



Pitts SPECIAL



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*The Official Newsletter of
Metrolina Control Line Society (MCLS)*

We Fly Control Line!

*And Have been Doing It Since
September, 1981*

AMA Chartered Club #1811

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MCLS is also in association with:

**Mecklenburg County Parks & Recreation Dept. through the
Waymer Aeromodelers Chapter of Academy of Model Aeronautics (WACAMA)
MCLS Representatives to WACAMA are Max Flowe and David Smith**

**The next MCLS club meeting is
This Saturday, June 22 at
Waymer Field, 15401 Holbrooks Road
Huntersville, NC**

GPS: [35.401170, - 80.814600](#)

**This edition of the Pitts Special is an abbreviated edition.
The Pitts will return in July in full form, but for now,
Here is, in a nutshell, what's been going on.**

Our MCLS website has some of the latest events including the President's Pen and coverage of the Huntersville scores with pictures. So lets visit there first:

WWW.MCLS.WACAMA.COM

Thanks Will Davis for webmastering this site and keeping the content updated.

Keep in mind Will has been involved in all three contests in May and June with no break in between... all while recovering from a Beatdown illness that he had to fight tooth and claw to overcome in order to bring the fun to Us. Thank you Will. And thanks Mark Weiss for working equally hard at Brodak and Joe Nall, as well as at the upcoming Nats in July.

Next is Will's video coverage of some sights and sounds from Joe Nall and the Triple Tree contest. Click the following pictures to watch the videos.

All of the videos shown above can be seen on Will Davis' YouTube channel

Thanks again, Will

Joe Nall Sights & Sounds



Dave Fitzgerald Flight



The Rusty Flying Chair



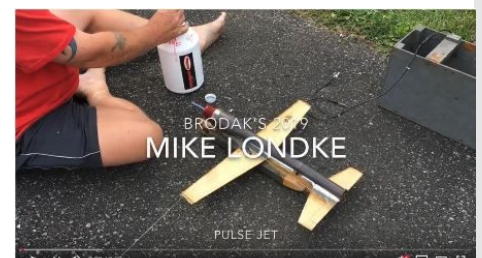
Max Flowe Pattern Flight



Dave Slagle



Mike Londke Pulse Jet



And maybe the most fun of all, a 1/2A Stunt contest flown in a 20 MPH wind!



Stay tuned for next year's Fly-in, and hopefully after that, a 25th anniversary Brodak celebration.

The Editor's Sandbox

I apologize, but I've run out of time for fancy pictures for the videos. However, all the same, Here is Video coverage of the Brodak Fly-In by Robert Storick(a.k.a. Sparky). Click the links and enjoy.

John Brodak on the future of the meet

<https://youtu.be/nRX5q8eK41q>

Tom Dixon on 0% Nitro Fuel

<https://youtu.be/zirWTkokqDc>

Tom Dixon on Wind Flying

<https://youtu.be/C0qhdTwk7ns>

JunkYard Wars

<https://youtu.be/NKONF3Uh2qM>

Brodak Memorial

<https://youtu.be/tE1nWRm9758>

Rusty hosts the Brodak wrap-up on Stunthangar Hangouts show

<https://youtu.be/bNHjsKPtAyM>

Okay folks, thanks for reading, and I'll be back in July with another issue. Till then, Have fun and fly safe.
Rusty Knowlton.

2019 MCLS Calendar

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MCLS 2019 CLUB CALENDAR

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Metrolina Control Line Society

AMA Club # 1811

2019 Membership Application

Membership Status

Name

AMA #

Birthday (M D ?)

Mo Day (Year - optional if you want it known)

Spouse / or?

Address

City

State

Zip

Home Phone

Cell Phone

email

General Interests / Comment

Control Line
Flying nterest

☐ Stunt (St)

☐ Combat (Cb)

☐ Speed (Sp)

☐ Sport (Sr)

☐ Carrier (Cr)

☐ Scale (Sc)

☐ Racing (Ra)

Membership
Dues

☐ \$0 JR/SR AMA Member or ASSOCIATE non flying member

☐ \$20 INDIVIDUAL or non flying member wanting to support the club

☐ \$25 FAMILY- Only if all members are flyers. Need seperate applications for all family members.

