

Wings and Things

February 2017

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	James Koeppel (608) 635-5157 president@larcc.com
Vice President	Brian Roberts (608) 846-4945 vice.pres@larcc.com
Secretary / Treasurer	Kevin Kopp (608) 220-3678 secretary@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



From the Prez

By President James Koeppel

Well Jimmy the Groundhog is predicting six more weeks of winter. I for one am hoping he wrong. It can warm up any time now. But, I guess we will have to make the best of it and use the time to get those winter projects finished. I know I have a few that are running behind. Hope to see more of these project at the next few meetings.

I want to thank Shawn P. for volunteering to head up checking on any local parades we may want to attend. Please let Shawn or one of the board officers know if you would like to help.

I also would like members to think about the Sept. fun fly. We will be having a discussion on this at the Feb. meeting.

See you all at the meeting.

James 



Secretary's Report

By Kevin Kopp

January 18, 2016

The January meeting was called to order at 7:02 PM by President Koeppel.

There were 8 members present.

Wayne Riemer motioned to approve the Secretary's and Treasurer's Report as read. Scott Benson seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Old Business

The swap meet advertisement for the AMA magazine has not been sent in yet. Kevin Kopp said that it would be sent in in the next day or so.

President Koeppel would like to form committees for the upcoming year. Committees identified were: Swap Meet, Dekorra Fireworks, and a September event. President Koeppel said that he would ask Tim Klade if he would help organize the Dekorra Fireworks again this year. Scott Benson said that he would help out at a September event. During the discussion, it was mentioned that it would be nice to do some of the local parades again. Shawn Pendleton volunteered to keep track of and organize our participation in some of the local parades.

With spring sneaking up on us, we are again going to have to think about mowing for this upcoming season. Kevin Kopp would look into doing an email list or some sort of calendar on the web site to let people know when the field has been mowed.

New Business

Scott Benson asked if the club would like to use a roller this spring. Membership agreed that this would be greatly appreciated if he could get one.

It was also mentioned that the moles are still an issue along the edge of the field. The club may want to lime a portion of the field or continue with the poison.

President Koeppel would like to have a list of maintenance items that the mowing equipment needs the spring. Oil and filters will need to be changed in all equipment. Blades will need to be sharpened on all mowers. The two pull behind mowers most likely both need replacement batteries. The transmission fluid and filter in the older John Deere should be changed. Randy Brue suggested putting a reminder sticker on the pull behind mowers to turn off both switches. Kevin Kopp said he would take care of some kind of sticker. Kenton Tomlinson motioned to spend up to \$200 for mower maintenance this spring. Scott Benson seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Kevin Kopp said that the metal shelter by the sheds has collapsed and needs to be repaired or removed at a work day this spring.

The Club was contacted through the web site by an organization looking to have a class on quadcopters (drones) in September. There were enough members interested in helping out that we will pursue this opportunity, Kevin Kopp will coordinate.

Kenton Tomlinson would like to see the Club donate something back to the community. A discussion followed. The club will look into local groups looking for donations.

James Koeppel gave a brief update on the new pin shack that he has been working on.

Kenton Tomlinson motioned to adjourn. Scott Benson seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Meeting adjourned. 🦋



Upcoming Events

February 15, 2017



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

March 5, 2017



Valley Aero Modelers R/C Show and Auction (Swap Meet) 8AM
Monarch Gardens
2311 W Spencer Street
Appleton, WI
\$5 Entry Fee

March 15, 2017



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

March 19, 2017



Madison Area Radio Control Society's Swap Meet and Indoor Fly Swap 8AM - 11AM
Flying 11AM - 1PM
Sun Prairie High School Field House
888 Grove Street
Sun Prairie, WI
\$5 Admission + \$5 Flying
See Flyer on Page 4 for more info

April 19, 2017



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

May 17, 2017



LARCC Club Meeting 7:00PM
TBD

May 21, 2017



LARCC Swap Meet and Fun Fly
Quarry Field
Gates open at 8AM
\$5 Per Car Load

June 21, 2017



LARCC Club Meeting 7:00PM
Quarry Field



FOR SALE

Dremel Model 480, 4-Inch Table Saw

Great for cutting through balsa and light plywood. Missing fence.

\$75 or best offer

Call Kevin at 608-220-3678 for more info



Madison Area Radio Control Society's

Swap Meet and Indoor Fly

Sunday, March 19th

Swap - 8 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

\$5.00 per person General Admission
(sellers and buyers)

Sellers First table - \$5.00

\$10.00 for each additional tables

Indoor Fly - 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

\$5.00

Rules

13. Must be current AMA member
14. Electric only (no rubber band)
15. Max weight = 6 oz.
16. Please stay inside the field house, except for accessing the restroom.
17. No food or beverages allowed in the field house.
18. Clean up any personal trash or damaged aircraft prior to leaving.
19. Stay behind pilot flight line at all times.
20. No flying over the pilot or pit areas.
21. Announce "on the field" when recovering a plane.
22. The field house will be divided into multiple sections.
23. Flying schedule may be used if necessary depending upon the number of flyers.
24. Counter clockwise race track pattern.

FOR SALE

Airplanes, Gliders, Radios, Engines and Miscellaneous

The Club was contacted through the web site by a gentleman who was looking to sell several airplanes and other RC airplane related equipment.

He would like to sell it as one lot but would entertain offers to sell individual components.

All the equipment is older but appears to be in good shape, but may need some repairs to make airworthy

All are kit built planes and include engines and radio equipment.

Some of the engines are locked up but appear to be complete.

Here is a partial list of what is available:

- Sig Riser - Glider
- Carl Goldberg Gentle Lady - Glider
- Midwest Aerostar 40 with engine
- Sig Kadet LT-40 with engine
- Carl Goldberg Eagle 2 with engine
- Great Planes Easy Sport 40 with engine
- Sig Senior or Seniorita with Saito engine and 2 wings
- OS Surpass 48 - 4-Stroke Engine
- OS FP 40 - 2 Stroke Engine
- OS FP 60 - 2 Stroke Engine
- 3 Flight Boxes
- Wing Building Jig

I have more pictures if you are interested, you can email me at secretary@larcc.com and I can send them to you.

If you would like to purchase anything contact the owner -

Mike at (608) 577-7111

**He is located on the South-West Side of Madison
Just off the Beltline**





January Show and Tell

Pictures by James Koepfel



Kenton T. with his new-to-him St. Croix Models Long Ez that he picked up at the Waukesha Swap Meet. It is going to be electrified.



Shawn P's receiver ready Fokker D-7 that he found at the Waukesha swap as well. Another project that is going to be electrified.



Wayne R's wing for his scratch built V-1 Kirschkern (aka buzz bomb) that he is working on. The V-1 will be radio controlled.