

November 2, 2018

AMA Chartered Club # 4095

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4011 Baker Rd, East New Market, MD

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Dear Member,

We are at the traditional 'end of year' stage when flying weather pops up now and then, but isn't something you can plan on with any certainty. Our final club events are done and we are beginning to dismantle our wood structures in anticipation of the move to Baker Rd. No matter what you see when you arrive at the Shiloh Camp Road field- you may still fly. All safety rules still apply, but one day, you might find the spectator fence gone, and the next might be no flight line fencing. Our grass at the new field has sprouted but will take some time to get good. The newly planted grass isn't doing enough yet to reliably support car traffic- so by all means, go have a look- but you enter at your own risk. Members are starting to tell me their FAA UAS Pilot Certificates are coming up for renewal. If you registered immediately when it was announced, you are in the group that is due to expire. Mine was issued 1/11/2016 but when I went to renew, the term had been extended to 12/12/2020. The only thing I can guess is that the requirement was invalidated by the courts for a while, and my term must have been extended by that period of time, or since they didn't return my \$5 fee- I might have already paid. Anyway, do log in and check. You can print a card from the site and mine now says it is good until the end of 2020. Here is the link: FAA UAS

Our new landlord, David Wilson joined me in applying for the needed permits. Our building permits have been issued, our new grass was planted during the peak grass planting season, and David is working on stabilizing our entrance. If you see him, do take a minute to thank him for his timely help. Many of the 'work projects' are piddling tasks that can be done by one or two people and it takes more effort to coordinate a work group then it does to just go do something. But we promise that there will be work in the future that more members can help with. Stay tuned.

Officer nominations were received and closed at the last meeting. Only one change- Jim Cockran, Treasurer is handing the job over to Jack Rosemere after doing a great job for the past several years. Thanks Jim and thank you Jack for stepping up. The official club vote will happen at the Nov 14 meeting, but since there are no contested positions- your 2019 Officers are already known:

George Fox - Safety Officer Jack Rosemere - Treasuer Duane Lundahl - V President Jack Upchurch - President

Club dues remain the same - \$125 unless \$100 is paid by Jan 31. A renewal membership form is <u>linked here</u>. Please print one out, fill it out and get your

money and renewal form to our new Treasurer.

Jack

Some images from the Jet Rally for those who didn't make it:



















A Meeting was called to order on . . .

October 10, 2018 at the Field at 7pm with 11 members present. The Treasurer reported \$1,850.02 in checking and \$5,835.60 in savings. Year end rent and half a year of port-o-pot bills are coming due.

New field update was shared with the group. Permits have been applied for and indications are that only the shed and center pavilion will need permits. Grass has been seeded and we will be starting to dismantle and move as time and weather permit.

Officer nominations were solicited from the group. There being not a sound heard from the group, the current slate of officers was nominated with Jack Rosemere nominated to fill the Treasurer position being vacated by Jim Cockran. The nominations were approved by the group and nominations were closed. The vote will happen at the November meeting as specified in the club Bylaws.

The upcoming Jet rally plans were reviewed. Field will be open at 8am and rain is predicted. It was suggested that we invite our AMA vice president to the

Spring Jet Rally.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:32pm.

The Official 2018 Club Calendar- Check the website for more up to the minute schedule changes.

• October 13 - Invitational Jet Rally - 9am until ?

- November 14 Club meeting at the Train Station 7pm
 - December 12 Christmas
 Party Meeting 7pm at the
 Train Station potluck

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<u>Links</u>

AMA Website

AMA - District IV

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FAA- Pilot

Renewal Membership Form

Jack Upchurch -- President 410-310-2007

Duane Lundahl -- V. President 301-717-5727

<u>George Fox</u> -- Safety Officer 410-310-9245

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