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Indoor Flying Schedule

Indoor Flying at **Calvary Pentecostal Church** in Madison
Every Wednesday 11:00am – 3:00pm
(\$\$Donations Appreciated\$\$)

The Wednesday indoor flying at the church will continue throughout the summer!

The Monday night indoor flying at the church and Friday night indoor flying at the school have been discontinued until fall. Club meetings will take place at field fly-ins until fall.

Upcoming Events

May 5th - Club Fly-In at Whispering Pines
May 12th – Meeting & Club Fly-In at Pease Field
May 26th – Lily Pond Float Fly

Also please note the schedule change in August for the Carrabassett Summerfest Display and Demo at the Sugarloaf Regional airport in Carrabassett Valley. It is scheduled for August 4th and the Lily Pond float fly has been moved to the 11th.

Should an event schedule change or be canceled, we will do our best to send out an email notification.

***** **Next Meeting** *****

May 12th

Pease Field

North New Portland

**FCAM 2012
Event Schedule**

Feb 24 Indoor Flying & Meeting – Anson

March 23 ~~Indoor Flying & Meeting – Anson~~ **Canceled due to OHTM**

March 24 & 25 OHTM Midcoast Model Festival

April 27 Indoor Flying & Meeting – Anson

May 5th Whispering Pines Fly-In

May 12th Pease Field Club Fly-In & Meeting

May 26th Lily Pond Float Fly

June 2nd Whispering Pines Club Fly-In

June 9th Pease field Club Fly-In & Meeting

June 23rd or 24th Lily Pond Float Fly

July 7th Whispering Pines Club Fly-In

July 21st Pease Field Club Fly-In & Meeting

Aug 4th Display and demo at Sugarloaf Regional

Aug 11th Lily Pond Float Fly

Aug 25th Whispering Pines Fly-In & Picnic - Vern Duckworth day
Rain date Aug 26th

Sept 1st Lily Pond Float Fly

Sept 15th Pease Field Club Fly-In

Sept 22nd Whispering Pines Club Fly-In & Meeting

Sept 29th Lily Pond Float Fly

Oct 6th Pease Field Club Fly-In

Oct 20th Whispering Pines Club Fly-In & Meeting

Nov 30th Meeting & Election- Anson gym

Art's Mid-Star 40

I purchased this plane from Art's personal aircraft and converted it to electric. Built a new mount for the motor and cut thru the existing firewall to accommodate the 4 cell 3600 mah Lipo battery. Had to remove some of the lead Art had installed just under the horizontal stabilizer so I could archive CG balance.

I have ten flights to date and it is a nice performer but I expected no less!



AUW is 75.2 ozs and it is powered by an Turnigy Aerodrive SK4240-750, Wood 11x6 Prop, Turnigy 4S1P 3600, and a CC Phoenix ICE 50 ESC. Max current is 28.7 amps and 423 watts. 5.63 watts/oz - 90 watts/lb. RPM is 9259. Wing loading: 17.19 oz/sqft. A Spektrum AR600 receiver is used.

I left Art's markings on the plane, even the "No Electrics" symbol on the vertical stab!

Joe





Lief has been practicing with his new acquisition, a Blade CX helicopter.

Our newest member, Nathan Berry, gets some flying time with my Night Vapor. He did quite well!!
Welcome, Nathan!



Maine Jet Rally/Horizon Air Meet 2012

This Air Meet is to be held at the Sanford Regional Airport on September 6-9. Call the number mentioned below if you need more information. This is going to be the largest show of its kind to come to Maine so plan to attend. A few of us are going down and staying in the area for several days. And we are going to volunteer to help the organizers. Even if you cannot volunteer, plan on attending at least for one day. I will send out the event flyer along with the newsletter.

A form is available for club members to volunteer for dates and times they would like to help at the Maine Jet Rally/Horizon Air Meet 2012... If you need to change your volunteer status, times, etc., after submitting this form, submit another form with update selected on the top line of the form, or call Bethany Carle at the Hobby Center... 207.797.5196.

[Register to Volunteer](#)

[Download Event Flyer](#)

Thank you for volunteering to help at this first time event for the state of Maine and the North East Region...
THANK YOU... Ray Labonte

Benefits for volunteers are free admission to the event and invitation to dinner, night flying show, fireworks and band on Saturday Night. Your club will also get financial benefits from your participation.

**NOTE: Invitation to Saturday dinner will require club members to complete at least two time periods.
Volunteer Periods: Wednesday (12p-6pm), Thursday-Sunday (8am-1pm & 12pm-6pm)**

F. C. A. M. MEETING MINUTES
APRIL 27, 2012

Meeting was called to order at 7:00PM by President Wayne White. 9 members were present.

The last Secretary's report was accepted as published.

The Treasurer's report was submitted by Roland Woodworth and accepted.

Old Business:

- 1> President Wayne White changed the May 5 Fly-in from Whispering Pines to Pease Field.
- 2> Frank Bedard reported that the new stands have been built. He also stated that the old stands and all picnic tables needs refinishing. Wayne volunteered to apply new finish.

New Business:

- 1> A discussion ensued on the importance of being an AMA Member when flying at any of the FCAM fields due to insurance issues. AMA requires this insurance because of liability issues for both FCAM and property owners. FCAM would lose their Charter if a non AMA member flies at any FCAM field. Roy Jackson will be notified pertaining to this issue.
- 2> Joe Gilbert announced the up-coming Air Meet 2012 taking place on September 6-9 in Sanford, Maine. Joe will publish more information in the next newsletter which will be published shortly.
- 3> Shortie Poulin stated a date will soon be set for a "Modeler's Yard Sale" selling the remainder of Arthur's inventory at a 50% discount. Shortie will soon meet with Shirley Aube to agree on the sale date. Members will receive an email for the date of sale from Shortie.
- 4> Bob Hines inquired if the club could have a "Keg Party". It was tabled for future discussion. Secretary's note: Bob appeared to be sober at this time.
- 5> Safety Officer Roland Woodworth stated the need for expanding and/or installing safety fencing to separate the pit areas from the flight areas at both Whispering Pines and Pease Field.
- 6> Dick Lahaye requested that the Saturday, Aug. 4 Lily Pond float fly be moved to another date because the annual Display & Demo at Sugarloaf is scheduled for that date. Wayne rescheduled the Lily Pond float fly from Aug. 4 to Aug. 11.
- 7> Wayne stated that all members should learn how to use the frequency board.
- 8> New member Nathan Berry was welcomed into FCAM with much enthusiasm.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:35p.m.

Minutes submitted by Ron Sarnar, Secretary



Lily Pond Seamaster Flyers, May 29, 2010