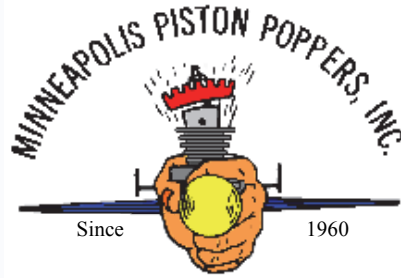


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November/December Meeting

Old Business: It was voted that all current club officers were to remain the same for the coming year, except for Tom Sontag becoming Field Marshall. Tony thanked everyone that came out to help clean up and seed the new flying field at the airport. The club took up additional donations for the cost of the grass seed.

New Business: The Frozen Fun Fly is on January 1st, which is a Tuesday, it's 11 to 1pm at the Westwood school. Building Sessions; there will be 4 sessions, one each in Jan, Feb, Mar and April. Dates need to be determined after we find out Keith's schedule for 2019. *I assume there will have to be a club E-mail announcing the dates as our next meeting is on January 31st.*

Dues are due in January.

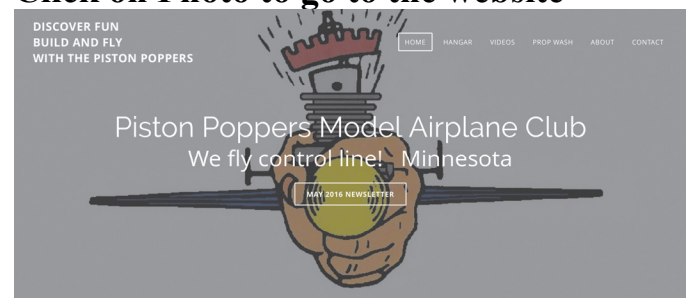
The Swap meet is in February.

Show and Tell: Tom Sontag showed us how he cleans engines with rubbing alcohol and a brush. Jeff Lange told us that he has

metal rib patterns for some popular planes for loan. Looking around he said that the prices for J B Weld varies, with Menards being the cheapest. He also talked about drill bits and how he uses hole saws in construction.

Jim Gevay

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FLYING DAYS

11/29/2018

Our combined meeting night for Nov/Dec got underway with a thank you to those of us for the new flying field work performed.

We also had a couple of demos from Tom and Jeff. Tom showed us a way to use Mr. Clean magic erasers and alcohol to scrub up motors. Jeff told us how he used hole saws for milling wood with your drill press (*a little safer than fly cutters*).

It was mentioned about Jan 1 frozen fly 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM Karen's great chili and Hot Chocolate will complement the cold bone chilling air were suppose to have. So get a plane ready bring fresh charged batteries and warm clothes and enjoy the first flights of the New Year.

A special note from Jeff Lange he has templates for the Challenger wing ribs, the Skyray wing ribs and the Fury wing ribs. These will be available to use during the winter build sessions for anybody. Bring your wood and sharp x-acto blades takes about a half hour to cut a complete set of ribs.

Bob Cheney

Video by Shug

<https://youtu.be/xcyAlaKlOtU>





MEETING NOTICE: January 31– Anoka County Airport at 7:30 PM

The Piston Poppers Club meetings are held on the last Thursday of each month at the Anoka Co. Airport in Blaine, MN. Enter the airport road from the automatic gates on the West side, turn right and go south past the airport beacon to the 2

hangar. It's the Blue hangar between Thunderbolt Aviation and the Golden Wings Museum, next to the road. Meetings

