

Wings and Things

January 2016

Club Information

The Lodi Area Radio Control Club (LARCC) meets on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:00PM.

During the winter months the club meets at Lucky's Bar and Grille in Okee.

During the summer months meetings are held at Quarry Field.

Club Officers

If you have questions about club activities please contact one of the officers or visit the club's web site.

President	Tim Klade (608) 635-4819 president@larcc.com
Vice President	James Koeppel (608) 635-5157 vice.pres@larcc.com
Secretary	Kevin Kopp (608) 220-3678 secretary@larcc.com
Treasurer	Brian Roberts (608) 846-4945 treasurer@larcc.com
Safety Officer	Kenton Tomlinson (608) 635-4815 safety@larcc.com

Club Website

The official web site of the Lodi Area Radio Control Club can be found at:

www.larcc.com



Propwash

By Kevin Kopp

Happy New Year!

I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year and that Santa left all kinds of r/c goodies under the tree.

Santa was nice enough to leave me a new toy to play with. I am hoping to bring it to an upcoming meeting and give a demonstration after I get a little more use to using it.

You've probably noticed the newsletter looks a little different this month. This is my first pass at changing the look. I am not sure if I am completely happy with it, but it is a start. It may change a few more times until I get it looking how I want. If you have any suggestions or ideas or would like to write a column or article please don't hesitate to contact me.

Even though the look of the newsletter may change a few more times there are a few things that will be consistent. If you notice on the left the email addresses of the club officers are in red. For those that are getting emailed newsletters, you can click on these links and they will open your mail program for you to send an email to that officer. The club web site at the bottom is also a direct link to the club's web site. In the *Upcoming Events* column, any club event dates will be in red, all other events are in black. If there is a link for more information, club events will again be in red, all other links will be orange. (continued on page 2, column 2) →

Upcoming Events

January 20, 2016



LARCC Club Meeting 7:00PM
Lucky's Bar and Grille, Okee

February 1, 2016



RSVP Deadline for LARCC Banquet

February 17, 2016



LARCC Club Meeting 7:00PM
Lucky's Bar and Grille, Okee

February 20 2016



LARCC Banquet
Drinks at 6:00 PM
Dinner at 7:00 PM
Please **RSVP** if attending
See Newsletter for more information.
Lucky's Bar and Grille, Okee

February 21, 2016



Shawano Swap Meet & Auction
Doors open at 8:00AM
Civic Center
225 S. Main Street
Shawano, Wisconsin
shawanorcflyingclub.net

March 6, 2016



Valley Aero Modelers Show and Auction, Doors Open 7:00AM
Monarch Gardens
2311 W, Spencer Street
Grand Chute, Wisconsin
www.flyvam.com

March 17, 2016



LARCC Club Meeting 7:00PM
Lucky's Bar and Grille, Okee

April 20, 2016



LARCC Club Meeting 7:00PM
Lucky's Bar and Grille, Okee

May 15, 2016



LARCC Swap Meet and Fun Fly 9:00AM
Quarry Field, Lodi

May 18, 2016



LARCC Club Meeting 7:00PM
Quarry Field, Lodi

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Newsletters will be emailed and mailed out the week before the meeting, no later than the Thursday before. If you have something you would like to get in the newsletter, please get it to me two Sundays before the meeting or as soon as you can, the earlier the better.

Building season is upon us, so if you are building something take some pictures and write up a brief description and send it to me and I can put it in the newsletter. It's always fun to see what other people are working on.

Lastly, if you have something you are looking to buy, sell or trade, we can put that in the newsletter too. Send me pictures, description and contact information and I will get it in the newsletter. Ads will run for one month unless you contact me letting me know you want it in the newsletter again.

That's all for this month. See you at the meeting on the 20th. ✈

LARCC Banquet

When: February 20, 2016
Where: Lucky's Bar and Grille, Okee
(Where we have our club meetings)
Time: Drinks Starting at 6:00 PM
Dinner Starting at 7:00 PM

If you are planning on attending the banquet, you need to RSVP by February 1, 2016. If we have over 20 people attending, we will have a limited menu, under 20 people we can order off the full menu.

