

WIRCS TOUCH & GO

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Whidbey Island Radio Control Society, AMA Charter Club #624

June 2017

Next Meeting

June 26, 7:00 pm
The Family Bible Church
2760 N. Heller Road
Oak Harbor WA 98277

Monthly WIRCS meetings are held the 4th Monday of the month and begin at 7:00 pm. Any changes to the schedule or starting times will be posted in the newsletter.

Officer of the Day (ODO)

360- 257-2681

WIRCS Flight Instruction

Members should contact **Bill Diekman**, Director of Flight Instruction, at 360-675-4455, to register. They will then be assigned to one of the instructors listed below. Once completing ground school and aircraft inspection with Bill, students should contact their assigned instructor to begin flight training.

Instructors

Mike Mosbrooker	360-929-3987
Bob Brooks	360-678-6013

Upcoming Meetings and Events for 2017

June 26	-	Meeting, Pizza Night
July 22	-	Meeting at field, hot dog BBQ (note date change)
August 25-27	-	JOW
August 28	-	Meeting
September 25	-	Meeting
October 23	-	Meeting, Pizza Night
November 27	-	Meeting

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OLF Flying Sponsors

These members have volunteered to be available for sponsoring members to fly at the OLF. If you would like your name to be added to the list, please let the Editor know.

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WIRCS Mail

Gary Ehrenfeld has volunteered to take over the moderator duties for WIRCSMAIL. Effective immediately he will be the point of contact for maintaining current WIRCSMAIL membership and be responsible for keeping WIRCSMAIL a closed, private chat group; allowing only WIRCS related subjects to be posted and to keep WIRCSMAIL spam free.

Indoor Flying

Join us every 1st and 3rd Monday – indoor electric flying at Trinity Lutheran Church gym in Freeland.

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WIRCS meeting minutes May 22, 2017

- 7:00 Brien called the meeting to order.
 Sign in for the door prize.
 No new members.
- Treasurer: Report read and approved.
- Safety officer: Fly safe.
- Field Marshall: John wanted to make everyone aware that the FAA only controls the
 airspace outside the concrete blocks at the field. The Navy controls the
 airspace inside the blocks. The operations for quadcopters have not
 changed at the OLF.
- Scott made a motion to rescind the ban on aircraft with cameras, after
 hearing more from John after he talked with the base. Voted and rescinded.
- Builder's Night: Keith made a Comet Air Coupe, rubber band-powered. He won \$20.00
- .Aviation Day: Tom said there were lots of RC planes from all over the area at the museum.
 A good day was had by all.
- 50/50: \$41/\$20, was won by Bob Oaks.
- Door Prize: Won by Bill, donated by Ken.

Meeting adjourned at 7:34.

Pizza Night! and Open House

Hey everyone wanted to remind you that 24th is Pizza night.

No, No, the 26th is pizza night, the 24th is NAS open house! And the club has a booth to show the public all about our club and R/C flying on Whidbey Island. John Brooks will be running the booth so email him to see what you can do to help. Come out to the base and get a close-up look at the F-18G Growler and the new P-8 Poseidon, spend some time at the booth talking R/C with the public, maybe even find a new member or two.

Also don't forget the next meeting (26th) is pizza night starting at 6:30.

Ken

Events at Other Clubs

In the hope that it is of interest, I'd like to extend an invitation to your R/C club members to attend our 4th annual sport scale contest in Redmond, WA, on July 15th. This is a relaxed version of serious scale events, requiring minimal documentation, stand-off judging, and a primary emphasis on prototypical flight characteristics.

The \$10 landing fee includes a barbeque lunch and a chance to win cash prizes for 1st thru 3rd place.

More details are here: <http://mar-c.org/content/marc-sport-scale-contest>

And a map of where we are in the park is here: http://your.kingcounty.gov/dnrp/library/parks-and-recreation/documents/marymoor/marymoor_park_map_web_09.pdf

I'd be happy to provide further information as desired.

Cordially,

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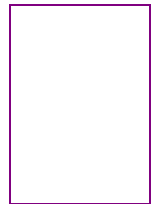
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