

Cedar Rapids Skyhawks
LOG BOOK

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Upcoming Events

Sunday, February 9, 2014, 7:00 PM, General Club Meeting at the Long Branch Supper Club. NOTE: THIS IS A CHANGE FROM THE TRADITIONAL DATE.

Sunday, February 23, 2014, Iowa City Aerohawks Swap Meet.

Saturday, June 7, 2014, Demo Day. Rain Date: June 8th.

Saturday, July 19, 2014, Warbirds Over Iowa. Rain Date, July 20th.

Friday through Sunday, August 8, 9 and 10, 2014, Northern Alliance Military Fly-In at Owatonna.

Thursday through Saturday, August 14, 15 and 16, 2014, Warbird Classics Over the Midwest at Fond du Lac, Wisconsin.

Saturday and Sunday, September 6 and 7, 2014, Multi-Engines, Warbirds and Classics at Ames.

To most people, the sky is the limit. To those who love aviation, the sky is home.

— anon.

Cover photographs needed for the Logbook

We would really appreciate people submitting photos for consideration for use as the Logbook cover. Cover photos need to be in portrait mode, and should be as high a resolution as possible, preferably 2000 by 3000 pixels or more. Furthermore, the top third of the photo should be sky or some other appropriate background so as not to interfere with the banner of the Logbook.

Reminder: You must have your current Skyhawks Membership Card to fly at the field.

Your current Skyhawks membership card must be placed in your frequency pin slot when you have the frequency clip. Everyone must use a frequency clip. Thanks.

Club Party Report

January 11, 2014

Howdy,

Well, as always, if you missed this year's club party, you missed another good one. The first order of business was the presentation of the Club's Fellowship Award. Todd presented the well-deserved award to Randy Lepsch. Randy has completely redesigned the club's website in addition to his excellent work as the club's Treasurer. Our congratulations to Randy!

Thirty people attended the event this year. Van and Sheryl provided trivia questions and handed out prize tickets for correct answers. A drawing of the tickets was held, and individuals could select either a gift certificate or a quad copter as a prize. Van and Todd wore identical airplane ties for the event.

Todd led a fun activity called the Quad Copter Showdown. There were several Estes Proto X Nano quad copters available for the activity. The goal was to fly a timed course sequence and to land on a target. It wasn't easy, but a few managed to make the course. Those that finished the event had their times recorded, and certificates were awarded. Most of the time the quads were flying into places that really weren't included in the intended course, but it sure did give the group a good laugh. Ceiling vents, lights and under the tables were not on the planned course.

Don Harker won the Helo Experience Division with an almost perfect flight. Wendell won the No Helo Experience Division. Five quad copters were given out as door prizes, along with many gift certificates from Box Kar Hobbies. Several of the gift certificates were donated by Box Kar Hobbies. Our thanks to Box Kar Hobbies!

The meal was delicious, and everyone was well fed. Jerry and I each had the sirloin steak.

Randy Lepsch presented a slide show, which included past Warbird Events and various pictures of members and their planes at the field. Everyone enjoyed viewing the slide show.

A representative from Eastern Iowa Honor Flight presented the club with an appreciation plaque for all the club has done for Eastern Iowa Honor Flight. The club has raised funds at Warbirds Over Iowa for several years to benefit this organization. In addition, many veterans attend Warbirds Over Iowa each year.

The weather was good for this year's event. I can remember a few that the drive home was in a blowing blizzard.

Thanks to all that made this year's party a fun event, and thanks to all the members that attended. This is our way of thanking the Longbranch for the "no charge" meeting room throughout the year and the party room for our event.