Please RSVP how many are attending by
February 1, 2016 to:
Kevin Kopp at 608-220-3678
or
secretary@larcc.com

More information will be provided in the February newsletter, at the next 2 club meetings or in an email if needed.



LARCC Secretary's Report

December 16, 2015

The December 2015 meeting was called to order by Acting President Klade at 7:08 PM.

There were 12 members present, along with two guests. Guest Matt Mineholtz is a friend of Kenton Tomlinson who is interested in multi-rotors. Guest Jeff Unger is visiting us from the DeForest Veterans Memorial Foundation.

The Secretary's report was approved as presented.

The Treasurer's report was approved as presented.

Old Business

Election of officers - There were no new nominations. Larry Barnes motioned to close nominations. Wayne Riemer seconded the motion. Motion passed. The elected club officers for 2016 are:

- President - Tim Klade
- Vice President - James Koepfel
- Secretary - Kevin Kopp
- Treasurer - Brian Roberts
- Safety Officer - Kenton Tomlinson
- Board Member (Elect.) - Shawn Pendleton

Acting President Klade thanked the outgoing officers for their past service.

There was no action taken on fire extinguishers at this time.

There was no further interest in the having a pattern/IMAC event,

New Business

Kenton Tomlinson asked if there was any interest in having a club banquet this year. After a brief discussion, it was determined that there was enough interest to organize a banquet. A preliminary date was set for February 20, 2016., drinks at 6:00 PM, dinner at 7:00 PM. The banquet will be held at Lucky's Bar and Grill in Okee. Watch the newsletter for an official announcement.

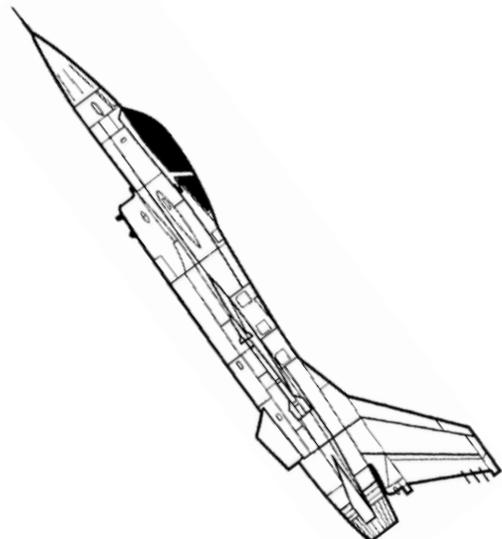
Tim Klade inquired if the club would like to do a New Year's Frozen Finger Get Together. Kenton Tomlinson suggested Saturday, January 2, 2016 at 9:00 AM. Everyone agreed. Randy Brue volunteered to plow the driveway if needed. Kenton said he would provide hot chocolate. Scott Benson volunteered to convince his wife to make some chili for the event. Thank you Randy, Kenton and Scott.

Guest Jeff Unger from the DeForest Veterans Memorial Foundation attended tonight's meeting to say thank-you to Brian Roberts and Larry Barnes for helping assemble and install the F-16 Falcon model at the DeForest Veterans Memorial Park. He also gave an update on upcoming plans for the park and for upcoming events being held at the park. They are still working on obtaining and installing a few more pieces in the park. Jeff also invited us to come to the park on Memorial Day (May 30, 2016) for a special Memorial Day Celebration. Thanks to Jeff for providing the update, and thank you to Brian and Larry for helping the Foundation install this awesome looking model.

Wayne Riemer motioned to adjourn. Motion seconded by Scott Benson. Motion passed.



Submitted by Kevin Kopp





2016 LARCC FROZEN FINGERS FLY & GET TOGETHER

On January 2, 2016 the Club held its Annual Frozen Fingers Fly In and Get Together.

About 12 members stopped out through out the day, with most getting flights in. There seemed to be an airplane in the air constantly from 9 AM until Noon when the winds started to pick up.

Thanks again to Randy Brue for plowing the driveway, Shawn Pendleton for doing the cooking, Scott Benson for bringing chili, Kenton Tomlinson for providing hot chocolate, and everyone else for participating.