☐ \$0 NEWSLETTER ONLY- MCLS Membership not required but we would like your personal information for our mailing list. AMA card not required

Make Checks or Money Order Payable to:
Metrolina Control Line Society
Send to

Don Jenkins
4042 River Oaks Road
Lake Wylie SC 29710

Phone: 803-831-1753
email: D.I.jenkins33@gmail.com

Please record the date on your current
AMA or MAAC (Canada)
MEMBERSHIP CARD

Month - Year
Ex: 01-2018

**You must be an 2017 AMA member
to fly with us at Waymer field**

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PAMPA - <http://www.pampacl.org/>

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AMA - Academy of Model Aeronautics - <https://www.modelaircraft.org>

Stuka Stunt Works - www.cstunt.com/htdocs/dc/dcboard.php

Brotherhood of the Ring - <http://brotherhoodofthering.info/>

Airfield Models - <http://www.airfieldmodels.com/>

One of the best sources of modeling and building explanations and illustrations on the web

Brodak - www.brodak.com

Complete Control Line hobby shop and manufacturer of supplies and kits

Sig Manufacturing - sigmfg.com

Tulsa Glue Daubers Website - www.tulsacl.com/

Flying Lines Website - <http://flyinglines.org/>

Great site out of the Northwest. Lots of columns on all aspects of CL modeling.

VENDORS' CORNER

The following are club members and frequent contest attendees who provide parts, tools and supplies.

Norine Armish - Phone: 717-805-4457. Email: karmish@ptd.net

We are a small, neighborhood shop in Selinsgrove, PA. I do artwork on wood, tin and slate, and I have two associates who do stained glass and crochet.

Website: <https://www.facebook.com/ArmishsCountryStar>

Phil Cartier - Phone: 717-566-3810. Email: philcartier@earthlink.net

Combat & Stunt kits, Cores & misc. combat & Stunt CL items.

Tom Dixon - Phone: 770-592-3279. Email: bdixon@mindspring.com. (Does not use email-Call)

Plans and accessories for the stunt flyer. Double Starr engine importer. Stunt eng. mods.

Website: <http://tomdixon.tripod.com/tomdixon.htm>

Bob Krug - Phone: 923-696-1291. Email: rlkrupa@sbcglobal.net

Supplies Powermaster fuel and other miscellaneous items for sale at contests. Does not ship fuel. Contact him for contests he will attend.

Jim Lee - Phone: 785-266-7714. Email: jlee9@cox.net

Expertly machined parts and tools for model building.

Website: www.leemachineshop.com

Brian Malin - Phone: 321-537-1159. Email: brian@bmjrmodels.com

Laser cut FF, CL & RC kits.

Website: www.bmjrmodels.com

Bill Mandakis - Phone: 336-499-1192. Email: mandakis@bjm-home.com

Brodak distributor

Website: <http://www.bjm-home.com/modelshop/openingselectionwindow.html>

Randy Smith - Phone: 687-407-9376. Email: Randy@aero@msn.com

Full service stunt items, Engine tuners, Plans, Props. Engines, etc...

Website: <http://www.aeroproduct.net>

Tom Morris - Phone: 256-820-1983. Email: ctmorris@cableone.net

Extensive line of built models. Electric supplier.

Tom's supplies are available through <http://stunthanger.com/hobby>

Watt Moore (Brodak distributor) - Phone: 803-789-9430, 803-517-1153 Email: medplans@truvista.net.

