



Hello

Fall is in the air! It has been a little Crazy for me I hope you all are enjoying some fall like flying.

I was unavailable for our fun fly but it sounds like the flying weather was great but not a big turnout. I did not do the best job of reminding or advertising it, I apologize. Thank you to Larry and Lee for getting lunch on and thank you for all that came out. I think we will try again for an October Fest weather depending towards the end of the month.

We have a pretty good group that has been out Flying on Saturday and Sunday mornings which I love to see everyone enjoying it. I hope we have a long fall to enjoy some flying.

See you at the meeting we can see what we need to do before snow gets here.

I also wanted to get some nominations for member of the year so keep that in mind.

Destry



What the C-99 might have looked like had it become an airliner!

Larry's Log

One of my most valuable tools for the field is my field box. I'm sure you have seen me at the field with this. The original field box was copied from a commercial unit offered about 40 years ago. This is my second box. It has a foldable airplane cradle and separate legs. The box has lots of space for small parts boxes, cleaners, starter, fuel pump and stuff. This works better for me than a cardboard box. This box is essential for fields without tables. It fits behind the car front seat. I have the rough plans for this if anybody is interested in building one.



In reviewing my "hanger", I need a winter building project. If anyone has a traditional balsa kit for sale, please let me know.

We're starting to accumulate quite a few airplanes and other stuff in the club house. Check out the collection. Please take and make a donation to the club for any of this stuff. Also, the lending library is there as well.

Keep on flyin,

Larry

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Leo Somerfeld Memorial Fly-In

Ladies and Gents, you are cordially invited to attend "Leo's Memorial Fly-In" in Power, MT on October 7th! As Dan Woods said flying starts at 8:00 a.m., but feel free to arrive earlier to fly or "kick back" with a cup of coffee and help solve the worlds problems!

There are no neighbors close by to disturb with flying activities! The flying site is off the beaten path and is fairly primitive with a few "cable reel" flying tables available, but they are small so if you are flying a bigger plane you might want to bring a folding table.

And, don't forget chairs! I will bring fire wood if needed, if wind conditions permit, additionally, bring a warm coat if needed! As stated the site is primitive with no bathroom facilities, so if ladies are attending I can throw in a "ground tent" for their use!

Looking forward to flying with you!

John Sandy
Big Sky R/C Modelers

Directions:

Drive north on I-15 north from Great Falls, 22 miles to the Power, MT. exit. For those driving from Missoula, at Vaughn, MT. drive north on I-15, 12 miles to the Power exit! Turn right at exit, road will turn to gravel, drive 2.8 miles east to 18th Ln. NE, turn left on 18th Ln. NE, drive 7/10 of a mile to north, turn right on track to flying site. Look for cars and trucks at site! You have arrived!