



# The Transmitter

Suburban RC Barnstormers - P.O. Box 524, Bloomingdale, IL 60108

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## **Coming in December and January**

December 14<sup>th</sup>, Membership Meeting, Itasca Public Library, 7:00pm - Christmas Meeting

December 21<sup>st</sup>, Board Meeting, Itasca Public Library, 7:00pm

January 1<sup>st</sup>, Frozen Finger Fun Fly, Pratt Wayne's Woods, Photo at Noon

January 11<sup>th</sup>, Membership Meeting, Itasca Public Library, 7:00pm

January 25<sup>th</sup>, Board Meeting, Itasca Public Library, 7:00pm

## **Christmas Give Away and Celebration**

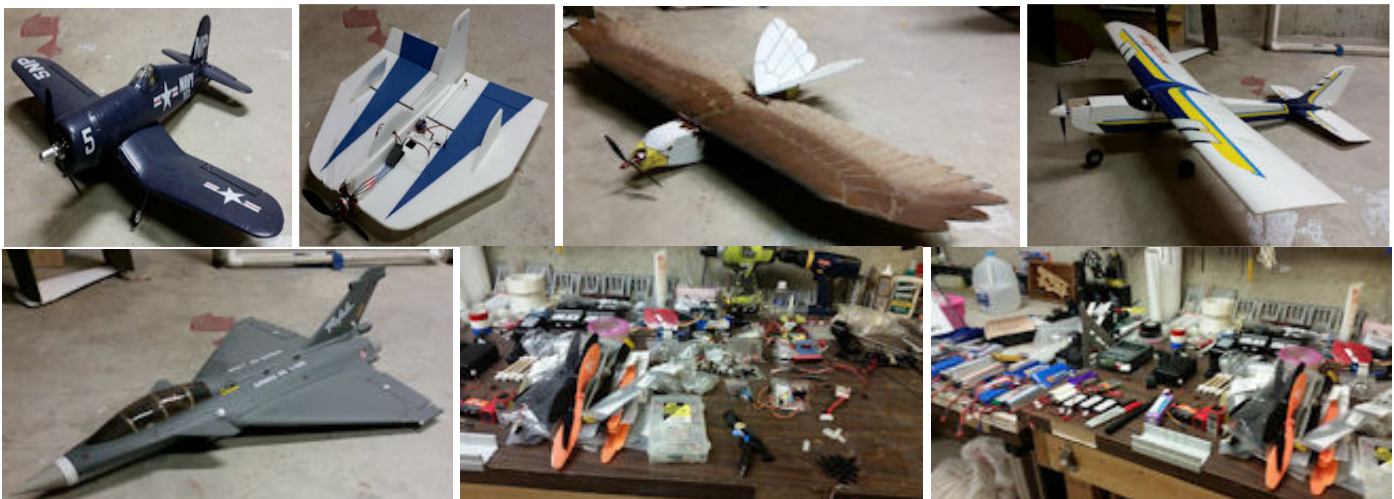
At our next meeting we will have our traditional Christmas Gift Give-away table for our members. But wait there's more! This meeting is also a great opportunity to share a little food and drink (non-alcoholic of course), so we are encouraging

members to optionally bring appetizers or treats to share with the group. The club will provide some sandwiches and other goodies, so there should be plenty to go around. Don't miss it!

## **Christmas Charity Raffle 2015**

Through the graces of Debbie and John Howe and a generous donation from a former member, Joe Oxendine, we will once again be having a Christmas Charity Raffle with the proceeds going to local families in need. Joe is moving out of the area and wanted to clear his space of his RC collection. Take a look at some of the possibilities and be ready to buy your tickets. Tickets are \$1

each and can be placed in the corresponding cups for one or more collections of items. There will be lot of winners in that raffle, because several members will go home with RC planes, kits, batteries, and parts, and many local families will benefit as well. Below are some of the items that will be available.



# Notes of the Suburban RC Barnstormers Membership Meeting

November 09, 2015

## ATTENDANCE

There were 24 members present at the Itasca Public Library meeting. The next meeting in January will be at the **Itasca Public Library, 500 W. Irving Pk Rd. Itasca, IL 60143**

## OFFICER REPORTS

**President: Hector Rivera** Hello to everyone on December 14<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm will be our Christmas party please, bring a plate.

**Vice President: Keith Egging** roll over prizes still the covering iron, heading gun. Door a windshield and some miscellaneous items.

**Treasurer: Bob Elsner** nothing at this time

**Secretary: Ofelia Rivera** nothing at this time

## COMMITTEES

**Fun Fly Director– Absent**

**Flight Instruction** – He was going to email Dave Suma @ the Forest Preserve about the snow but the we were being told that members may find the field closed because snow removal may not happen the day of a snow fall depending on the availability of cleaning resources.

**Swap Shop – Marty Schrader** discussed various aspects of the swap including the layout of the event in the main building. If you are able to place Swap Flyers at a store or event, please let Marty know to avoid duplication of effort. Thanks!

**Safety Officer-Tom Lyons** absent

**Dome Flying: Ofelia Rivera** Season Started is from November 6th through April 16, 2016 Fridays and Saturdays \$10.00 a night, \$150 for the season, \$125 in December and so on.