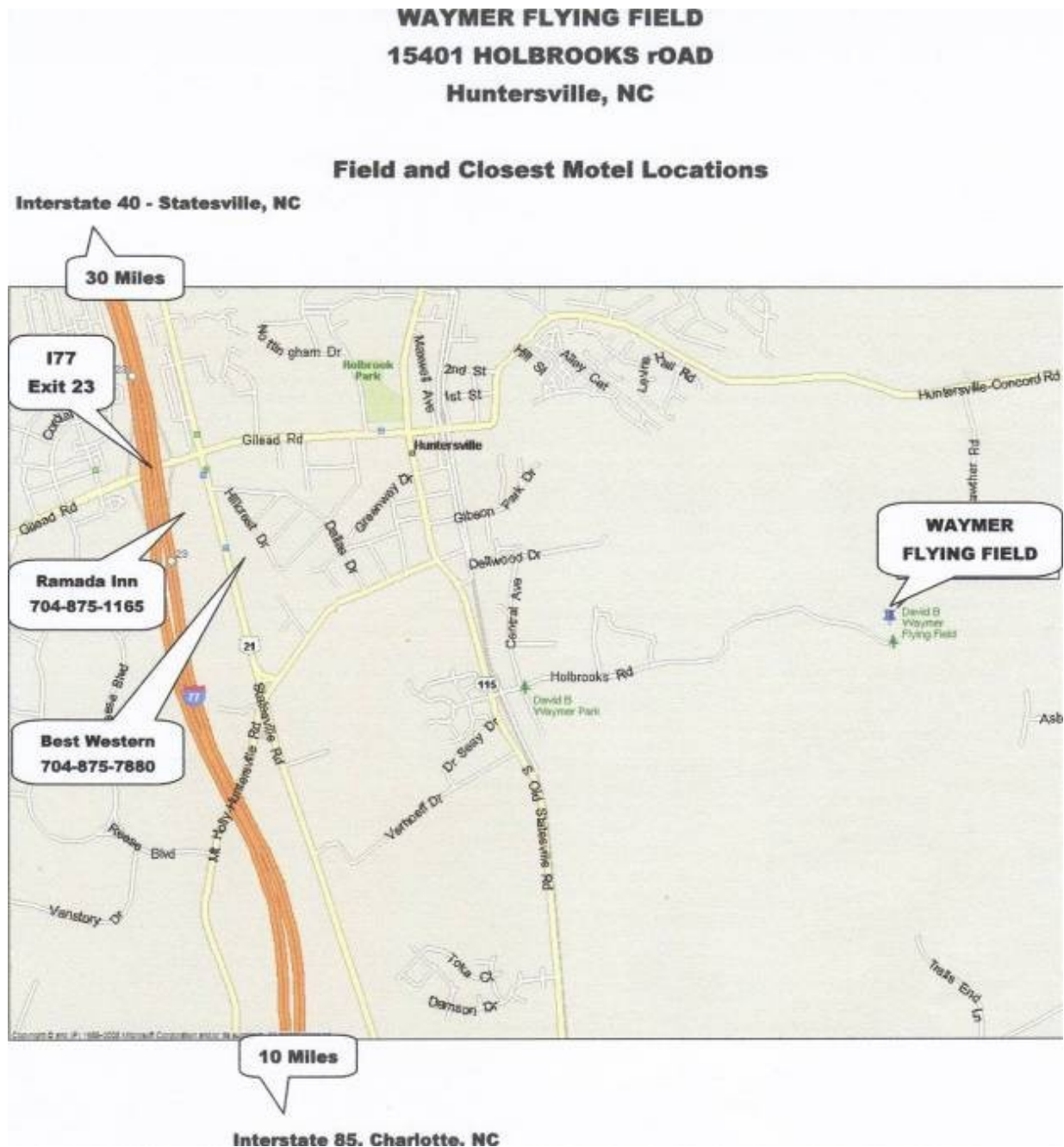
He can order anything from the Brodak catalog or may have it in his shop.

John Saunders (Brodak distributor) - Phone: 856-697-0656. Email: Stiletto46@comcast.net.

Look for John at contests with all sorts of CL supplies. Brodak Dealer.

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**And that's a Wrap for June, 2019
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**These guys must've had
Too Much Fun at Triple Tree
Lol!**



***See you in July...
With a full Newsletter!***