

Club News Notables

HERE YE! Here Ye! NCLF will again assemble at Kicam's Family Restaurant in Mantua on March 4th to meet and greet and share stories from the last flying season and warm up on the flying tales of the coming season. Cometh Ye All Out and Join Us. A good time, you will have.

2006 Meeting Dates: March 4, April 1, May 6, June 3, July 8, August 5 (Cookout), September 9, October 7, and November 4.



The anxious steeds bask in the soothing sunlight as the pilots bulk up on refreshments to help them get through the grueling ordeal of the Poker Run. (DJ)

Member News & Reports

Here's the member news that was reported in the last month. . . . Well, that's all folks. Keep that information flowing. Please!

NCLF club flying jackets are still available. These Royal Blue jackets include the club logo, and feature zippered pockets and a warm neck collar. The logo appears on both the front and back and your first name can be sewn on the front if you wish. Available sizes are: S, M, L,

XL, XXL, XLT, and XXLT (with the "T" for tall). The cost is \$45 each with shipping of \$6 each, if you can't get them at a meeting. These jackets are quite striking, and when two or more members appear at the same location with them, it definitely looks like "an event".

Also available are T shirts, Sweatshirts, and 2-pocket shirts. Contact Don James, our VP of Marketing, for prices on these items, as well as to order at 330-678-9537 or via e-mail as Citroenist@aol.com



There are lots of nice airfields to enjoy around NE Ohio. (DJ)

Interspersed in this month's newsletter are pictures from a very enjoyable event in which our members participated during 2005; a Poker Run.

From the starting point, the flyers depart to a series of airports to draw cards. In this event, the participants flew together in single file to each airport to make another draw.

This is a great way to learn about the small airports scattered about northeast Ohio, as well as a great way to get to know other flyers.

At each stop along the route, the pilots disembark to draw a sealed envelope containing a playing card, meet and greet, then on to the next airfield.

All together, they made five (5) stops in order to complete their hand, and in the end, prizes were awarded for the best one.



Gil Pataky off to make a draw. (DJ)

Yep, that's all there is. Oh the insanity! Enjoy the Pix.



The Mather Field stop. (DJ)



Our longstanding and intrepid member, Bob Essell, and his daughter, Jenny Forsythe, having a blast over the UAE desert as they took their very unique wingwalking act there this winter. They've also made a recent visit to Australia. See more great pix and learn more about them and their act at: www.bobessellairshows.com (BE/JF)

FOR SALE!!!

1995 CGS Hawk Arrow, Single Place, 90 hrs on airframe, reinforced tubes, Rotax 503 SC – 60 hrs, Electric Start, Many Instruments, asking \$8,000, Clint Sheppard, 440-283-6262, Streetsboro.

Pennzoil 2 Cycle Oil for Air Cooled Engines, \$32/Case, Rotax Carb Sockets, \$21/24 Each, Stainless Steel Exhaust Springs, \$6 Each, Don James, 330-678-9537, Kent.

Wanted to buy!!!

Rotax 503, Pull Start, Point Ignition, Single Carb, Frank Vitale, 330-492-5580, Canton.

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UNTIL THE NEXT TIME!

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Don James(F) & Don Cruz(R) having some Poker Run fun last summer. Don brought home some bacon! (DJ)

Next Club Meeting – March 4, 2006

Club Meetings are normally held **the first Saturday of each month** at 6PM at Kicam's Family Restaurant in Mantua. Any changes to this schedule will be posted here in the Flyer. Prospective members, guests and family members are **always welcome**.