

The Sunbeam

President's Column

Mark Taylor

It has been gratifying to share the excellent flying weather with a large number of you over the past two or three weeks.

Good flying and good camaraderie

Someone lost a plane in the beans last month, and at one point we had NINE members out there looking for it. 5-foot tall beans have even less visibility than tall corn, although they're not as painful.

I regret to inform you that we did not find it, but Greg's drone did, later.

We have several new members, and have hurdled a difficult membership issue recently, and I thank everybody for your feedback and support. Again, I am impressed that this hobby, or at least this club, is largely populated by really decent guys. Keep it up!

The Greater Midwest event circuit was a bit costly for me this year, but also filled with glory. Who would've guessed that the nastiest, snarliest P 38 I own would be the only survivor? Along with the plane Raymond lost in the beans, I am developing an extreme distaste for light ply, when used for any structural component. It appears to get weaker with time. Repairs are nearing completion

Attend the meeting tomorrow evening, do a little flying and catch up on all the latest!

Club Calendar

SEPT 10 Flying and Meeting at the field.

Meeting at 7:00, Andrew will be grilling hot dogs.



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Join the group, make a reasonable comment,

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IN CASE OF MEETING NIGHT STORMS:

If a **Thunderstorm Warning** or a **Tornado Watch** exists within <u>a hours</u> of meeting time

THE MEETING IS CANCELLED!

Past experience leads us to err on the side of caution.

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We have an email group! If you'd like to get more frequent / candid updates on the comings and goings at the field please consider joining our email group. For many folks this works better to share photos, stories, etc. than the text messaging group.

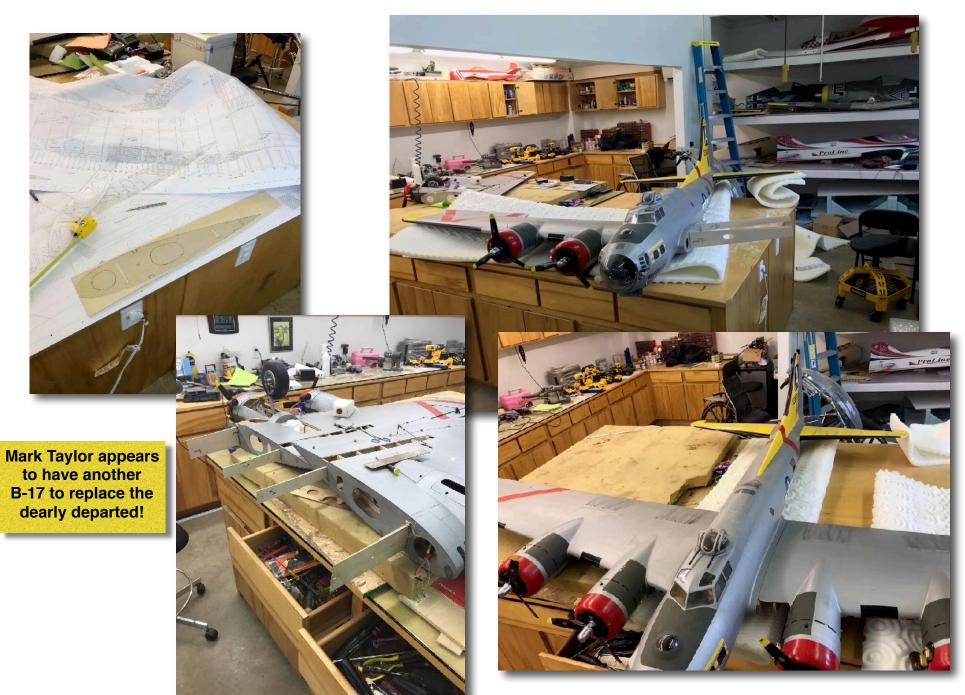
To be enrolled send an email to <u>andrew.albinger@gmail.com</u> and Andrew will get you electronically invited to the list.

CIA Flyer members-

It is time to update the club member directory, quick guide and the text messaging group.



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Andrew's hobby has recently been, well, electrifying! He stumbled into some free airplanes, among them a SIG Fazer and a Midwest Cherokee. They are now powered by electric motors. Way to go!

Tom Carey has given us some nice aerial photos of the field. Thank you, Tom!









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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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2019 Central Iowa Aeromodelers Membership Form

Annual Dues: Open Member \$100 - Any Open AMA member.

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

Family Membership \$100 - Includes spouse and all in household 18 & under.

Newsletter Subscription \$ 10 - For non members only.

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