



Wing Tips



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The Newsletter of the Mid-Hudson Modelmasters

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2021 Club Officers

President: Kent Wien

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Treasurer: Tom Eng

Club Calendar

NOTE: the club's email address has changed to hvmodelmasters@gmail.com Please update in your address book.

Coming Up:

- **CLUB MEETING** : Saturday, July 10, at our field.
- **August Wing Tips articles & photo submissions due, Thurs., August 5:** Send your submissions to wingtips@modelmasters.us Due date is first Thursday of each month.

Other Events:

- **MONTHLY MEETINGS:** Watch your email for dates.
- **OUTDOOR FLYING SESSIONS AT WEST ROAD FIELD** – Every Saturday Morning, weather permitting. Social distancing is practiced.

MEETING MINUTES – June 12, 2021

- + Zoom meeting Called by VP Scott Fellin @ 10:30.
 - Good showing at field this year - usually 10 or more Saturday mornings !
 - Next meeting is Saturday July 10, at the field.

- + Treasurer's report: by Tom Eng
 - \$2095.60 (received \$132 from silent auction at the party)
 - 2021 Membership now at 37. Graham Foster and Jackie Bragger have re-joined !

- + New business :
 - Larry will mow this week.
Send email to Brad if you are willing to mow (brad@jamestaylor.com)
 - The annual "Xmas party" was well attended on May 22 !
 - We will hold our annual picnic/fun fly in September (date TBD)
 - We will hold "Xmass party" in January next year if all goes well,
As well as two Spring/Fall parties at the field !

- + Show & Tell :
 - Oops ! I have a note about an Eflite Sopwith 190 / 72" plane,
but no memory of who, what, or why !

These planes need a new home by Bob Santoro

Don Peters is a former member of our club who is now 99 years old. He is no longer flying his planes and would like to dispose of them. His children, grandchildren and great grandchildren are not interested in the planes. His great, great grandchildren are still a little too young to fly. The planes are one of a kind, built from plans from various publications as well as from the Smithsonian Air and Space museum. His interest was in early aviation planes as you can see in the pictures. They are all gas and need to be converted to electric. Most have a wingspan of 5 1/2 feet. The Cessna is 3 feet. With the exception of the German Spyder and Turcot all other models, the wings CAN be removed for easy transport. If there is an interest in obtaining any of these planes I will set up an auction online and bids of any amount will be accepted. There will be no minimum amount required.

If you have an interest in any of these planes please email me at: bd santoro@hotmail.com



1913 Dunne Flying Wing



1911 Cessna



1915 Christophersen Looper



1927 Kunster



1935 Lockheed



Peters 1



Sikorsky S 39



1910 Turcot