Skyhawks Secretary, Jim Buttleman

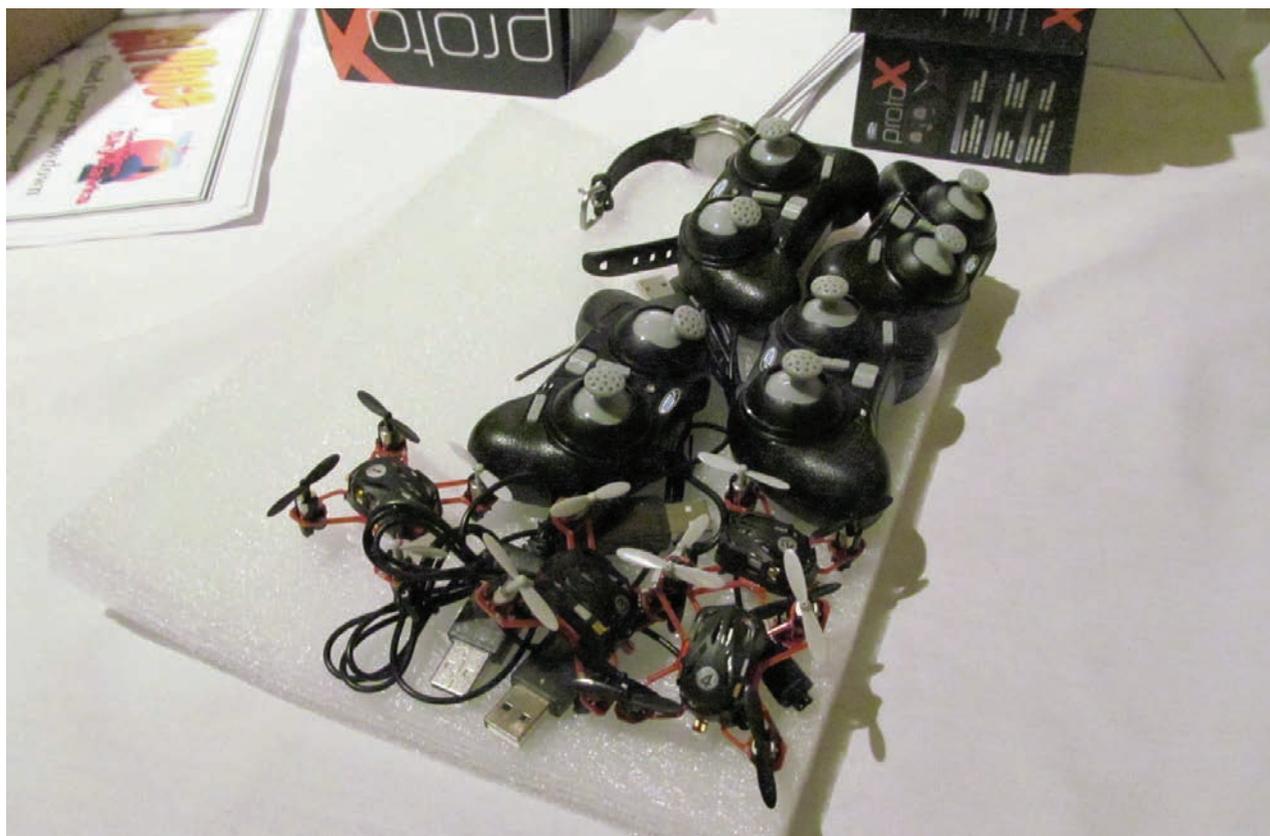
Eastern Iowa Honor Flight Award Presentation to the Skyhawks



Todd awarding the Fellowship Award to Randy



The quad copters used for the quad fly event, and given as door prizes



Quad Copter Fun



PLEASE POST

Mark the date! It's eastern Iowa's
biggest and best, in a GREAT LOCATION!
It's the 11th Annual Iowa City Aerohawks
R/C Swap Meet

