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HAPPY NEW YEAR!

To begin with, here's hoping everyone had a healthy, happy and safe holiday.

Our first outing of the year was the annual Chili Fly and was a great success as usual. The day was cold and a bit of a breeze filled the air but everyone had a great time. There was PLENTY of chili from a number of special recipes to eat, coffee and hot apple cider to help keep warm. Side items were chips, bagels, spread, and crackers.

There were two disappointments: Although the flying was really good, we did have one crash. (At least that took the edge off the rest of us). The other was a reporter from Springfield's KOLR Channel 10 News was on hand to film the event. However, it never made it to the broadcast.

MEETING MINUTES IN A NUTSHELL

Procedural

13 members present
Minutes of last meeting accepted
Treasurers report accepted

Old Business

Swap meet—discussed preparation including hours, volunteers, media and misc

New Business

Set calendar dates for the coming year
Will repair runway crack in August
Rick suggested a gate information center at the field for brochures, hours, contacts
Rick will do a preliminary study to see if we could do a float fly at our field
Dennis will follow up with the Boy Scouts about a possible summer program
Discussed other options for the Christmas party

Adjourned: 8:17pm

ANOTHER MAN'S TREASURE

Saturday, January 23 marked the 2nd Annual Springfield RC Club Swap and Shop held at the Antioch Church on N Glenstone.

If the old saying is true, then this was the place to prove it.

Flyers from all over the area came with their RC planes, cars, motors, engines, and accessories to sell to scrutinizing buyers.

We had an almost full house which was pretty good considering the cold weather and recent snow. And after an opening rush of fellow flyers, the walk in crowd was sparse but steady.

Darrell and Mike served up the food: biscuits and gravy for breakfast and hot dogs with chips for lunch (good job guys).

Thanks to Aaron for getting the word out and organizing this event and to all who helped to make this another great activity for the club.

Thanks to Dave Sleeth for the raffle items as well as Hobbytown!

Photos on the next page

**FAA Registration Deadline
February 19th!**



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As always, I encourage all the members to submit any hobby related stories, safety or building tips, events, experiences or general knowledge you may have to share. My E-Mail is on the front of the newsletter.