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**THE NEXT MEETING IS AT JIM KELSO'S GARAGE
ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13TH AT 7:00 P.M.**

**Our Next Event..
Carrier Landing Event and
Barbeque April 25th.**

Nothing is more secure than our club's bank account. Rumor has it that it took over two hours to change our treasurer from Kent to Chip. I think they said it was because no one had recorded the serial number from Kent's Harley and he was on a ride out on the road somewhere. BJ

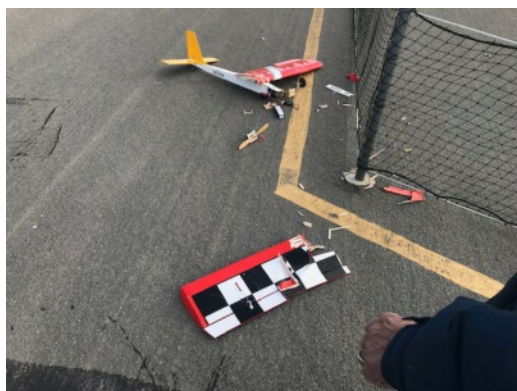


At the Christmas Party 2019... Please thank Barb Mower for providing us with the pictures for the Newsletter. I'm looking forward to being at the party next year. BJ

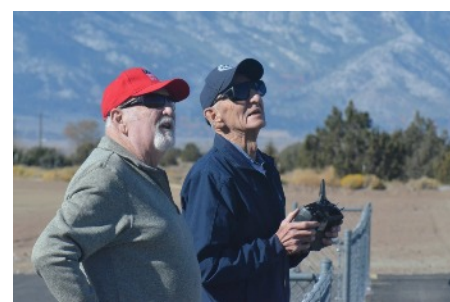
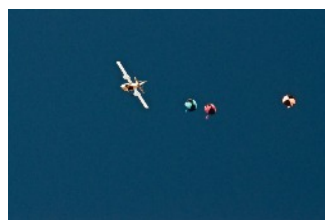


UP THE ROAD...

Dennis sent me these photos of the “Frozen Fence Fun-Fly” which took place at the Carson Field on January 1st. At least the weather wasn’t too bad. BJ



BACK AT THE FIELD... Once again: Many thanks to Barb and Dennis for supplying me with all the photo's for the newsletter. These photos are layout here in a random fashion. I hope you enjoy seeing them and will know the stories that go with them. BJ





This photo, taken at the 1989 Re-enactment, shows the 1927 Supermarine S-5 built by Bob Heitkamp. It took top honors in static scale judging. (Photo courtesy of Bob Martin)

Minutes of Monthly Meeting

January 2, 2020

- I. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by President Jim Kelso. Eleven members and guests were present.
- II. The minutes from the November 7, 2019 club meeting were read by the secretary and approved.
- III. Treasurer's report: There is a balance of \$3,493.11 in our checking account.
- IV. Field report: The field looks good and stayed relatively dry during most of December. Tom Walters sanded and painted the blue trim on both sun shades. A work party needs to be organized to sand and paint the rest of the brown uprights. The runway seems to be holding up well with the polymer sand.
- V. Old Business:
 - Dennis read Bob Jones email to the club members. Bob is recovering well after a second heart surgery.
 - Club members reported on the Frozen Finger Fun Fly, January 1st at the Carson Club.
 - The Christmas party was a great success with 28 club members and guests present.
- VI. New Business:
 - The membership elected the following club officers to replace vacant positions. Current officers are:

○ President:	Jim Kelso
○ Vice President:	Dan Stratton
○ Secretary:	Dennis Lampson
○ Treasurer:	Wilbur Mower
○ Safety Officer:	Dennis Lampson
○ Field Marshall:	Tom Walters
○ Director:	Tom Walters
○ Bob Jones:	Newsletter Editor
 - Jim Kelso read the schedule of events for 2020.
 - Dues were collected from members in attendance
 - The club auctioned off two airplanes, a 46 size spitfire, ready to fly with engine to Traun Stephens for \$55 and a giant size lazy bee to Tom Walters for \$65.
 - Barbara Mower has produced club calendars which are available for \$25 each. Contact Barbara at 760-889-7246 if you are interested.

VII. The Golden Cow Pie Award was awarded to Grant Stephens.

VIII. Show and Tell:

- Tom Reinbolt showed a kit built Sig Astro Hog with a Saito 80 4-stroke engine he recently completed. Tom custom spray painted the plane with latex paint and then applied a sealer to make it fuel proof.
- Jim Kelso showed his Tiger 30 by Hanger 9. The plane has a 90 inch wingspan and is powered by a DLE 35 RA and has nine digital Savox servos. It sells for \$399.00 as an ARF.
- Jim also showed the World Models 60 size Intruder, won by Grant at the Christmas party. It is powered by a OS 61 2-stroke.

Adjourn: The meeting adjourned at 8:15 pm.

The next meeting will be postponed one week to Thursday, February 13, 2020 at Jim Kelso's shop.

Schedule of Events for 2020

April 4&5	Big Kahuna, SAM Warbird Race	SAM
April 25	Carrier Event and BBQ	SSBF
May 16	Hickey Day Fun-fly	SSBF
June 4-7	NATS Warbird Races	SAM
June 13	Float Fun fly at Topaz Lake	SSBF
June 27	Carson City Airport Open House	
July 11	Deathride @Topaz Lake Rest Stop	SSBF
July 18	Open House & Learn to Fly	SSBF
July 25-26	Turn&Burn Warbird Race	SAM
Aug 15	Fun-Fly/Poker Run	SSBF
Sept 12	Hickey Day Fun Fly	Hickey Field
Sept 16-20	Reno Air Races	Sparks
Sept 26-27	Trash Man Classic Warbird Race	SAM
Oct 24	Family Day Fun fly	SSBF
Nov 7	Military Plane Fun fly	SSBF
Dec 3	Christmas Party @ CVCC	SSBF

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Dennis Lampson	Secretary	775 790-0406
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Dennis Lampson	Safety Officer	775 790-0406
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