



WINGTIPS

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President's bit

Hi All

Once again I would like to thank all who have participated in working bees to get the field to the standard it is today. The new deck is looking great!

I must apologise for my lack of attendance at working bees, but the wife has other ideas about how I should use my weekends. It is a very busy time for me and my family at the moment.

Congratulations to Tom and Chris for their efforts in the Trans Tasman pattern competition. It is good to see the Aussies get to keep the trophy...again.

I am going to be at a Scale Aerobatics event this weekend in Bendigo and will obviously not be able to attend the club meeting this weekend. Grant will be chairing the meeting in my absence.

As set out in the BMAC Risk Assessment, I ask ALL pilots to stand behind the pilots barriers when flying. This is for safety first (once they are finished) and so that all pilots have a good view of the flying area and runway when landing.

Over and Out

Anthony

Next Club Meeting
Sunday 2nd April 2006
10:00am at the field

Be there or be in BIG trouble!!!!

FOR SALE

Hanger 9 Cessna ARF. 96inch wingspan. New in box
\$700

Composite-ARF Extra 2.6 airframe only. Wheels, 32oz tank,
titanium pushrod, 3W filler. Pictured up top
\$1200

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Meeting minutes

Start: 10:10am 05/03/06

Apologies: Craig Campbell-Smith, Simon Trotter, Graham Parkins

Previous minutes accepted: Grant Manwaring. Sec: Roger Pinder

Grant:

- ? Fence for the field is complete and the latch on the gate will be reviewed.
- ? Veranda started and will be finished over the next three weeks.
- ? Water and sewer will be next, with the new male toilet to be completed later.
- ? Pits area to be levelled and re grassed in the next stage.
- ? Meeting with Environment ACT at field. They are happy with progress. They were told of plans to get Canberra sand and gravel to provide clean fill for glider area.
- ? It is agreed that pattern poles and aircraft markers will be allowed in the field.
- ? Grant thanked everyone for attending working bees.
- ? Tuesday club will paint veranda, Roy to get transmitter pond.

Lachlan:

- ? Are sprinklers allowed? Environment ACT are not keen

Anthony:

- ? Elaborated on 400ft maximum. Aircraft silhouette to be put in field to give pilots an idea of what a trainer looks like at 400ft. MOU to be signed between Airservices and BMAC. Procedures to follow MOU to be put in place.
- ? Noise restrictions going well. No complaints.
- ? Chris and Anthony have obtained heavy model inspector licence.
- ? Good luck to Tom and Chris for Trans Tasman

Close 10:35