

- The Plane Facts -

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NEXT CLUB MEETING

Will be on Friday, Oct. 6th, 8:00 p.m., in the
North Community Room of the Busch Funer.

Home at 7501 Ridge Rd, Parma, OH.

The **American Airlines Gas Model Club**
meets here on the 1st Friday of each month
during the winter. The **AAGMC** welcomes
visitors at all regular meetings.

Y2K AAGMC OFFICERS

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Y2K MEMBERSHIP DUES

Open Members	\$50.00/yr.
Senior (17-18)	8.00
Junior (<17)	5.00

Initiation Fee \$25.00 (New Members)

Please note the return to Busch's funeral home this month as the 2000 election process returns for our collective attention...

There are a few items for your consideration this time - not the least of which two are **Club** importance; others are simply modeling related. As this Y2000 flying season draws to a close, this writer hopes that the majority of you all got some serious flying in... Think about it: 2000 *IS* the end of the twentieth century. If you procrastinate much longer, you'll be flying in the 21st century... Whew.

- YOUR THOUGHTS? -

Another issue having nothing to do with elections, office candidates, etc., will be a topic of discussion at this month's meeting - and that is the matter of refurbishing the *tractor* out at the field! Unh - huh... The old vet needs work... Before what's-his-name sez, 'what's that have to do with airplanes', permit moi: I've been advised that member turnout at this year's Pig Roast was rather low; And that member turnout at the July Buzzard Fly-In was equally disappointing! The problem is, these activities are intended to help

supplement the dues income so that silly things like getting the tractor repaired is no biggie. OK.. You get the point.. Without be-laboring the point, dig into your stack of ***Model Aviation*** back issues (July 2000) and read Dave Brown's memo on page 5 for some sound reasoning on this subject. One needn't be a mathematician to understand Mr. Brown's plans, nor why I'm bringing this up. Do give this some thought...

Meanwhile - back at elections, the subject **WILL** come up at this month's meeting. A nominating committee should be formed - volunteers... All four officers positions need nominees, as well as the newsletter editor (need new blood in here!)... Please - give this some thought!

HAVE YOU SEEN?

One never knows where these gems will turn up! This little warning was gleaned from a micro-flite mail list I am being bombarded with... An excerpt from Stuart McKenzie. Do check this out:

Stuart McKenzie <s__mck@hotmail.com>
"Rubbing alcohol is OK to clean up epoxy on your workbench, model, etc. but **DO NOT USE IT TO CLEAN EPOXY OFF YOUR SKIN!**
Alcohol dissolves "the toxic stuff" in epoxy, and allows our skin to absorb that "toxic stuff". So do not use it to clean human parts, only model parts.
Stuart"

OK.. Here's where you can point your Web browser to follow the electric X-32B **JSF** project: <<http://www.awatson1.fsnet.co.uk/>>
...And if you're in need of some Extra 300 scale detailing - look at Patty Wagstaff's page: <<http://www.pattywagstaff.com>> Great lady - great Web page!!

Okay, okay - I'm done. **Hey!** to Shirley & the Field Marshall Holmok.. Hope to see yuz sometime soon... **Elections**... Did I mention it? Gotta land quick! My fingers are cold... **b^}**

Time for our AAGMC Club elections - 2001!...