

Prince George's Radio Control Club, Inc.

AMA Club #334

January 2023

#### JANUARY MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The next membership meeting will be held at the Club House, Tuesday January 17 at 7:00 PM.

#### 2023 DUES.

It's time to pay your dues for the 2023 season (see the schedule to the right). **Remember** that Pay Pal is no longer a payment option.

You can mail a check to Treasurer Steve, or bring your check or cash to a membership meeting. Dues will be considered late if received after the January membership meeting.

# DECEMBER MEMBERSHIP MEETING RECAP.

As has become tradition, hot dogs and snacks were provided and minimal business was conducted at the holiday meeting.

**Treasury, Etc.** Steve reported \$17,103 in the treasury, and a 2022 year-end membership of 165 folks. Before re-ups at the meeting, we had 35 paid renewals for 2023.

**Deck Status**. The Board has decided to remove the deteriorating deck from the Club House, rather than repair it. The decision was based primarily on projected material costs for the repair, and the fact that we haven't used the deck in years. On 16 December we met at the House with our landlord, M-NCPPC, who agreed with the plan. They also offered to make a dumpster available for the demolition effort, which will be scheduled when warmer weather returns.

**Raffle and 50/50**. Charlie Gettier won a gallon of glow fuel in the raffle. Mel Turner was not present to claim \$141.50 in the 50-50 drawing.

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#### PGRC DUES SCHEDULE

Initial Assessment	\$125
(New First-Time Members)	
Annual Dues (General)	\$75
Annual Dues (Junior)	\$10
Annual Dues (Family)	\$85

Annual dues for current members are considered late if paid after the January general membership meeting. A \$25 late fee will be assessed. New members joining after July 31 pay half the annual dues for the remainder of the year.

Dues can be paid at a meeting, or mailed to:

Steve Baker 12215 Malin Lane Bowie, MD 20715

Be sure to include your address, phone number, and AMA Number if paid by check. You **must** be an active AMA member to fly at the field.

#### DIRECTIONS TO PGRC FIELD

(South of Bowie, MD) Take US Rt. 301 south approx. 3 miles south of Rt. 214. Turn east on Swanson Rd. and follow the signs. Address: 17230 Swanson Rd, Upper Marlboro, MD 20774

#### **RUNWAY COORDINATES**

38°51'03"N 76°41'59"W

#### **PGRC'S WEB SITE**

Visit with PGRC on the Internet: http://www.pgrcclub.com/

2023 PGRC Events Schedule (tentative)		
Date	Event	POC/CD
March 18	Spring Clean-Up Day	N/A
April 15	Spring Swap Shop and Breakfast	Alan Goodman (301) 509-8589
May 6	Open House Fly-In	Bob Gensler (410) 353-1570
June 10	Builders' Fly-In	Bob Gensler (410) 353-1570
June 16-17	Jet Fest	Chuck Russell (240) 478-2379
Sept. 9	Electric Fly-In	Harold Thompson promod17525@yahoo.com
Sept. 23, 24	Big Bird / War Bird Fly-In	Chuck Russell (240) 478-2379
October 7	Club Picnic	Harold Thompson promod17525@yahoo.com
November 4	Fall Swap Shop and Breakfast	Alan Goodman (301) 509-8589
November 11	Fall Clean-Up Day	N/A

PGRC JACKETS. PGRC jackets are back! Black PGRC jackets will have a large PGRC patch embroidered on the back and a small patch embroidered on the front along with your name. ALL JACKETS MUST BE ORDERED IN ADVANCE. Send me an email at <a href="mailto:ahgoodman@mindspring.com">ahgoodman@mindspring.com</a> or see me at a club meeting. Alan

#### THE RECREATIONAL UAS SAFETY

**TEST (TRUST).** Our members are urged to take the FAA-mandated recreational UAS safety test, TRUST. The link is on the AMA website <a href="www.modelaircraft.org">www.modelaircraft.org</a>. It is an "open book" test you cannot fail, and takes about 20 minutes to complete.

FOR SALE. Brand new Yaesu 144/430 MHz digital/analog handheld transceiver, plus additional battery pack. \$125. Also selling an Autel EVO 2 Pro 6K drone with "all the trimmings". Contact Jack Davis for details. jackfd@me.com



LOST. PGRC member with the longest commute to the field, Tom Avedisian from Ithaca, NY, left a Kestrel hand-held wind meter at the field on 21 December. If anyone spotted it and picked it up, please contact Tom at <a href="mailto:cta2@cornell.edu">cta2@cornell.edu</a>, phone (607) 592-7915. He will be back in the area January 12 for a couple of days.

#### JANUARY BOARD MEETING RECAP.

**New Events**. The 2023 event schedule was finalized. *See above*. Bob Gensler will CD a

Builders' Fly-In, limited to scratch- and kitbuilt models. After checking with the pylon racing community, Steve Baker indicated we will not be hosting a pylon event as originally envisioned.

Deck Removal, etc. Bob summarized our meeting with Parks on 16 December, at which they agreed with our plan to remove the deck. He also outlined his plan to install a stub roof to protect the siding under the current deck from direct rain. We will likely schedule the demolition / stub roof installation for March. Bob added that Parks reiterated their appreciation of our stewardship of the property at the 16 December meeting. There is also a chance that Parks will help us with road maintenance this year.

**Gate Keys**. We will start selling gate keys (\$5 each) at the February membership meeting, and change the gate lock after the meeting.

### **OTHER 2023 EVENTS OF INTEREST**

Lebanon 2023 RC Expo, March 11 <a href="https://www.centralpennaeromodelers.club/copy-of-rc-expo-1">https://www.centralpennaeromodelers.club/copy-of-rc-expo-1</a>

Toledo RC Swap meet and Expo, April 14, 15 <a href="https://toledorcswapmeet.com/schedule">https://toledorcswapmeet.com/schedule</a>
Joe Nall Week, May 12-20 <a href="https://tta.aero/aviation-events/joe-nall">https://tta.aero/aviation-events/joe-nall</a>

#### **NEWSLETTER NOTICE**

Our readership will have to muddle through February without a PGRC newsletter, as I will be out of country for the entire month. We should be back on our normal schedule for the March edition. Charlie

#### PGRC MEMBERS - End of 2022

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