From the Prez

By President Tim Klade

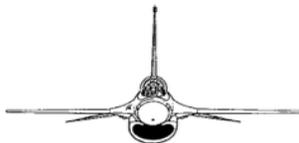
STATE OF THE CLUB ADDRESS

Lodi Area Radio Control Club members this is my first column as your new president. Thank you all for giving me the opportunity to lead the club. I shall do my best to continue to improve the club. This new year will surely be an interesting and perhaps a challenging one for the whole radio control world. With FAA registration now upon us and perhaps more regulation in the future we need to show our best side. Follow the AMA rules and our club rules and be safe. Also to help educate the masses in what we do as a hobby.

Our club's first event of the year was held at Quarry Field on January 2nd. About 12 members came out to fly and a good time was had by all. From 9:00am till after noon aircraft were in the air. So thanks to all the members that came out. A special thanks to Randy Brue for a very nice job plowing the snow out to the field. Also thanks to Scott and Shawn for bringing food and Kenton for sending hot chocolate in his absence. Shawn also brought out the heater. Nice and warm. Also whoever said they were going to bring coffee Ray Walsh is going to look you up.

Our next club event will be a club banquet held at Lucky's in the room we have our meetings on Saturday February 20th. More details to come, hope to see you there.

Tim K. 



We Need Your Help...

It is again that time of year to renew your club dues.

In an effort to update the club's records, we would like everyone to complete a membership application form when submitting dues.

There is an application form on the last page of the newsletter. Please complete the application and mail it to the address on the form along with dues and a copy of your AMA card when you renew.

If you do not want to mail in an application, you can always bring one along to the club meeting.

If you have already paid your 2016 dues, thank-you. It would be appreciated if you could complete an application form if you have not done so already. You can either mail the completed form and a copy of your AMA Card (if not sent already) to the address on the form or alternatively, you can email a scanned copy or a legible picture of the completed form and AMA card to secretary@larcc.com

Finally, you may notice on the application there is now a opt-in or opt-out for a club roster. This is intended to be used for a club roster that may be published in the newsletter at some point this year. The only information that would be included in the roster would be, your name, phone number and email. This published roster would only be sent to current club members via the newsletter. The roster will **not** be placed on the web site and will be removed from the newsletter it was published in when it goes up on the web site.

If you have question, comments or concerns feel free to call or email me.

Thank you in advance for your help.

Kevin Kopp, Secretary



Lodi Area R/C Club, Inc.

Membership Application

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The Lodi Area Radio Control Club (LARCC) is a chartered club (#2930) of the Academy of Model Aeronautics (AMA).

We are an all volunteer model aircraft club dedicated to providing a quality, family oriented environment for the enjoyment and educational aspects of flying radio controlled aircraft.

The club meets the third Wednesday of each month at 7:00 PM. During the summer months, meetings are held at the field. In the winter months or during inclement weather the meeting location will be published in the newsletter, or emailed to members.

See the club's website for more information: www.larcc.com

Hours of operation:

- Gliders and Electric Powered Models may fly 7 days a week, any time of day
- Fuel Powered Models may fly 7 days a week, 8:00AM until 8:30PM

**To be a member of the LARCC you must first be a member of the Academy of model Aeronautics (AMA).
Please enclose a copy of your current year AMA membership card with this application.**

PLEASE SELECT TYPE OF ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP

**All memberships come with monthly newsletter*

- General - Full membership rights and privileges, including flight
- \$40 Annual Membership
- Junior - Full membership rights and privileges, including flight
- Must be under 16 years of age
- \$20 Annual Membership
- Family - Immediate family member(s) of a General member, over the age of 16
and resides at the same address.
- Full membership rights and privileges, including flight
- \$20 Annual Membership per family member
- Associate - Flying only membership with no voting privileges
- Must be current AMA and full current membership in another Wisconsin
AMA recognized club.
- \$20 Annual Membership

Name: _____ AMA #: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Do you want your information included in a club roster? Yes No

Mail Application, Dues and Copy of AMA Card to: Brian Roberts (Treasurer)
7788 County Hwy I
Arlington, WI 53911