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From The President

Greetings Eagle Members,

Our meeting will be on Tuesday, August 18th at 6:30. As long as the weather is nice we will have it at the field. If it's bad we always have Lawrence Township hall as back-up.

Another club fun fly has come and gone. I think everyone had a good time and flyer attendance was about the same as in previous years. Thanks to all members who helped.

Unfortunately spectator attendance was down due to several conflicting meets. The AMA also played a part in this. However, we did make money at the meet. Find out how much at the meeting.

There is plenty of flying going on at the field. I hope you are getting your fair share in.

Unfortunately(or maybe fortunately depending on you point of view) I will be unable to attend the meeting due to business. Our other capable officers will be in charge, and I'm sure everything will go smoothly.

See Kraigs article for food arrangements.

As always, be safe at the field, and see you soon.

See you at the meeting.

Scott

PS. Watch the skies this weekend. MAPS is having some WW2 aircraft in, I'm sure you'll see them flying around

From Your Editor

Hi Fellow Eagles,

The fly-in is history and a good time was had by all. We didn't make a ton of money but we made enough to keep the club running for another year.

A great big thanks to all the club members who showed up and lent a hand. We signed up two new members at the fly-in. And, lest we forget, thanks to Scott who slaved over a hot stove all day to keep our flyers and fans full of delicious fly-in fare.

The AMA is raising the dues to \$75 next year. This is the first dues increase in the last 7 or 8 years I think and I guess it's understandable given inflation and rising insurance costs. If you renew before September 15th, you still pay the old rate so that's something to consider this year.

Drones continue to make headlines, generally creating havoc when flown by non-AMA pilots. The ease of flying drones means that any idiot with a wallet full of money can now get in the way of airliners and fire fighting aircraft. The FAA is still wallowing in a bureaucratic mess of trying to regulate the drones and the people who, without proper knowledge and instruction are causing major problems. There's nothing wrong with flying drones, just obey the AMA rules and for God's sake stay away from full scale aircraft.

Since Scott will not be at the meeting, we will simply have a covered dish snack session. I'll bring a pizza and if everyone shows up with a covered dish there should be plenty to eat. If anyone wants to volunteer to cook hot dogs, call me or Scott to let us know. You will be reimbursed for buying buns, hotdogs, and condiments. A real chance for one of our grill artists to show his or her culinary talents.

Keep em' Flying!!

Kraig

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Club Meeting

Tuesday Aug 18th

6:30 PM

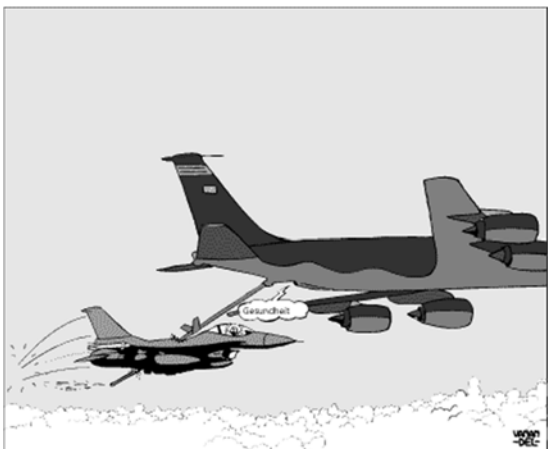
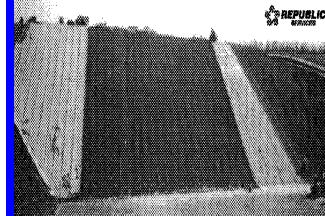
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If at field bring a covered dish!

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