

**MON VALLEY R/C CLUB**

**CEDAR CREEK PARK**

**NEWSLETTER**

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## *President's Corner*

To All

Direction

In what direction do you want to go?

Do you want the club to stay the same or

Do you want the club to grow and move forward.

Do you want no activities at the field at all or

Do you want to see more activities like Fun Flys, Glider tows, Heli Flys

Meetings

How do you see the club meetings going?

Do you want the same old boring meeting or

Do you want a speaker every month

Attendance has picked at the meetings

Every club has it's problems but causing chaos at the meetings is not the way to solve anything.

No wonder why people don't want to be club officers.

Yes I have made mistakes and you the members have let me know that.

But this last meeting has done it for me.

I will resign my role as the President of Mon Valley Radio Control Club as of 29 February 2012

The only thing I did was try

Tim Stanish

## Treasurer's Report

We have a sound treasury

## Secretary's Report

**Please make an effort to attend March's meeting we are calling for people that would be interested in filling the Vice President position until elections in November**

So, as a result of this morning's EC meeting, my notes show we agreed on 3 items to submit at next Friday's club meeting:

1) The EC recommends that in the spirit of openness for the good of the club, the "Executive Committee" Board of the website forums should be opened for all club members. Although this board is primarily for discussion of EC issues, as a public forum it should be open for all club members to view and to post their opinions and input.

2) The EC recommends the following addition to Article VII, Club Meetings, of the club bylaws:

III. **Parliamentary Authority** - The rules contained in the current edition of Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised shall govern the Club in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with these bylaws and any special rules of order the Club may adopt.

3) The EC recommends the following revision in totality to Article III, Club Officers and Executives, section I, item 5 (Executive Committee), of the club bylaws:

**Executive Committee** – A six (6) member Executive Committee (EC) shall preside over club operations in accordance with its own bylaws or code of conduct. Each member will serve a two (2) year term with three (3) members elected on alternate years; three (3) one year and the other three (3) the succeeding year. EC candidates must be club members a minimum of two (2) years in good standing. The purpose and function of the EC is:

- a) To meet monthly and work closely with the officers to act as a steering committee in making recommendations on club matters for the good and welfare of the organization,
- b) To verify the regularly-updated club membership roster and ensure availability of same to all club members, and
- c) To serve as a mediation and jurisdiction body on issues such as disputes, transgressions of club bylaws, and membership status.

Just a Friendly Reminder Hats will be given out to those who qualify starting at March's meeting.

Remember to qualify to receive the free hat you must attend 3 meetings as a paid member, at the third meeting you will be given your hat.

Please see me Jason Smereczniak as you come into the meeting so that I can make sure that you receive credit for attendance, and give you your hat if you have qualified.

George Wilson will be presenting on LED lights at this month's meeting

The Website is up please check it out also please register for the forum once registered please email me so I can activate you. Make sure to read the forum rules. Any Articles pictures or guides that you would like to see on the website please email me at [smereczj@comcast.net](mailto:smereczj@comcast.net)

We are going to participate in the March for Parks this year to participate in the AMA rewards program. It is a march to raise money for Westmoreland county parks we will be participating as a team we need at least 3 members for a team so far the team consists of

> Jason Smereczniak  
> Al Kozusko

We are asking for more members to join the team anyone interested please contact me for details and I will get the information and forms you need to you

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The Central Penn Aeromodelers Association is pleased to announce its 32nd Annual Radio Control Flea Market. It will be held a gain at the Lebanon Fairgrounds in Lebanon, Pa on Saturday, March 10th, 2012. A flyer is enclosed which provides all the vital information you and your members will need. We ask you to pass this information about the flea market along to your members so they can plan for and enjoy this truly unique event. With over 600 tables this event has grown to one of the largest in the country with a huge selection of new and used R/C aircraft and accessories. R/C enthusiasts from around the country tell us it is an event they look forward to every year. We have also found it attracts newcomers to the hobby, and further inspires them to join a club. All of us will benefit (CPAA, Clubs and our Hobby) by getting this information out to as many people as possible. This event will expose attendees to the wonders of R/C and hopefully grow our hobby. We hope to continue this popular event for all to enjoy in the years ahead.

For more information see [www.cpa.us](http://www.cpa.us).

Remember we are now selling Advanced General Admission tickets (8:30 a.m.). See the website for more information and ticket order forms.

We hope to see you at the flea market on March 10th, 2012.

Thank you,

The Central Penn Aero modelers Association

# *Schedule of Events, Activities*

## March 2012

**Mar 2<sup>nd</sup> – Meeting at Rostraver municipal building at 7:30 P.M.**

**Mar 10<sup>th</sup> -- 32nd Annual Radio Control Flea Market Lebanon**

**Mar 31<sup>st</sup> – March For Parks at Twin Lakes Park**

## April

**Apr 6<sup>th</sup> – Meeting at Rostraver municipal building at 7:30 P.M.**

**Apr 22<sup>nd</sup> -- Members Fun Fly at R/C field**

**Apr 28<sup>th</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> – Tripoli Pittsburgh Launch located in Brownsville pa  
Directions can be found here <http://tripoli-pgh.org/>**

## May

**May 4<sup>th</sup> -- Meeting at Rostraver municipal building at 7:30 P.M.**

**May 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> ? Annual Work part at the fling field, working here will count as attendance  
towards your hat**



**Dave Holding Aerotowing Tug**



**Dave Discussing Aerotowin**



**Nick Showing Off his New Sail Plane**



**Jeff Showing off his new Hurricane Jet**

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