

Lake County Radio Control Club



# *Fly Paper*

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AMA CHARTER CLUB #777

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## Good Weather & Great Food for Bipe Day



**Many Thanks to Chuck Brzezicki  
for Great Eats!**

**Special Thanks to Jack Bernard  
for Ice Cold Drinks!**

## Meeting Minutes September, 2012

The Monthly meeting of the LCRCC was held in the Zion Public Library.  
Dick Hultz called the meeting to order at 7:18 with 15 members present.

### Secretary's Report:

The previous month's minutes were accepted as printed in the "*Flypaper*."

### Treasurer's Report:

The Treasurer's report was presented as printed.

### Field Officer's Report:

Jack Bernard reported that the field is in great shape but that he "trimmed" the safety barrier a bit short by mistake. He also wanted to thank Al Parshall and Herb Ehnert for their help with the mowing. Jay Imroth has also volunteered to help in the future.

Jack is always looking for help to do the trimming/mowing at the field. So, if you can help out, it would only require a minimal effort every 3-4 weeks. Contact Jack for details.

### Safety Report:

John Russell reported that everyone seems to be adhering to the flight boundaries as designated by the new signage.

Dick added that if anyone is at the field and sees someone violating the flight rules/barriers, they should point out the sign and inform them of the rules. This is to avoid any further conflicts with the neighbors and the Forrest Preserve.

### Events Director:

Bill Rago talked about how well the Picnic went, even though he could not attend. He also commented and thanked everyone who helped clean-up and provide the refreshments. Special thanks also went out to Jim & Joan Dubek for their *Always* fantastic food.

All is set for Bipe day...

### Old Business:

Dick started out by commenting on how great the Picnic was and the great turnout!! He again thanked John Russell, Jack Bernard, Greenfield Hobbies, and the Dubeks for all they did to help make it another success!! The Jet Pad issue was again discussed and as noted in the *FlyPaper*, there will be no pad built. Jet owners will be responsible for providing field protection individually.

### New Business:

On a sad note Dick reported that member Joe Podraza had passed away. His family is having a memorial service on Sat. Sept. 8 at 10 a.m. This will be @ Christian Training Center, c/o New Hope Church, 6127 Green Bay Rd., Kenosha.

In Lieu of flowers the family is requesting memorial contributions be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

There was a moment of silence from the standing club members in his memory.

The family is also requesting that they would like to have Joe's ashes spread over the flying field... After some discussion about how this was accomplished in the past, it was decided that a few of the members would get together and work out the details to present at the next meeting.

Joe's family will also be donating all of his flying gear to the club/members.

Dick thanked Ed Dodich for sharpening our mower blades.

For those not already aware, the Russell road bridge that spanned I-94 has been removed. It will be replaced, but (at last estimate) will be an 8-month project.

Also in the plans is to remove the North-bound ramp from Rt. 41. This means that to get to the field, the only way will be to come from the East on Russell Rd.

Kilbourn Road has a new stop light @ 173. So that will make coming from that direction a little easier.

There was a motion, second, and voice vote to spend up to \$200 for a new push mower. This is to replace the mower being used that is owned by Bill Lewis. (Yes, he wants it back...)

One of our former flyers, Paul Hugo, stopped by the field. He said to say *Hi* to the group.

We had one new member present...

Shane Boyett. Welcome to the club!!!

### Show and Tell

Jim Spice brought in his "2<sup>nd</sup> Place" trophy that he won flying in the IRCHA (International Radio Controlled Helicopter Assn.) Scale Contest this past month in Muncie, at the AMA site.

He also brought in a new battery checker he is selling that can read levels of charge on all types of batteries.

Anyone wanting to purchase this or other products in his line can contact him.

He is a dealer for <http://www.rcaccessory.com/>

On a motion, second, and voice vote, the meeting was adjourned at 8p.m.

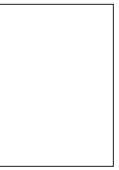
**Jim Spice**

**Recording Secretary**

**Treasurers Report For  
September 2012**  
(Represents August 2012 Activity)

Opening Checking Balance	\$ 1,057.66
Dues Deposited	-
August Picnic raffle net proceeds	303.00
50/50 Raffle - August Meeting	20.00
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>323.00</b>
John Russell - August Picnic raffle prizes #1474	(750.00)
Jack Bernard - August Picnic Soda/Ice/Gas #1475	(184.34)
Richard Hultz - No Fly West Field Sign #1476	(71.02)
Bill Rago - Picnic supplies #1477	(39.39)
Pats Services - porta potty - Direct Debit	(73.85)
<b>Total Disbursements</b>	<b>(1,118.60)</b>
Net Transer (to)/from Savings	1,500.00
<b>Ending Checking Balance</b>	<b>\$ 1,762.06</b>
Opening Savings Balance	\$ 6,019.52
Net Transer (to)/from Checking	(1,500.00)
Interest	0.25
<b>Ending Savings Balance</b>	<b>\$ 4,519.77</b>
<b>Total Checking and Savings Balance</b>	<b>\$ 6,281.83</b>





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**NEXT MEETING -  
OCTOBER 4TH, 2012 @  
7:15PM AT ZION-BENTON PUBLIC  
LIBRARY**

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### **2012 Event Schedule**

- **October 7 - Dusty Bird Day Hosts: Bill Rago & Cynthia**

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