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- The Plane Facts -
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NEXT CLUB MEETING

Will be on Friday, Sept 1st, 8:00 p.m., at our flying field located at 3050 Avon Lake Rd - Litchfield, OH. The **American Airlines Gas Model Club** meets here on the 1st Friday of each month during the summer. The **AAGMC** welcomes visitors at all regular meetings.

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Hi there, once again. Yes - You read correctly: Please note that this month's meeting **will** be at the field; but this will mark the end of the season for our outdoor meetings.

The electric contest season winds down: **Sept. 10th at 10:00am, and again on the 24th, also - 10:00am.** These in fact will be the final contests for 2K... There is some talk of opening up the electric M/G contests to other models besides the Spectra; perhaps even Open, SP400, and so on.. Depending of course on **Club** member interest.. Let Phil know if you have some thoughts.

Also, if you recall, last time I made mention of Mike's Razor doing what it does best - FLY. Well, it isn't Mike's. It belongs to Lenny! Apologies, Lenny. Senior moment, as the saying goes? Nonetheless, it sure is a neat bird...

- ELECTIONS - 2001 -

A heads-up for all AAGMC'rs: September will mark the time to begin thinking about elections for 2001 (sounds funny to say 2001!); Indeed, at this month's meeting, plans will begin to get a

nominating committee formed, perhaps seek folks for officer nomination... If you don't do **Club participation**, then you might want to avoid the meeting for this month altogether! :=] Seriously, *please* do give this matter some careful consideration. The stewardship is the most important aspect of any organization... Ours included. It would be refreshing to see the **AAGMC** get its share of respect.

HAVE YOU SEEN?

The word regarding the annual Mentor Meet is there is *no* word! There seems to be some thought that the Mentor side doesn't have a field - and it's getting late. So my guess is that the affair will have to wait 'til 2001... (Wow - That **IS** in the next century!)

Seen at the recent *Work Party* in preparation for the August Pig Roast was: Lenny Jaworski, Roger Maher, Mike Gantner, Ray Wilson, Jim Knodel, Henry, Marv and Don, Bob and Sheila Ann, along with two of their young'uns - Joy and Henry. Thanks folks for your effort. The field DOES look spiffy.

Finally, check out the new project on page 2. Makes me wish I had that kind of time! As this develops, I'll try to get updates in here. Electric modeling is making some fascinating inroads. Yes - this *is* electric ducted fan in a modified Harrier-like configuration! Ran across this at Ken Meyers' electric modeling site...

Before we leave here, a couple thoughts: Don't know how the Pig Roast turned out (it hasn't happened yet!), but I'm hoping that our members chose to come out and make a nice day of it... That would be really neat. And don't forget to give some thought to this year's election process. It's far too easy to let somebody else keep doing it! Okay, okay - I'm done.

Hey - I'm reachable *via email* at <yylarry@en.com> I've been told to get this in here! Comin' in, these 25-minute flights are getting me down!... **8^}**