

The Sunbeam

President's Column

by Craig Krueger

Please plan to attend November's club meeting as the Board has approved changing the By-Laws concerning "late in year" payment of dues for new members. Currently, dues payment gets prorated for the rest of the year. New proposal would let the payment finish out the current year and cover the next year. This would be for payment received after September 15. Club membership needs to vote on this proposal to approve/disapprove.

Another reason to attend the meeting, nominations for next year's Board will be received for the upcoming election at December's meeting.

This year's Christmas party (also regular club meeting night) will be held at The Mongolian Buffet December 9. We will have the party **start at 6:00 p.m**. followed by the meeting to elect next year's Board, then gift exchange if you so wish to participate in. Check elsewhere in the newsletter for more details.

Take care,

Craig

Election and Christmas Party, Dec. 9

This column is one month early, but we want to get it into your thoughts.

The Christmas party will be held at the Mongolian Buffet on the 9th of December at 6 pm. Not sure how to get there??? Just go to South 16th street (goes by K-Mart) and turn south at Earl May and go down the street to the last drive on the left....that's the parking lot for the Mongolian Buffet.

There is a good variety of American style food if you don't enjoy the grill selections. This is a buffet that includes drink and desserts for one price.

Part of our party will be a gift exchange, with a maximum value of 10 dollars if you choose to buy something. Or... if you have something you have owned for some time....but are willing to part with it. (commonly known as a "white elephant") then that could be used for the exchange. To further the cause of the white elephant....someone else who would desire to own your elephant may take it from you...which may or may not be a blessing!!

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Club Calendar

Nov. II

7:00 p.m. Regular meeting at Ames City Hall.

Nominations for 2015 Executive Council.

Program: video "Gnome" from Minnesota Air & Space Museum.

Dec 9 Club meeting and Christmas Party at Mongolian Buffet, 6:00 p.m.

Gift exchange.

Member Alert!

YOU, a paid 2014 member of the C.I.A. club, are requested to attend the next meeting. We are going to vote on an amendment to our By-laws. We need the best representation of our membership as possible to be sure this is what everyone wants to do.

Proposal to change in the By-Laws, Article 11-Dues, Section 11.1, (e) to read "Annual dues paid after September 15 by a new member, will finish the current year and continue through the following year". This will need to be voted on at the November Club Meeting by the paid membership.

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In which case you may select another gift. Further instruction will be given at the party. The gift doesn't have to be airplane related. Please mark your gift for men, ladies or unisex and yes the ladies are also invited to participate in the exchange. Joining in the gift exchange is not mandatory if you don't want to.

Please plan to attend and enjoy some time with your fellow fliers and their families. If you haven't responded to my RSVP, please do so now. It just helps the restaurant plan. Here's a little secret....if you haven't answered the RSVP you can come anyway!

If you cannot come to the party you still may vote if you were a member in 2014. Just email or call Denny at 292-6236 before the evening of December 9.



Executive Council Minutes

Board Meeting Minutes held October 30, 2014 Present-Kent Woods, Mark Taylor, Dave Popelka, Dave Sult, Craig Krueger

- 1) Treasurer reports-current on all bills.
- 2) Reviewed and passed by majority vote to change in the By-Laws, Article 11-Dues, Section 11.1, (e) to read "Annual dues paid after September 15 by a new member, will finish the current year and continue through the following year". This will need to be voted on at the November Club Meeting by the paid membership.
- 3) Reminder that nominations for Board officers need to be made at November's Club meeting.
- 4) Decided to have our club Christmas Party at Mongolian Buffet, Tuesday December 9, **6:00 p.m. Note the earlier time**. This will allow us to eat early and have elections. Then gift exchange.

Discussion around safety at the air field lately has lead us to help remind members who witness any unsafe acts to politely bring it to that person's attention of them. If no improvement in safety concerns, please contact any of the board members for further action.

Craig Krueger



THE SUNBEAM

The Central Iowa Aeromodelers

http://centraliowaaeromodelers.weebly.com/index.html

This club has been established to promote all facets of the hobby/sport of model aviation and to provide assistance and fellowship for its members. AMA Charter 2091.

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2014 Central Iowa Aeromodelers Membership Form

Annual Dues: Open Member \$70 - Any Open AMA member.

Student \$35 - Full time college undergrad/school student of any capability

Family Membership \$70 - Includes spouse and all in household 18 & under.

Newsletter Subscription \$10 - For non members only.

NO REFUNDS ON DUES PAID

THESE DUES ARE ADDITIONAL TO ACADEMY OF MODEL AERONAUTICS MEMBERSHIP

https://www.modelaircraft.org/joinrenew.aspx

All except newsletter subscription require proof of current Academy of Model Aeronautics membership.

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Comments to the Editor

Any comments concerning this issue of the Sunbeam can be made via email to Denny Goodrich at dennyginia@yahoo.com.

You can also call: (515) 292-6326.

New or Renewed Welcome!

Alex Wibholm Ryan Sanders

Think about who you want to represent you

on the

2015 Executive Council