President's Corner July 2020

The year of our Lord, 2020 has been the most unusual as any has been in a long time. It has caused many of us to isolate ourselves from even our closest friends while others have lived as normally as possible while adjusting our habits to protect ourselves and the people we are nearest. Each of us, being aware of our own health and our loved ones must decide the level of risk is right for us. Although the field is open to use, I believe it would be unwise to have events, such as the Family Picnic and the Giant Scale Fly-in. Events such as these have the potential to draw much larger crowds than normal weekend days of flying. There is also additional risk from pilots coming in from out of town. Therefore, after discussion with Nick Carrozza and the Executive Committee, it has been decided that the Giant Scale and Family Picnic are canceled this year.

FAA Registration Renewal

Many of us recently received an email from the FAA informing us that it is time to renew our Recreational Flyer Registration. Please comply with this requirement as soon as possible so that you don't forget. The site is faatronezone.faa.gov

Anyone who has keys to the building and mowers that no longer plans to cut grass, please return the keys to Rick Altomari or myself.

It is your responsibility to be aware of the boundaries of our flying site and stay within them. Our club has an excellent safety record, lets keep that intact forever.

Weather permitting, there will be a brief meeting this Friday, July 3rd, at the field at 7pm. In the event of a storm, the meeting will be canceled. I do not anticipate any spending other than field maintenance. I hope to see you all there, but I understand for obvious reasons that attendance will be limited.

I am looking forward to returning to the "Old Normal" soon, Mike Eiben