

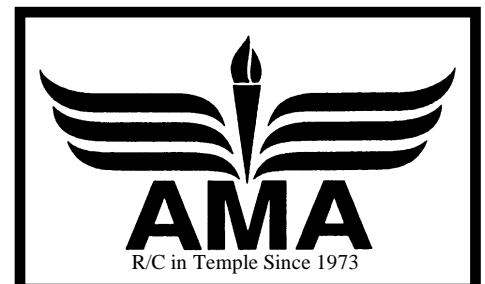
# The Temple Aero Modeler

The Official Newsletter of the Temple Aero Modelers Radio Controlled Aircraft Club

August 2022



This month's meeting will be held  
**Monday, August 29<sup>th</sup>** at the Ronald  
McDonald House in Temple  
(2415 S. 47<sup>th</sup>) beginning at 7:30pm



*Club Meeting:  
August 29<sup>th</sup>*

# CLUB INFO

*Poker Fly:  
September 11<sup>th</sup>*

*Night Fly:  
September 23<sup>rd</sup>*

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Steve Delgado (L) is helping Chris Boultinghouse prepare Chris's A-10 for flight. *Photo by Joe Svacina*

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## Temple Aero Modelers Upcoming Event Schedule

Aug 29	Club Meeting	7:30pm
Sep 11	Poker Fly	11:00am
Sep 23	Night Fly	6:00pm
Sep 25	Fall Picnic	1:00pm
Sep 26	Club Meeting	7:30pm
Oct 2	Fall Fun Fly	1:00pm
Oct 21	Night Fly	6:00pm
Oct 24	Club Meeting	7:30pm
Oct 26	Final New Pilot Training	5:00pm
Nov 28	Club Meeting	7:30pm
Dec 11	Don Cullison Memorial Toy Fly	1:00pm
Dec 12	Christmas Banquet	6:30pm

Club business meetings are held on the last Monday of each month, with the exception of October (pulled up one week because of Halloween) and December (replaced by the Christmas Banquet).

On Facebook: @TempleAeroModelers

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## President's Report



Hello fellow aviation nuts!

Merriam-Webster defines "Hobby" as: "a pursuit outside one's regular occupation engaged in especially for relaxation".

Have you ever looked at the RC projects in your workshop and felt like you must work on something? I have. And every time that happens, I try to remind myself that this is a hobby. I don't have to do anything if I don't want to! It's for relaxation.

The same goes for flying our toys. Knowing that most of us go out on Sunday afternoons, I sometimes feel like I just have to go or y'all will think I'm a slacker. Remember: It is a hobby! The moment you start feeling like you "have to" it's time to step back and re-evaluate. It's not a job, and it's not an obligation! It's for relaxation.

Now back to that Ugly Stik. It's tantalizingly close to being finished, lacking only servo and pushrod installation and paint. Problem is, I just don't feel like doing that! Instead, I've been daydreaming about my next foam board jet and researching an open-source helicopter stabilization system. I'm sure someday I'll get around to finishing that Ugly Stik, but now I'm wondering if I should just go with electric power instead of that 4 stroke slimer... I think I'll sit down with a frosty beverage, relax, and ponder that question.

Chris Boultinghouse  
Club President [cboultinghouse@yahoo.com](mailto:cboultinghouse@yahoo.com)

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## Meeting Minutes (July 25, 2022 meeting)

The meeting was called to order at 7:35pm by our Club President, Chris Boultinghouse.

**New Members/Visitors** – Gary Morawiec and Shane Lee were visiting.

**Minutes** – Minutes from the June meeting were approved as printed in the newsletter. A motion to accept the Minutes was made by Steve Sanders and seconded by Kenny Maddux.

**Treasurer's Report** – The Club Treasurer was absent from the meeting, no report was given.

**Safety Officer's Report** – The Club Safety Officer was absent from the meeting, no report was given.

**Field Marshal's Report** – The Club Field Marshall was absent from the meeting, no report was given.

**Announcements** – The club's next Night Fly will be held this

Friday, July 29<sup>th</sup>.

**Old Business** – A Night Fly was held on July 1<sup>st</sup>. Attendees enjoyed sausage wraps and good flying. 6 or 7 members were in attendance.

Chris reported that there has been no progress on the club's new website.

Chris spoke about a conveyor belt model that he recently finished constructing.

**New Business** – Club shirts: Fred Huber called a company to get a sample shirt made with an iron transfer.

**Trip Reports** – Steve Sanders (member of the Commemorative Airforce) flew on the Devil Dog B-25 to Missouri for an EAA Fly-in/Airshow. He witnessed AT-6 Aeroshell, B-52 and F-16 flights. The chairman of the FAA was in attendance to present an award.

**Blunder Awards** – Steve Sanders was flying his Cub Cadet when the wind caught it and it crashed, breaking it in half.

Chris Boultinghouse crashed Kenny Maddux's plane on takeoff due to reversed ailerons, with minimal damage.

Chris was voted the winner of this month's Blunder Award.

Meeting adjourned at 8:24pm.

Minutes recorded and submitted by Mark Cullison. (Frank Sodek, Club Secretary, was on vacation).

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Here's Larry Macie's Piper Pacer.



It was a busy day at the flying field!

*Photos by Joe Svacina*

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