

WIRCS TOUCH & GO

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Whidbey Island Radio Control Society, AMA Charter Club #624

September 2017

Next Meeting

September 25, 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

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.

WIRCS meeting minutes August 28 2017

7:05 meeting starts

Treasurer report

Jets – event completed

Field Marshall – Lost one jet at the event

Safety – Disposing of old batteries. Try to drain as much as possible, then cut leads and cover with duct tape. Oak Harbor transfer site will take the batteries.

Flight Instruction – Bill: Mike is not going to instruct any longer. Looking for a new instructor.

AMA – Chuck: No new news from the AMA. This past weekend was a big event weekend, lots of events throughout the country.

OLF - Can we use FPV at the OLF? Yes.

Tom – this coming weekend is Vintage Aircraft Weekend at Paine Field.

Bill – Jets was a good event for flying. All 3 days, only one crash. The biggest challenge was the letter from the base. We did get things settled out in the end. There was no overnight camping.

The **Burlington club** is doing a spot landing Tuesday and Thursday, 10:00 am; electric gliders at the Skagit soccer fields.

Bob and Chuck – went to a free-fly event down in Oregon, held at the grass farms. It was dead-center of the eclipse.

7:35 break

50/50 - \$55/\$109. Won by Chuck. He let it ride.

Presentation – Ken: PowerPoint presentation on the possible new field

Show and Tell – Chuck: New Spectrum 20 channel receiver. Most turbines need 12 or more channels.

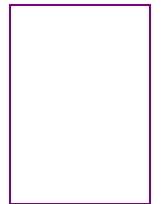
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