

ROTORUA MODEL AIRCRAFT CLUB (INC)

February 2021 NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to the February 2021 newsletter.

The Annual General Meeting Of The Rotorua Model Aircraft Club (Inc)

**Will be held at the Top Place Clayton Rd at 7:30pm on Wednesday
3 March 2021**

The new year has kicked off with a mixed bag of weather as usual. However that has not stopped the flying.

Dave T competed at the Nats and did pretty well. Well done Dave!

The vintage fliers hope to put in some times for the NDC Classic Precision event this month and next month 1/2A Texaco and Classic Duration. Then on 20 /21 Feb there is a vintage meeting at Airsail. This is followed by another meeting at the Blackfoot flies at Ngatea on 20 / 21 March then 17 / 18 April Tuakau are holding a meeting. What a great time for vintage fliers!

Control liners are off to the Waikato Champs on 6 & 7 Feb.

CLUB BBQ

There will be a BBQ at the field on 14Th Feb.

All visitors welcome.

The Club Trainers will be in action for anyone wanting a trial flight.

NEW MODEL ACTION



Dave Montys fantastic Lancaster seen in action on the 27th

A few new models have turned up recently. Captain Monty's Lancaster had it's first flight on the 27th. A beautifully built model, looks spectacular in the air and is reported to fly like a dream.

Neal has been experimenting with 3D printing models and his latest was also out on the 27th for taxi trials and dynamic stress testing. Sunday should see the test flight action.



A very happy Dave Monty after the successful first flight of his Lancaster



Another new model nearing completion. Ray's Pits Special.

A very tidy piece of kit complete with a 60cc engine. Can't wait to see this machine airborne.

Allan Blomquist Memorial Fun Fly.



The Taupo Model Flyers invite pilots to join us at our field to remember Allan who passed away in November 2020.

When: Sunday February 21st 2021

9.00 am to 3.00 pm

Saturday February 20th 2021. 10.00am till you have had enough

Where: Taupo Model Flyers Field, Centennial Drive, Taupo.

Lunch: The BBQ will be running both days, gold coin donation.

Fly Past: In memory of Allan. 11.00 am Sunday morning.

All types of planes welcome. Membership of NZMF and pilots wings required.

Allan had a large workshop of tools, building equipment and supplies plus a number of completed planes. These will be available for purchase at the garage sale in the clubrooms.

Enquires. Alex Brodie 027 535 3972 or brodieana@hotmail.com

COMING EVENTS

January		NDC Classic Precision
February	6&7	Waikato Control line champs at Mercer
February		NDC Classic Precision
		NDC ½ A Texaco
	14	BBQ
	20 & 21	Airsail Vintage meeting
	21	Allan Blomquist Memorial Fun Fly Taupo
March		NDC Vintage Duration
	20 & 21	Blackfoot Vintage meeting at Ngatea
April		17 & 18 Tuakau Vintage meeting
May		22 & 23 Blackfoot Vintage meeting

CLUB FUEL

METHANOL \$2.50 PER LITRE (OWN CONTAINER)

MIXED:

1 US GALLON = 3.785 LITRES (3.8L)

70% METHANOL, 20% COOLPOWER, 10% NITRO

\$40.00 [US GALLON

\$10.00 per LITRE

FUEL WITHOUT NITRO

82% METHANOL, 18% COOLPOWER oil

**\$25.80 US GALLON
\$6.80 PER LITRE**

Or, MIXED TO SUIT YOUR REQUIREMENTS

**ALL PROFIT GOES TO THE CLUB
PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN CONTAINER**

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