

# FunFly Practice

March 30th

NPHS Girls Gym

7-10pm

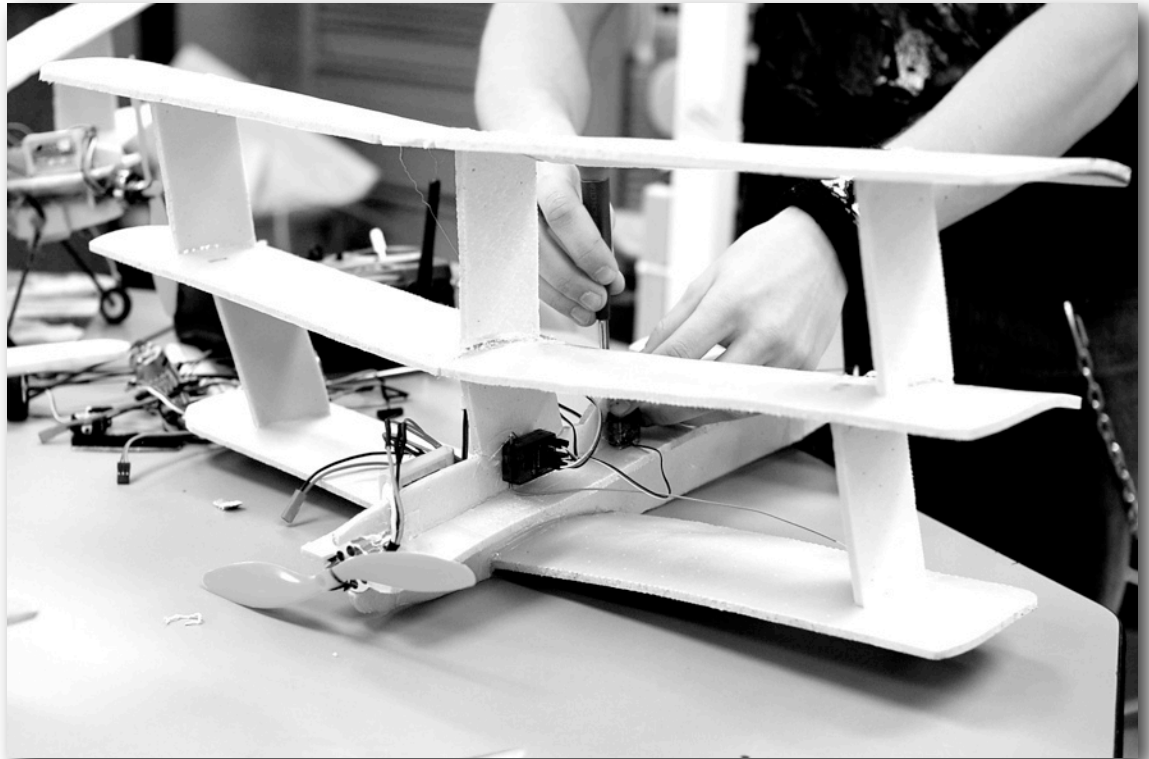
(you can show up as early as 6:15)



# NPMAC NEWSLETTER

March 29, 2010

**Three** wings? Surprisingly enough, it flew. Using the same components as the biplane, a few members worked their hardest to assemble this tri-plane in a short period of time.  
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## March is gone! Four weeks until the fun-fly

Greetings from the flight line! Our indoor flying season is wrapping up quickly as the school year is slowly winding down. Many of you have made planes and smashed them into a bazillion pieces. I know Alex built at least three biplanes since the school year started. The whole point of the club is to smash up our planes and learn how to fix them, so you don't have to waste your precious money on your own planes.

With all that fun flying planes, we need to be conscious of our limited time on Wednesdays. The next event is Tuesday night, March 30th, from 7-10pm. It's our "no-hassle" fun-fly. I'm asking that you just show up any time after 6:30pm to practice in the gyms for our fun-fly. The event is "somewhat" open to the r/c community. We will have guests from KRC, a few from Buc-Le (Bucks/Lehigh County), and possibly others.

With so much ahead, let's quickly look back on a couple events which occurred.

### **1. Lebanon Flea Market - to buy stuff (3.14)**

Pat and Trevor came home with gliders. Mr.V came home with some building supplies and an r/c sailboat which needs work. Sarah had a good time.

