



AMA Chapter 534

The Rogue Eagle



Medford, Oregon

June 2003

Upcoming Events...

Lee Renaud/Bob Bennett Memorial Contest

Saturday, June 7, 9:30am

Agate Skyways

Hi, I'm Bruce Tharpe and I'll be hosting the Lee Renaud Contest this year. Please consider this your personal invitation to join us for a fun day of flying. We'll kick off the official flights around 9:30, but I encourage you to come out early for open flying. The entry fee is still only \$5.00, which includes a free lunch and a very good chance of walking away with one of the prizes listed below. Once again, Barbara Bennett has done a wonderful job of collecting prizes for the club.

The contest is open to all members of all skill levels with any kind of airplane. If you can takeoff and land, you should be there! You'll fly one flight and perform ten maneuvers in front of judges. The maneuvers are kept secret until the contest, but they will all be simple stuff like loops and rolls. If you can't do them all, that's okay! After the first round, the top pilots will be classified as "instructors" and will be paired with the lower-scoring pilots. The instructors will work with their students to try and improve their skills. The students will then fly a second round and the student who makes the greatest improvement is the winner.

For the record, I think this is a great concept. This is the only club event besides the Airshow that I've made a point of attending every year since joining the club. I also like the fact that the profits from the event are donated, along with a \$100 donation from Barbara Bennett, to the Lee Renaud Library at the AMA Headquarters. So come on out, have some fun, perhaps learn a thing or two, have a burger, and go home with a prize. See you there!

Prizes:

1st and 2nd Place Trophies for the top two teams

Great Planes Real Flight Simulator

Sig Fazer Kit

Lanier Double Trouble Kit

Lanier Pro Cub Kit

Fourmost Miter-Sander

Propellers

Real Flight Mouse Pads

Gift Certificates

Much More

Military Fly In

Saturday June 28, 2003
Agate flying field

A friendly gathering of those who appreciate...WARBIRDS...
Judging will be casual and those who would like to learn how to judge are welcome to participate.

Any plane with military insignia may participate. You do not have to participate in any of the events. Just show up, have fun flying, enjoy the comradely and a good lunch. Your presence will be appreciated.

Events

You may enter solo or as a team. You may enter as many aircraft as you wish.
You may enter one plane for scale appearance judging and fly a different plane.

PART I

Standoff scale judging (at least 15 feet)
Bring photo or other documentation if you can.
Learn how to judge and give it a try.
Aircraft will be evaluated on appearance, two mechanical functions and three military flight procedures.

PART II

FREESTYLE

You may entertain us with your version of an:

Air combat
Balloon Pop
Bomb drop
Military Plane race
Etc.

We will have prizes of questionable value and provide burgers and pop. You might wish to bring a potluck dish.
Entry Fee \$5.00 All proceeds go to the Eagles R/C club

Builders Contest

Sunday June 29, 2003
Agate flying field

This is a gathering of Model Airplane BUILDERS and those who appreciate Model Airplane BUILDERS.
To participate in this event, simply bring and fly any airplane that you built or partially built (ARF), have fun, and enjoy lunch with your friends.

Judging will be by pilot's choice

Airplanes will be placed into either one of the following two classes:

NOVICE CLASS

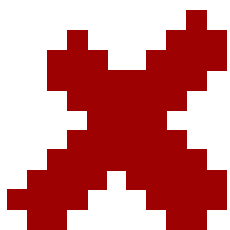
You're first through fifth airplane that you have built or ARF type aircraft.

EXPERT CLASS

All other aircraft.

We will have some prizes and lunch (hamburger and pop) will be provided. Please bring a potluck item.
Entry Fee \$5.00. All proceeds go to the Eagles R/C club

Presidents Corner...



There will be no Presidents Corner for this months Newsletter but look forward to next months Presidents Corner.

2003 Events Schedule...

Lee Renaud Memorial
Contest
June 7th

Plat-I
June 13th, 14th, & 15th

Red Bluff
June 13th, 14th, & 15th

Military Fly-In Contest
June 28th

Builders Contest
June 29th

Selmac Float Fly
July 26th & 27th

OMPRA K. Falls Race
July 26th

Kids Day @ Hawthorn
Park
August 2nd

OMPRA North-South
Shootout
August 23rd & 24th

Airshow Interest Day at
Wal-Mart, Medford
August 30th

Airshow Media Day
September 4th

Rogue Eagles 2003
Airshow
September 6th & 7th

OMPRA Championship
Pylon Race
October 4th

Fall Fun Fly
October 18th
(Tentative Date)

2003 Board Members

Elected Club Officers

President-

Kai V. Aiello - 245-9336

Vice President-

Bill Grove - 660-6581

Secretary-

Danny Watson - 488-2179

Treasure-

Werner Bruckner - 664-2549

Board Members

Board Member at Large-

Mike DelPonte - 535-8800

Richard Schwegerl - 773-5479

Public Relations Officer-

Joe DeAscentis - 774-9519

Newsletter Editor-

Gino DelPonte - 535-8800

Events Coordinator-

Bud Shirley - 664-2667

Appointed Positions

Video Coordinator-

Eric Swenson - 245-3670

Field Maintenance Supervisor-

Sam Arrigo - 597-4537

Field Marshall-

Rob Chambers - 245-0239

Board Meeting Updates

- Bill Inman announced that the Montague Field now requires AMA and a Siskiyou County RC'ers Membership.

P.O.C. - Gary Korpi: (530)-842-9444

Newsletter Editor Notes...

If you have any of your airplanes that you would like to write about and send me pictures for it please do, and if you have any thing you would like to have for sale on here please call me at 535-8800 or e-mail me at Jdelp88502@charter.net.

Thank you,
Gino DelPonte

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To:

Next Meeting is June the 10th at the Lions Sight and Hearing Center, 228 N. Holly, Medford, OR. Please bring your show and tells!

For Sale

- New 12 volt wet cell batteries... \$10.00
- MDP Pro 400 series, 2 cell Lithium Ion battery packs-
 - 830 mah= \$26.95
 - 1400 mah= \$36.95
 - 1800 mah= \$48.95
- RPI Lithium Ion Chargers for MDP Pro 400 series... \$49.95

-Please Contact Mike DeIPonte (541)535-8800

Membership Renewal

Members may continue to update their membership status at the June meeting. Be sure to bring your dues of \$25.00. Also, you must be a current member of the AMA, so bring your 2003 AMA card for verification. Make checks out to the Rogue Eagles RC Club. Application forms will be available at the meeting. You may also renew by sending your dues, a copy of your 2003 AMA card and a \$25.00 check to the 2003 treasurer:

Werner Bruckner
925 North 5th St
Central Point, OR 97502

Please renew your membership as soon as possible. You will not continue to receive a newsletter if you don't renew. Furthermore, your flying privileges at the field will stop without an up-to-date member ship.

The Board.