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CALENDAR

General Membership Meeting: Friday, June 14, 7:30 PM at the Bethany town hall.

Summer Encampment 2002: Saturday, June 22 through Sunday, July 7 at Freehold! A whole week of flying, families, food and fun. See President's message in this issue for details..

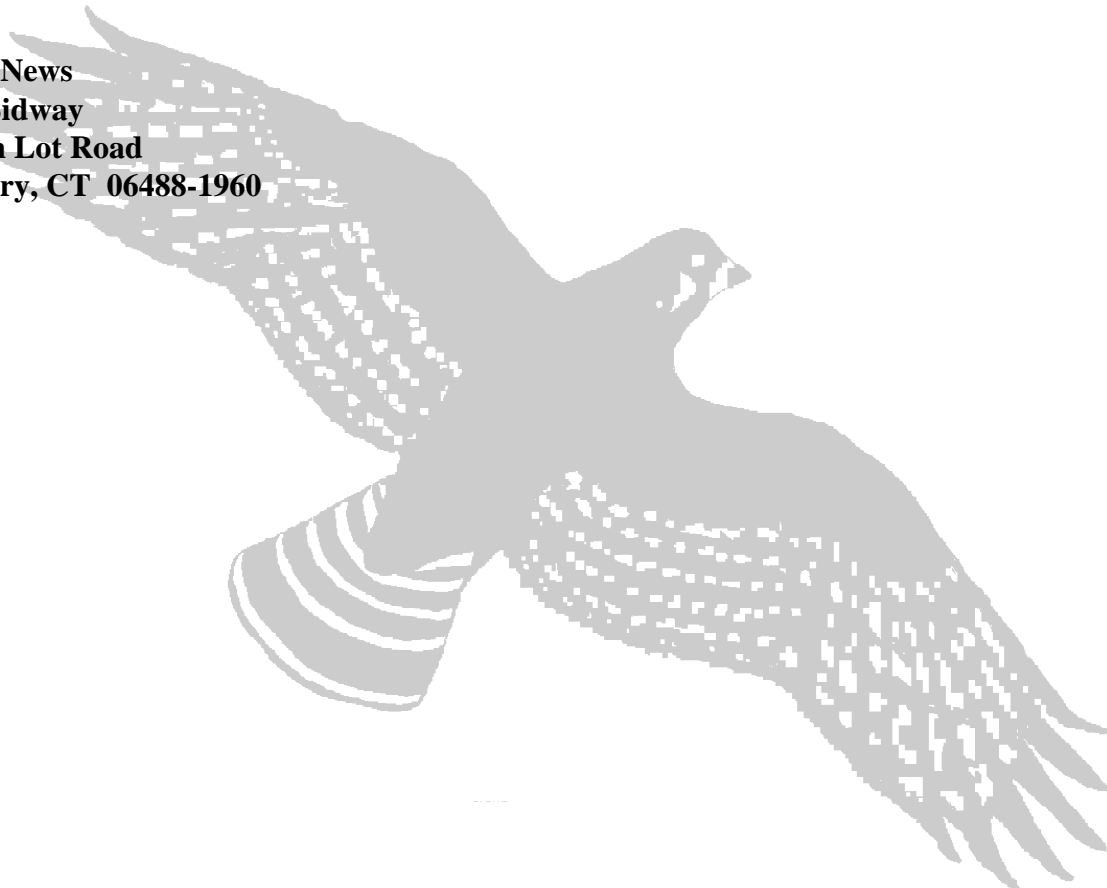


NOTICE

Policy regarding the payment and collection of tow fees is currently being formulated. The absence of a scheduled duty pilot presents logistical difficulties with respect to payment handling and bookkeeping. Until a formal policy is announced, payment at the end of the day (or weekend if you will be flying both days) in the form of a personal check made payable to Nutmeg Soaring is requested. Please, NO CASH.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Submitted by Bill Kenyon

Encampment:

Encampment is from Saturday, June 22 to Sunday, July 7. To explain encampment to new members, this means the opportunity to fly every day. For old members, this year is different because the encampment is at home – at Freehold Airport. This will be the second encampment for the Bob O'Brien gas grill.