### **2. Hamburg Swap Meet - to sell stuff (3.27)**

Trevor and I sold almost every piece of older equipment that was donated to us. We brought in enough money for our budget next year. This money

will allow us to purchase some much needed flight simulators. The event was crazy!

## Coming up...

### **Tuesday March 30th FunFly - Practice**

- 7-10pm
- Girls gym (no cost to anyone)

### **Saturday April 24th - Spring Fun-Fly!**

- 8:30am - 8:30pm
- I need your help setting up on Friday (4/23) night and on Saturday morning
- Lots of prizes
  - Tower Hobbies gift certificates (3)
  - Castle Creations speed controls (10)
  - Local hobby shop donations

There's a possibility that we can team up with KRC and fly planes at their field on a Sunday in April or May. I'll keep you posted. There are so many events I'm just becoming aware of, local to this area.

Finally, t-shirts. We're going to have club t-shirts. They should either be \$5 or free. I'm submitting a request for donations from a local association to help us fund them. I will probably order enough to sell them to the public at \$15 each. That will bring in close to \$5 a shirt. Design is on the last page.

I'll see you on soon!

Mr.V, [voichemg@npenn.org](mailto:voichemg@npenn.org)

# March photos

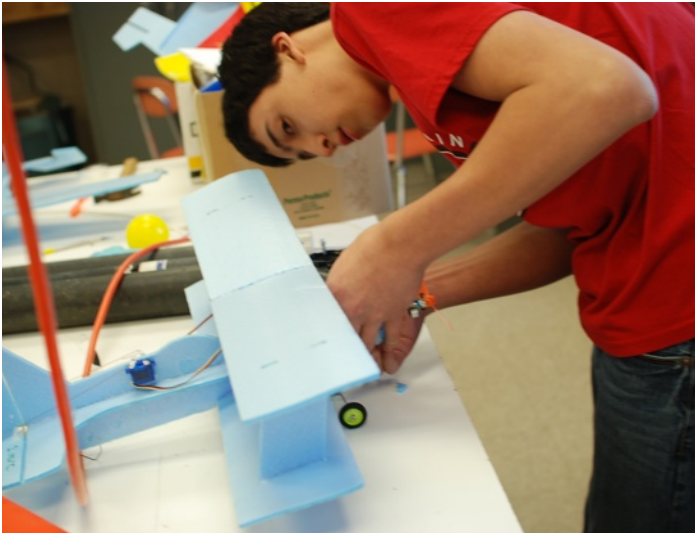
Clockwise from top right:

Mr. Benedix showed up with planes he received with grant money. The gang watches the tri-plane fly. The tri-plane is caught in flight. The tables in our classroom were covered with stuff to fly. Below, Greg prepares the Vapor for flight.



**Lebanon!** The place is mobbed with people and tables and planes and helicopters and... You get the point. It was a blast. Milling through the place on foot took almost two hours to see everything.





# An app for that?

The club website has a web 2.0 document on it where you can look at our club event calendar. It's a Google calendar, so you can sync it with your gmail. Our website is up to date and filled with club photos and valuable information. Please check it regularly.

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During the 2009-10 school year, the club will venture further into radio controlled, indoor electric foam aircraft, as well as the usual mischievous model airplane building we always do. We will attempt to host two indoor model aircraft events each year (fall/spring). If you have any questions about the club please contact Mr.Voicheck via [email](#) or by phone: 215.368.9800 extension 4962. Room, H-14 on Wednesdays at 2:30-4pm

**Recent News / Events**

We will host our next indoor fun-fly on April 24th. Fun-Fly information is posted on our [fun-fly info](#) page. Check back for updates

**Upcoming Events:**

1. Lehighon-R/C Flea Market, March 13, 2010
2. Hamburg Swap Meet, March 27, 2010
3. Open Gym, March 30th, 7:00-10:00
4. Spring Fun-Fly, April 24th, 8:30am-8:30pm

**Club Calendar**

NPMS Model Aviation Club	
Today	Monday, March 29
Tuesday, March 30	7:00pm No-Hassle fun-fly
Wednesday, March 31	2:30pm Weekly club meeting
Thursday, April 1	NP Spring Break
Friday, April 2	

## Photos:

Top left, Nick repairs his biplane landing gear.

Middle, t-shirt design concept.

Bottom middle, Mr.Archer (Mr.V's friend) flew his *Osiris* at our March 10th meeting.

Bottom left, Trevor launches a biplane on a warm spring day.

Bottom right, Sunit contemplates his next flight.

