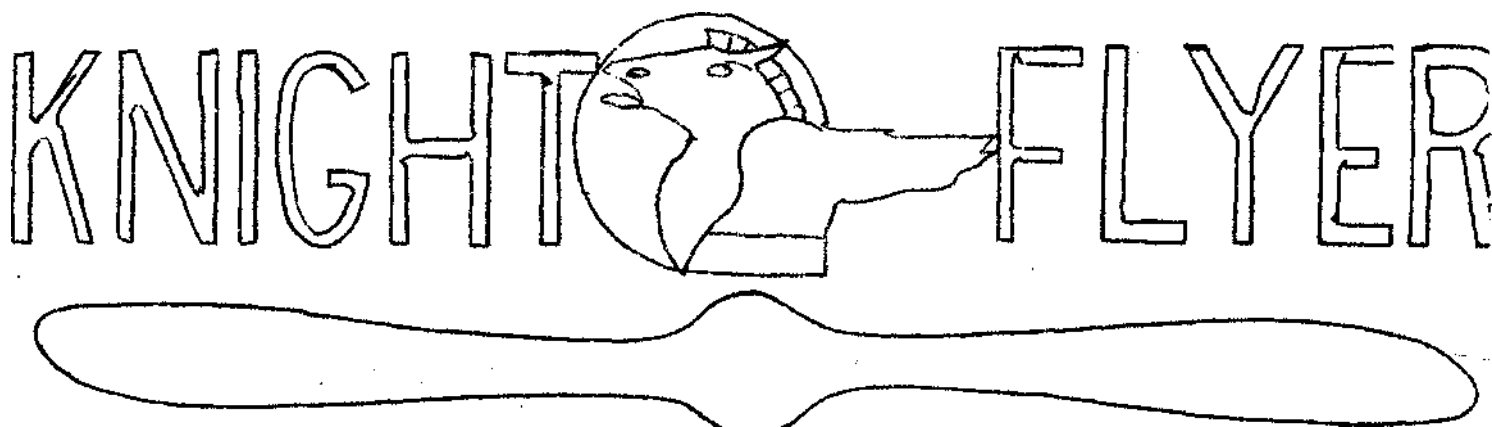


KNIGHT FLYER



NEWSLETTER of THE FLYING KNIGHTS of HAMBURG N.Y. INC.

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Hilites of the meeting of June 21, 1974-

Larry Scaglione, Sr. has graciously volunteered to build a club foot-locker for the storage of all the club papers..

Jerry Piscitello has contacted Sig about club decals but has not gotten a reply as yet.

It was reported that the Hamburg Nike site has been leveled, rolled and seeded and is in flyable condition right now although a little dusty.

The membership voted unanimously to hold a club fun fly (for members only) in addition to a club "Family Picnic" (non-Flying) The Fun-Fly will be held on August 11 at the County Field and is open to all club members only. July 21 is the date of the family picnic to be held at Evangola State Park--No airplanes----- Bob Inglut is coordinator of the family picnic and Frank Meyer will run the fun fly. Plan now to attend both of these affairs as a good time is usually had by all.

The next meeting, July 12 will be a flying meeting held at the North Collins site. Be there and bring a plane!

The club 50-50 raffle was won by Chris Klein, the grandson of Jim Landis, and our youngest member.

Frank Meyer reports that he and Kevin McCormack were the only "Knights" to attend the two day "Fun Fly" at Geneva, N.Y. on the weekend of July 6&7. Kevin flew his Trainermaster into a "sudden death" fly-off for the Limbo event but didn't quite make it. Frank took a 3rd place with his Contender in a novelty event and also a 3rd place in "Stand-Off Scale" with his Formula 1. Minnow. Both fellows had a great time which was helped by perfect weather. Frank reported that the trophies were the new Wire Sculpture type from California and were very nice. A Bu-Bro-Hughes 300 helicopter put on a flight demonstration. It successfully broke a ballon by landing right on top of it.

Helpfull Hints--

When cutting the grass at the North Collins field it is a good idea to take the grasscutter well away from the flying area before trying to fly. This writer found out the hard way. A jammed transmitter throttle lever caused a hot landing down the full length of the field and what do you think the plane hit at the far end???? Right- Next time I will put the lawm mower back in the car before I fly. My mowing partner was much more Successfull th than me. Bob Eberhardt piloted his "Quick Stik" around several times and made several unaided landings within 5 foot of the field.

After my demonstration of flying ability I think Bob didn't trust me to land his plane.

UP-COMING EVENTS:

July 14 Lockport u.p.r.c. races
July 12 Flying Knights meeting at North collins field
July 21 Flying Knights Family Picnic at Evangola
July 28 UPRC at Hamburg

DON'T FORGET

Club meeting July 12 -Flying meeting at North Collins field