) 823-0904 Fax: (360) 823-0906

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### **CCRCS MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

#### <u>2009</u>

Applicants must be a member of the ACADEMY OF MODEL AERONAUTICS (AMA) before they will be accepted for membership in the Clark County Radio Control Society. (CCRCS)

The initial initiation fee and dues must be paid at the time of submission of application.

Dues are \$56.00 per year, or \$4.67 per month. (If you were to join in June your dues would be \$32.69) plus \$20.00 initiation fee. Any renewal sent in before March  $1^{st}$  will be discounted \$5.00. (\$56.00 less \$5.00 early renewal= \$51.00)

Any member of the same household or any person holding a Junior AMA Membership receives a 50% discount on dues!

YOU MUST submit a photocopy (or show proof) of your AMA card with this APPLICATION.

### **Applicant Information**

Name
Address
CityStateZip
AMA #Phone#
Email Address
Radio Frequency (s)
Applicant Agreement
I, the undersigned, have read and understand the AMA National Model Aircraft Safety Code, and will abide by the CCRCS By Laws. Before flying my aircraft I will thoroughly under-stand the boundaries and rules of the CCRCS flying field
Applicant Signature Date
Send this application and a check made out to CCRCS (along with a self addressed, stamped envelope if possible) to
CCRCS c/o Steve Piper 2438 Lewis River Rd Woodland, WA 98674 e-mail: rcsteve1@yahoo.com Website: www.clarkflyers.com Webmaster: Dave Anderson - rcelectricflier@comcast.net President: Mike Akers – akersm13@comcast.net

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

November 19th, 2009: Fern Prairie Modelers Meeting& Swap Meet Camas Community Center , Camas, WA 7:00 P.M. www.fpmc.org

December 6, 2009: Sky Knights Pearl Harbor Days event Canby Dusters RC Field, Woodburn, OR www.dustersrcclub.com

January 1, 2010: Hangover, Wingover, Noseover Fun Fly Clark County Radio Control Society Club Field, Ridgefield, WA www.clarkflyers.com

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