**New Business-** John Howe Christmas tree revenue will divide between Bloomingdale Library and the Itasca Library. Will help setting up for party.

**Bob Vance-** Mentioned for us to display one of the planes in the Itasca Library display case.

**Show and Tell** Jeff Mrachek showed us his new pilot figure (nice one).



## RAFFLES

**Turkey gift cards** were passed out for all the winners.

**Door Prizes and Rollover-** Rollover went to Dave west and door prizes multi winners

## On a side note...

I (Ofelia) have been very sick since this meeting and I know I did not get the turkey cards out to those who were not at the last meeting. I do apologize with all my heart but I will get them to you before Christmas. Thank you for your patience.

## Suburban RC Barnstormers 2016 Budget - Approved By Board 11/30/15

Category	2015 Actual	2015 Budget	2015 Variance	2016 Proposed	
<b>INCOME:</b>					
Membership	\$ 1,185.00	\$ 1,245.00	\$ (60.00)	\$ 990.00	
Swap Shop	\$ 4,442.70	\$ 4,200.00	\$ 242.70	\$ 4,300.00	
Misc. Income	\$ 24.94	\$ 35.00	\$ (10.06)	\$ 25.00	See Misc. note
<b>Total Income:</b>	<b>\$ 5,652.64</b>	<b>\$ 5,480.00</b>	<b>\$ 172.64</b>	<b>\$ 5,315.00</b>	
			\$ -		
<b>EXPENSE:</b>					
Misc. Copy Expense					
Swap Shop/Insurance	\$ 3,287.73	\$ 2,551.00	\$ 736.73	\$ 2,924.00	
Library Fees/Insurance	\$ 30.00	\$ 260.00	\$ (230.00)	\$ -	
Newsletter	\$ 215.72	\$ 540.00	\$ (324.28)	\$ 432.00	12 @ \$36/mo.
Meeting Door Prizes	\$ 11.85		\$ 11.85	\$ -	See meeting note
Raffles	\$ 204.00	\$ 1,029.00	\$ (825.00)	\$ 1,029.00	See raffle note
Static Prizes	\$ -		\$ -		
Fun-Fly Food/Supplies	\$ 248.04	\$ 325.00	\$ (76.96)	\$ 255.00	See fun-fly note
Field Permits/Fees/Insurance	\$ 375.00	\$ 375.00	\$ -	\$ 285.00	5 @ \$45+AMA
Safety	\$ -	\$ 30.00	\$ (30.00)	\$ 30.00	
Instruction	\$ -	\$ 10.00	\$ (10.00)	\$ 10.00	
AMA Charter Fee	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	\$ -	\$ 30.00	
Giant Scale Fun-Fly Food	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -		
Website Hosting/Domain Name	\$ -		\$ -	\$ 120.00	Paid Thru 2015
Misc. Expense	\$ 339.60	\$ 200.00	\$ 139.60	\$ 200.00	See Misc. note
<b>Total Expenses:</b>	<b>\$ 4,741.94</b>	<b>\$ 5,350.00</b>	<b>\$ (608.06)</b>	<b>\$ 5,315.00</b>	
			\$ -		
<b>Net Profit/Loss:</b>	<b>\$ 910.70</b>	<b>\$ 130.00</b>	<b>\$ 780.70</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	

**Est. Expenses Thru 12/31/15**

Newsletters July to December	\$ (216.00)
Christmas Raffle	\$ (700.00)
Christmas Party Food	\$ (89.00)

**Total Est. Expenses:** \$ (1,005.00)

**2015 Profit/Loss:** \$ (94.30)

<b>2015 Bank Balance 12/31/15:</b>	\$ 3,691.61
Less Est. Expenses:	\$ (1,005.00)
<b>Est. Carry Forward To 2016:</b>	<b>\$ 2,686.61</b>

**Meeting Door Prizes:**

11 meetings X \$0/meeting

**Raffles:**

\$204 Turkey Gift Cards +  
\$700 Christmas Party Raffle +  
\$125 Swap Shop Helper Raffle

**Fun-Fly Food/Supplies:**

5 Field Fun-Flys @ \$51

**Misc. Income:**

Hat/Shirt Sales, Donations, Name  
Badges, Rollover

**Misc. Expense:**

PO Box, Annual Rpt., Fax Fees



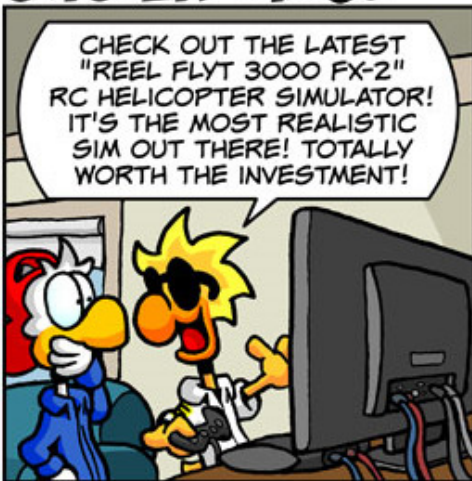
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