

## AMA Charter #1445



### **Note: Club Tips**

- Last one to leave, please lock the gate.
- Safety at the air-field is the responsibility of all members.
- Use a restraining device for your plane on the flight line
- Do not fly over the flight line
- Watch for others landing and taking off

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## **Meeting Minutes from May 4th, 2005**

- NJ Pine Barons R/C Club, Location: Airport Hobbies, Website: [www.njpinebarons.com](http://www.njpinebarons.com)
- Meeting ran by: Harry Minnier
- Members Attending: 28
- Meeting called to order: 7:35pm – adjourned: 8:25pm
- Treasurer Report: Jerome Gayster reported after deducting expenses and adding income from membership dues for April, our checkbook balance is \$6,707. Two notable expenses were our New Membership Package expenses and Field Lease.
- Membership Count: To date we have 174 members enrolled for 2005. Please remember that if you have not paid your dues as of Feb 1st, 2005 you are not counted as a NJPB club member.....
- Sun Club News: No new news
- Field Marshal Report: Please do not leave trash; (coffee cups, soda cans, etc) on the field grounds. If you see some trash please pick it up. Grass has been cut and canopies put up for shade. Tom Perkins put up a new windsock.
- Flight Safety Officer: Have fun, use common sense and be safe.
- New Club membership packages are available at the Airport Hobbies Store.
- 50/50 winner was Mr. Lucky Allen Stern - \$43.00
- Discussions are ongoing about the Spring Fun Fly
- Donation to a Cancer Fund: A donation of \$100 to the Relay of Life .... American Cancer Society. Unanimously approved.
- South Jersey Fun Fly: Harry indicated the South Jersey Silent Flyers will have the last indoor fun fly at the church on the third Wed in May.
- FBI Letter: We received a letter from the FBI asking us to report any unusual activity in our hobby by any member who could be a potential terrorist.
- **NJPB Spring Cleanup— Details inside**

## 2005 NJPB Officials

Pres:	Harry Minnier	609-268-9373
VP:	Luke Kociuba	856-235-5261
	Steve Dodds	609-238-6499
	Tom Perkins	856-235-3487
Tres & Mem:	Jerry Gayster	856-778-0104
Sec:	Tony Gallo	609-654-9378
Fld Mar:	All Members	
Flight Safety:	Glen Grulke	609-352-0022 — alternate Steven Dodds
Sun Club:	Al Gatto	215-579-8619
Editor:	Glen Grulke	609-352-0022



*Spring cleanup is here*

*We're looking for a  
great turn-out.*

## Newsletter News

If you would like to **submit** any comments, flying tricks or tips, for sale item, fun fly data, special event or any other data please email me @[tacomadm18@comcast.net](mailto:tacomadm18@comcast.net) with the subject of NJPB info. If you do not have email you can send it through the mail, my address is: Glen Grulke, 126 Preamble Dr Marlton, NJ 08053

## Special Thanks

Thanks to; Airport Hobbies for hosting the meeting

Thanks to; Tony for picking up the donuts

Thanks to; Tom Perkins for getting us a new wind sock



## The Presidents Corner (Harry)

Our first SPRING FUN FLY & PICNIC is scheduled for June 4<sup>th</sup> there will be plenty to eat and prizes. If you would like to help with organizing this event call me, or talk to me at the field. Phone 609-268-9373 or Email [hminnier@bellatlantic.net](mailto:hminnier@bellatlantic.net). Some of the events planned are spot landing, balloon busting and combat (ribbon cutting). Let me know if you have a special event that you would also like to include. There will be door prizes and if we can get some donations, a raffle. Lunch (about 1:00 PM) will consist of hot dogs, soda and snacks.

It's time for our *cleanup and fix-up day* scheduled for May 21<sup>st</sup>. Bring your iron rakes and shovels as we hope to have new stone to spread. Scheduled time to start is 9:00 AM hope to have some wake up coffee for you when you arrive.

Now that there is more daylight for evening flying the special interest group flying has been started for Combat on Tuesday evening and Electrics on Wednesday evening. Come on out and fly or just watch the show. Some time has been reserved for *other* flying as well; so all will be have some time to fly.


Harry

**Time: May 21st 09:00am**

### **Field Marshal:**

- Has called upon members to meet at the field for our Annual Spring Cleanup. The club understands not everyone can show, but the more that do, the easier it will be on those of us that show.

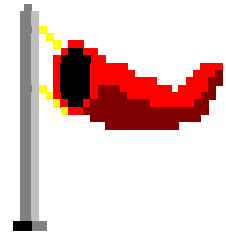
Remember, it's everyone's club. **Rain or Shine**

- Please bring a rake, \_\_\_\_\_ shovel if you have one  or a wheel



barrow as we have stone to move around. (Weed Whacker)

- Some of the tasks include fixing up the fence, re-edging the stone areas, strengthening some of the field tables, cleaning up inside of the van, ensuring the three shelters are secure, cleaning the front entrance area, etc...
- If you can think of anything to bring please do so: example new direction arrows on flying gates or paint to repaint them, lawn trash bags, battery power tools, wood, screws, etc.....



Let's keep the  
Show and Tell  
going. Please bring  
in your project.

### Sky Port by JL Power Products

I don't know about you, but I have collected a lot of models over the years, Storage is always a huge concern. I have used various methods of hanging planes and wings, some work ok, and others not so ok. Because of the space constraints of my garage, I have to keep most of my models up high. I have been looking for a storage solution that would allow me to keep a couple of the models that I fly the most lower or on the floor.

I came across the new Sky Port from J&L Power Products. What a great idea. It allows me to store the fuselage and wing right on one convenient freestanding rack. I like this idea as I can easily move it around the garage when I need to. I am so happy with how this product works that I am going to order another one so I can showcase a plane in my office.



The J&L Power Products Sky Port is constructed of strong 16 gauge steel with a durable powder coated finish. The Sky Port is more than capable of holding airplanes from 1/5 to 40% scale without the risk of damage from being stored improperly. Out of the box, the only assembly is to install the upper half into the lower half and fasten with one bolt. A unique feature of the Sky Port is the spinner ring. For models that do not have a spinner, they have included an adapter ring that will allow the fuselage to rest on the engine center bolt. For models with a spinner, simply do not use the adapter and the model rests on the outer ring. The wing is held to the back of the fuselage using the included strap. The strap can be adjusted for just about any wing size. Review by: Erick Royer

**Tuesday Night Fun Fly's are just around the corner** **NJ Pine Barons Tuesday Night Fun Fly** 

When: Starting Tuesdays in May- June running through the summer

Time: 6:00pm - Dark

Why: The purpose is just to have some fun and change it up for a night.

Other: We started this in 2004 and had a lot of fun with it.

**Our Goal: to have fun.....**

Some of the flying schemes we are looking at include:

Spot Landings:

Use a 15 x 30 box divided into three sections. We will use landscapers paint.

Bomb Drop:

Use the spot landings box as the target. We will engineer a Dixie Cup to the front area of the aircraft with a golf ball or similar object (beans) and let the games begin.

Combat: (a big hit)

Flying wings and or .46 planes pulling streamers

Other:

As requested by club members.....

Please contact John Russ or Glen Grulke with questions.....