

March 2017

Next meeting is March 20th at Epic Curean Restaurant, 1455 Woodruff Road Dinner at 6:30. Meeting Begins at 7:30

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Quotes of the Month

"If you think nothing is impossible, try slamming a revolving door!"

- Anonymous

"You know the oxygen masks on airplanes? I don't think there's really any oxygen. I think they're just to muffle the screams."

- Rita Rudner

"Oh, what a tangled web do parents weave when they think that their children are naive."

- Ogden Nash

"It's easy to identify people who can't count to ten. They're in front of you in the supermarket express lane."

- June Henderson

New Members

We added another member at the January meeting: John Vaughan – Pilot. Good to have you, John. If the weather picks up soon, hope to see you at the field!

Communications

- The Spring Fly-In is planned for April 22, 2017 with April 29, 2017 as the rain date. The sanction request was submitted, but there was a conflict with some other club so this will be a non-sanctioned event.
- The Props 'N Brats Competition will return this year with Tim Pritchett as the coordinator. There will be seven events. The members in attendance approved a motion to invite other clubs.

2017 Props & Brats Schedule:

April 9, 2PM
May 11, 5PM
June 15, 5PM
July 13, 5PM
August 17, 5PM
Sept. 16-17, at Triple Tree Aerodrome
Oct. 8, 2PM

- Each event will carry 2,000pts. possible for each pilot (best 2 of 3 rounds).
- The Triple Tree Event (see below) will carry 4,000pts. possible (best 4 of 6 rounds).
- Each pilot may drop their lowest 4 rounds of the season.
- Awards and Recognition will be held during the Oct. 2017 Club Meeting.
- Here is a link describing all the sequences for the maneuvers and Aresti descriptions (type the link into your browser):

https://nsrca.us/index.php/sequences

- Triple Tree Aerodrome will host an NSRCA national pattern competition September 14-17, 2017. The members in attendance approved a motion to form a committee to support and coordinate the TTA event. Tim Pritchett will start drafting people to serve.
- Roper Mountain Space Day is scheduled for March 11, 2017. John Dillewyn will
 coordinate the activities. There is a very small flying area at the "Living Farm"
 area of Roper Mountain Science Center. The WCRC portion runs from 9 am to
 about 2 pm. Adam Enggasser is trying to coordinate a drone racing
 demonstration.
- The members in attendance at the January Club Meeting approved a motion to hold a "bring your wife to fly" event as an after church social. We'll have pot luck meals with optional buddy box experience on Sunday May 7, 2017.

Upcoming Events

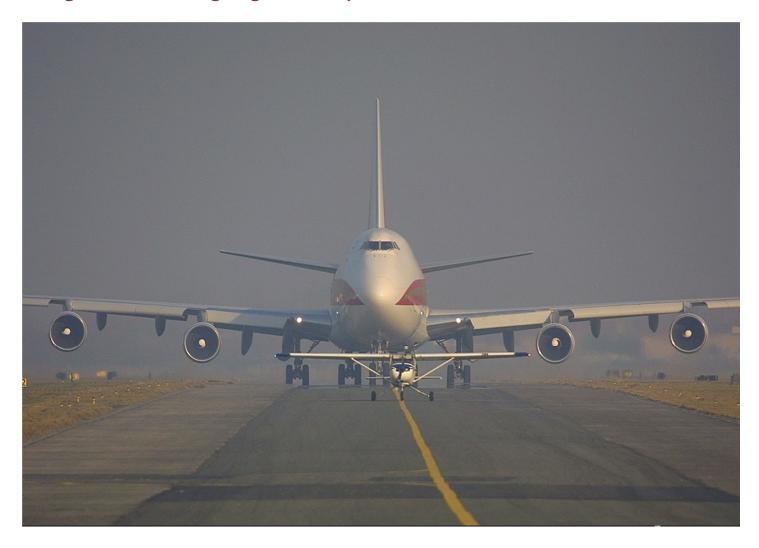
Just one event planned in March. So, let's get down to Blue Ridge and support our friends there!

3/11/2017 -- Piedmont, SC (C) BRRC SPRING FUN FLY. Site: 190 Owens Rd. Gary Gilbert CD PH: 864.299.5862 Email: garygilbert630@gmail.com. Visit: blueridgerc.com. Sanction #17/323. Fly what you bring. 1000' runway. Come join us for a day of fellowship, fun, and food. Oh yeah, and Great Flying! Registration 8:00 AM. Landing fee \$20: includes pilots lunch, additional lunches \$5. Sponsor: BLUE RIDGE RADIO CONTROL.

This Month's Special

Cessna 152: "Uh, 747 please announce your intentions..."

Boeing 747: "I am going to eat you!"



Well, we all have a bad day now and then.

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