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President's Report

Club!

It's Fall: harvest time, corn maze time, Halloween time, leaf color time...and flying time. We've had some great flying weather so far and more promises to come.

We have a few more Tuesday Chillin' and Grillin' events left on our calendar so take advantage of some great fun, flying, and fellowship out at the field on Tuesdays for the rest of this month. We also have two other events on our calendar this month. On Saturday the tenth, from 10am to noon the club will have a presence at the Kingsport STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, And Math) at the Glen Bruce Park in Kingsport. We were invited to attend by one of the organizers. We'll set up some tables and aircraft and pass out some club flyers, talking to whoever is interested! If you want to participate then let me know ... or else just show up! ☺

George Baker was featured in an article in the October edition of the AMA magazine for his accomplishment of 365 days of flying (I think the count is now well over 400, and counting.) Check out this great article. You'll find it on page 11 within the "In The Air" section. Why not take the "TiredIron" challenge and see how many days you can fly! I'm up to 71 so far!

On Saturday the 28th we'll be having our weird aircraft fun fly at the field at noon. Craig Quillen has volunteered to organize that event. Thank you Craig! There will be a vote on the weirdest aircraft, the winner to receive a cash prize! So build 'em, fly 'em and impress everyone with your imagination and innovation.

Since our normal monthly meeting would fall on Halloween night, we have rescheduled it and will have our October meeting at 2pm immediately after the weird aircraft fun fly on the 28th so mark your calendars.

Happy flying! See you at the field.

Doug Lindauer

JCRC President

Fun at the Field Pictures





Model Aviation Magazine recognizes 365 Days of flying

One Year of Flying

An AMA member was honored by his club and AMA for flying every day for one year.



George R. Baker, of Church Hill, Tennessee, completed his 365th flight on July 22. He is a member of the TiredIron Aviation club and the Johnson City Radio Controllers.

During the Johnson City Radio Controllers' runway dedication event, TiredIron Aviation club members presented George with a cake and a new Freewing F-86 jet to mark his milestone and to thank him for all that he does for his clubs.

After sharing his story with AMA's Marketing department, AMA created a certificate for George, signed by AMA Executive Director Dave Mathewson, and sent it to him, along with a pin. He was pleased when he received it.

George endured harsh weather conditions and took his model airplanes on vacation with him to achieve his goal.



Next Meeting

28th: 2:00 pm JCRC Monthly Meeting at the Field

Upcoming Club Events

October

7th: 10 am - 12 pm: Kingsport STEM Event - Location: Glen Bruce Park, Kingsport
28th: 10:00 am - 2:00 pm - Halloween Fun-fly
28th: 2:00 pm JCRC Monthly Meeting at the Field

Other Events

October

20th-22nd: TiredIron Aviation Fall Fly-In
Location: 6522 Carters Valley Rd Church Hill, TN 37642

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