Encampment is informal as in previous years. As for tows, Bob Duckworth will be there most of the time, and probably Ed Monoski too, so tows will be available, although both Bob and Ed expect to fly gliders too. As for instruction, Bill Kenyon will be there most of the time, while Bruce Stein and some others will be away competing in the Region 1 contest (Sugarbush, VT) the first week. Note that some instructors disappear in the afternoon to fly their own glider. As for the bunkhouse – it is officially finished, but there may be a lot of demand for it. And it doesn't actually have bunks. Yet.

Rudder locks:

One of our 2-33's sustained serious damage to its rudder 3 weeks ago. It had been left without a rudder lock (the rudder lock had disintegrated), and presumably the wind banged the rudder back and forth during the week until it was damaged. Clem Hoovler repaired the rudder, in a complex repair that required both inside and outside patches to a rib. A new rudder lock was constructed and put in service; and in addition there is now plenty of PVC pipe to make impromptu rudder locks. **SO WHEN TYING DOWN A GLIDER, PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT ALL LOCKS, TIE-DOWNS, ETC., HAVE BEEN PROPERLY SECURED.**

Meeting with Greene County Legislator Ken Dudley, and the Freehold Aviation Association (FAA):

This meeting took place in the friendly environment of the back room at Morton's Pub in Freehold on Saturday, June 1. Ken is one of 12 Greene County Legislators. The FAA was there in force, and had invited Bill Kenyon to represent Nutmeg Soaring; Clem Hoovler also was present. An important subject was how New York State might provide some financial aid to Freehold Airport, and Freehold Airport's role in the community. In addition, FAA members had a number of questions about Nutmeg Soaring, and Nutmeg's intentions as owner of Freehold Airport. Kenyon said that the airport needs local support to ensure a long future; and that Nutmeg's general intention is not to make changes unless they are clearly beneficial. One specific change underway is the conversion of a 75-foot strip of corn to turf on the south side of the blacktop to make glider operations safer. The FAA wanted to know

what tie-down or other fees they would be required to pay for a club power plane operation; Kenyon said that if local pilots wanted to have a power-plane club, Nutmeg was for it and would try to work things out, but that Nutmeg also has to pay the mortgage. Others expressed an interest in building hangars; Kenyon said that Nutmeg does not see the future clearly yet, but asked those individuals most interested in building a hangar to make a specific proposal, including financial details.

Campers:

Lee Ramsdell is planning to start the installation of the electric power line to creek side in the next few weeks. He met on June 1 with nursery owner Ken Thompson to let Ken know about the proposed trenching operation and power line work, and Ken was happy to provide input.

Local news coverage:

The Catskill Daily Mail carried a very nice article toward the end of May about Nutmeg Soaring at Freehold Airport. The writer, Martin Weston, had interviewed both Clem Hoovler and Frank Molnar at Freehold Airport, and their insights shone through in the article.

Drainage ditch maintenance:

The drainage ditch along the road in front of the office building and the barn needs attention. We have to cut the long grass that has grown up over the last few weeks to prevent any water back up in the ditch. There is a potential for the water to back up and erode away part of the parking area (and it looks bad too).

We have gas powered string trimmers available along with hand tools. If you are heading to the airport this weekend pitch in with an hour of grass cutting.

MAY 4TH "WELCOME" TO FREEHOLD BBQ

Submitted by Linda DeMarco

A great time was had by all on a beautiful spring day/evening. Several local folks participated as well. Carol Ward did a great job coordinating the party with help from Amy Driscoll, Gail Neal and Carol (McKinlay) as well as others, including the master grillers Bob Ward and Bob Cox. The many potluck side dishes brought along by Nutmeggers and their spouses, were devoured with tremendous gusto. We all look forward to the next one!

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