



FLIGHT LINE

OCTOBER 2022

Regular Meeting

Tuesday, October 18, 2022, 6:00PM

Mountain Mike's Pizza, Oroville

GENERAL NEWS

Meeting Location

The October meeting will be held at Mountain Mike's Pizza in Oroville. Note the meetings are going back inside now that the days are getting shorter. Come have pizza with fellow club members.

Surf-n-Turf Event

Larry Sheppard held the Surf-n-Turf Flying Event at the Bruce Wallace Memorial Field on October 8 & 9. Fifteen pilots registered to fly both days. A few pilots were from the Red Barons club. The weather was very cooperative, not hot or windy. The pilots enjoyed flying from the runway and water. The rescue boat made several trips to recover unruly aircraft. Pilots and a few non-fliers enjoyed lunch on Saturday. All in all a great event. Chris, a new member flew his E-flite Beech D-18 twin. It flew well and looked great in the air. See photo below.



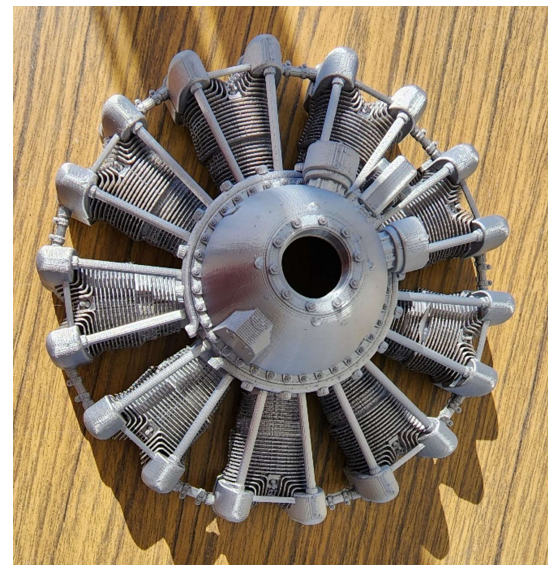
Pictures

Seen at the field is this nice 3D printed radial engine. Bill bought these from a website that makes engine replicas. The quality of the 3D printing was incredible and included the back of the engine (not shown). Maybe we will see one on Bill's planes soon.

Other

A reminder to members using the field, two small rattlesnakes were found in the pits area during the Surf-n-Turf event. It is a good idea to ensure your surroundings are free of hazards including snakes.

The shade covers over the assembly stands will be removed for the season.



CLUB STUFF

August Meeting Recap

Seven members attended the September 20 meeting. Current paid membership totals 46.

Old Business:

- August minutes read and approved.
- New picnic tables are installed.

Treasury Report:

- No report for August.

New Business:

- A new battery for the boat is needed. Motion to purchase new battery was approved. Battery has been replaced.
- A proposal to move the regular club meetings to Saturdays and have club provide food. Discussion shelved.
- Reminder to membership to ensure lights and charging system switches in storage shed are turned off.
- Reminder to membership to not dispose of household trash at field. You bring it, you take it!

Show and Tell:

- Frank W. brought a 1941 Hayseed Free Flight plane that he built and covered with red silk and nitrate dope. Now converted to electric, an Olsen 0.23 engine would have originally provided thrust for this aircraft. Frank stated that there is also a 6-foot wingspan version. Frank's work is always amazing! See photo below.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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