



Newsletter of the Murrysville Area Radio Control Society

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Useful Links





Club Reminders

Flight Times:

- SUNDAY 12:00
 Noon until dark.
- OTHER DAYS -10:00 A.M. until dark
- For quiet electric park flyers or unpowered aircraft only: Permitted Flying Hours - 8:00 A.M. until dark, seven days a week.

Westminster Aero Modelers Flea Market

Don't forget about the Westminster Aero Modelers annual flea market February 10th. See their flyer on the following page.

New Membership Application

We will be voting on two potential new members at this month's meeting. They are Dustin and Nathan Hartle from Murrysville, PA.

Dues Payment Reminder

*** 2024 dues are payable **now**, and you have two ways to pay! If you haven't already renewed your 2024 membership, please do so soon. We'd like to have all renewals paid to keep our AMA paperwork to a minimum.

#1) Club treasurer Carl Adams will be at the coming monthly club meetings to accept your dues payment, or

#2) You can mail it directly to him, and include the following:

- Check payable to MARCS in the amount of \$20 for an adult, \$10 for 15 years of age and under
- Proof of AMA membership (AMA membership card or receipt showing payment, and your AMA number, and expiration date)
- · SASE would be appreciated for return of your membership card

Mail to: Carl Adams, 155 Pembrooke Drive, Delmont, PA 15626.

Next MARCS Auction and Flea Market

Our next Auction is quickly approaching. Please note that because of Easter Weekend being on our traditional March auction date, the auction and flea market has been moved back one weekend, and will occur on April 6th, with setup the day before, Friday April 5th at noontime. See flyer on page #3.

Next Monthly Meeting

When: February 8th, 2024 @ 6:30 PM

Where: Monroeville Public Library

*** Meetings held 2nd Thursday of each month ***

Regional RC Flea Market Flyer.

The Westminster Aero Modelers, from Westminster, MD, have invited one and all to their annual flea market on February 10, 2024.

Steve Rothschild writes of this event and his club:

Dear Club Officer,

The Westminster Aero Modelers would like to invite your club members to attend our Annual Flea Market on February 10, 2024. We are located in Westminster, Maryland at the local VFW Hall. Our tables sellout every year and there are always some nice bargains. We have food for sale and a 50/50 raffle. I think everyone has a good time. We are a friendly and helpful club.

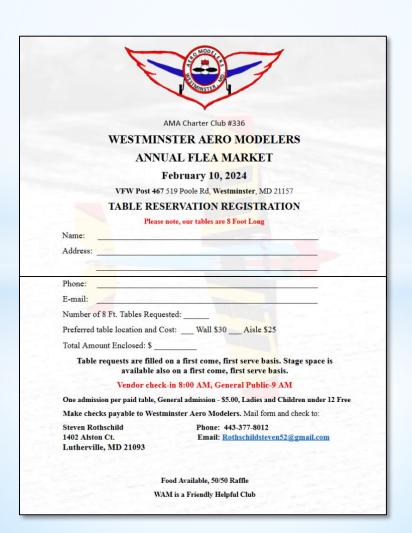
Please see the attached registration form for those who would like tables.

I hope to see many of your members at our event.

Sincerely,

Steve Rothschild 443-377-8012

Rothschildsteven52@gmail.com



R/C FLEA MARKET & AUCTION

Saturday, April 6, 2024

Moved one week later than normal to avoid Easter weekend.





Murrysville Area RC Society

Come to Buy or Sell!

Up to 25 Tables!

Concurrent Auction Cash Door Prizes Hot Food & Drinks

All COVID 19 guidelines in effect on this date will be followed.

Delmont, PA - Delmont Event Center

Flea Market 8:00 AM to ????

Concurrent Auction: Starts 9:00 AM

Vendor Set-up: Doors open 7:00 AM

Admission: Adults \$5, Spouses free

Children under 12 free.

Auction: Restricted to items related to

R/C modeling.

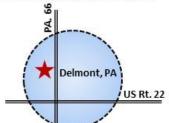
All sales cash, 10% commission

on items sold.

Flea market: 25 tables available @ \$10 each.

Smoke Free Facility (except in designated areas).

2360 Rte 66, Delmont, Pa. 15626 www.delmonteventcenter.com



Our events are held:

- First Saturday in Nov.
- Last Saturday in March

For more information and tables, call Dave Frew (724) 727-2396 Event Status: http://www.remarcs.org/auction

Photo at the Field

MARCS member Jeff Goff submitted this photo of fellow members having a good day of flying. If you snap any photos while at the field, please share them with me so that I can add them to the newsletter. Thanks Jeff for taking this photo!



Rick Ofstun (left) and Phil Ramm getting a flight in on a cold Saturday in December

Winter Project

Fellow member Mark Wechsler was kind enough to take three photos and write up a nice description of his current winter build. Thank you very much Mark, so sending these along for inclusion in the news letter!



Per Mark:

"Enclosed are the pics for the Super Kaos I just finished. It's powered by an OS55-AX and required less than ¾ oz in the nose to balance. I'm using Blue Bird high voltage servos for rudder and elevator and a TORQ CL1208 high speed servo is connected to each aileron.

I made a number of changes to the original design. The aileron servo trays are 3D prints of my own design as well as push rod guides and wiring grommets. (I still need to make a couple grommets to clean-up the access holes for the muffler bolts and needle valve.) The bottom of the fuselage has a removable hatch behind the engine for easy access to the fuel tank (and weights). There is also a removable hatch at the rear of the fuselage bottom for maintenance (and weight access if it's necessary.)





The landing gear configuration has been changed from tricycle gear to a tail dragger with carbon fiber gear up front. Since I'm using a 2S Lipo The charge jack portion of the /off switch charge jack is rewired to connect to the battery balance leads. Now I can plug my Lipo checker into the side of the plane and battery without needing to remove the wing for access."