SUNDAY, February 23, 2014

At the **National Guard Armory, Iowa City**

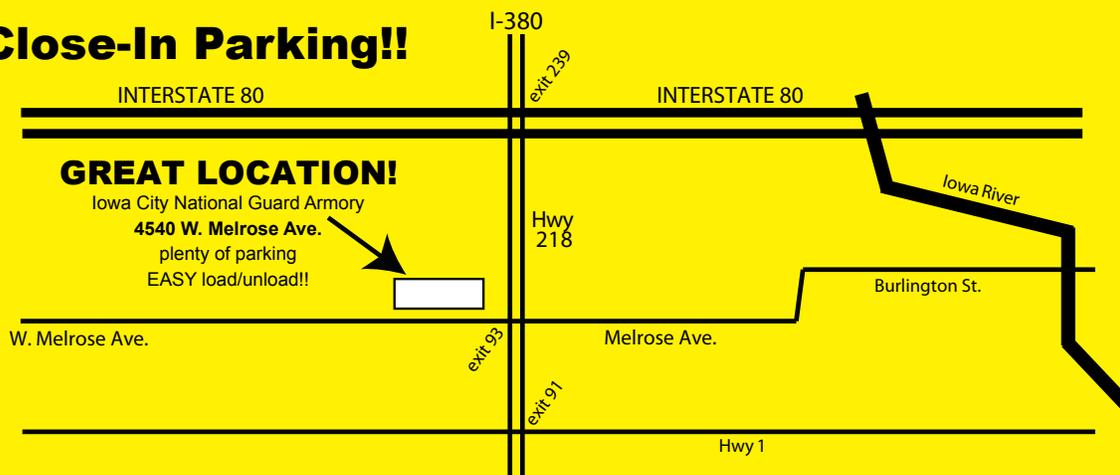
Open at 8 a.m., transactions after 9 a.m., **AUCTION** at noon!
All radio control interests welcome! 120+ tables! Vendors, too!

Easy load/unload. Breakfast & lunch: coffee, donuts,
bagels, soda, pulled pork sandwiches, chips available.
We've rented a HUGE facility with lots of space, and our
members, vendors, and friends will be putting out LOTS
of GREAT stuff from their workshops and home hangars:
PLANES, CARS, TOOLS, HELICOPTERS, BOATS, KITS, ARFs
\$5 admission, Kids 12 and under FREE!

\$13 for 6 ft. table w/ chair (includes 1 admission), additional tables \$10
BUT WE SELL OUT SPACES EARLY and YOU MUST RESERVE AHEAD!!

Call Rich at **319-358-8519** or email: **rich.vedepo@gmail.com**

Close-In Parking!!



Iowa City Aerohawks is a radio control flying club. All Aerohawks are also
members of the Academy of Model Aeronautics, Chapter 824

See photos of past A-Hawk Swap Meets at **www.iowacityaerohawks.com**

Cedar Rapids Skyhawks Radio Control Club

Membership Application

Date: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Name: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (H) _____ (W) _____ Email Address: _____ AMA#: _____

Proficiency Level (Circle One): Student Pilot Instructor

Xmitter Frequencies Used: _____ / _____ / _____ / _____

Active (Circle all that apply): Power Glider Helicopter Other _____

How did you hear about our club? _____

Membership Fees

Family \$78.00	Open \$60.00	Senior Citizen (65 and up) \$42.00	Junior (up to 14) \$12.00	Senior (15 to 18) \$30.00	Associate \$20.00
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All fees paid after October 1st each year will pay for the balance of the current year as well as for the following year.

If you are unable to pay at a club meeting, send your renewal with PROOF OF AMA (Photocopy of your current AMA membership card) to: Cedar Rapids Skyhawks, 129 Meghann Dr., Marion, IA 52302. AMA MEMBERSHIP REQUIRED TO FLY MODEL AIRCRAFT. YOU MUST SHOW YOUR CURRENT AMA MEMBERSHIP CARD OR PROVIDE A PHOTOCOPY TO A CLUB OFFICER IN ORDER TO OBTAIN A CLUB MEMBERSHIP CARD. ASSOCIATE MEMBERS WHO DO NOT FLY ARE EXEMPT.

Cedar Rapids Skyhawks

129 Meghann Dr.

Marion, IA 52302

Deadline for submissions is the Tuesday following the Board meeting or the fifteenth of the month, whichever is later.
Consideration for exceptions will be made where the information was not available in time and is of wide interest.