

May 26, 2016

Hello everyone: Memorial Day is this coming Monday hence we have a long weekend ahead of us. NICE! The weather man is guessing the following for the extended weekend forecast. Friday: Mostly Sunny, 89 degrees and 6 mph winds S. Saturday: Mostly Sunny with showers in the evening, 88 degrees light winds ESE. Sunday: So far 80% chance of rain and thunderstorms throughout the day, 78 degrees, light winds ENE. Monday: 60% chance of thunderstorms, light winds from E, 83 degrees. Seems that we will be dodging some rain as of Sunday so we will see. See you at the field.

MEMORIAL DAY: It is time to pause, reflect and appreciate the sacrifice that many Americans have done for our country serving in the military and lost their lives. God Bless them and we are also thankful to their families.

Reminders:

TRI COUNTY RC CLUB: The FIREFLIGHT CHARITY Event at the TCRC Club was cancelled this past weekend. It has been rescheduled for this Saturday, May 28.

RAMS JUNE MEETING: RAMS Field at 3:00PM. **Sunday June 5, 2016.**

IMP - In the agenda for discussion at this meeting is the SENIOR DAWN PATROL proposal presented by John Dunning to the club membership in the May meeting. The proposal is as follows as presented by John: **Background** - We have approximately 10 to 15 RC Flyers, usually no more than 7 to 10 on any given day that have been flying every Tuesday and Thursday mornings at RDRC. This group is known as the Senior Dawn Patrol (SDP). This is becoming more difficult to enjoy at the RDRC Club. **Proposal** - Allow the limited use of the RAMS Field to the SDP on Tuesday and Thursday mornings for a 3 month trial period. The SDP will pay RAMS \$50.00 per person per year for the privilege with a guaranteed \$500.00 minimum benefit to RAMS.

Dr. Joey - If you want to participate in the discussion of this proposal, evaluate the pro and cons, voice your opinion and get involved in the subsequent decisions and vote, please attend the June meeting. See you there guys.

IT IS ALMOST HERE! THE ANNUAL RAMS FUNFLY INVITATIONAL: Saturday, June 4, 2016. Our RC colleagues from the PILOT Club are joining us to fly and have a nice lunch. The activity will start at 9:00AM. **VERY IMPORTANT: RAMS Pilots are asked to BYOF&D (Bring Your Own Food and drinks with enough to share with guest and spectators).** Plan it ahead, separate the date and bring burgers and hot dogs as main fare enough for you and share with friends and visitors. It is also the opportunity to shine with the best Mac & Cheese ever or your signature desert. Let's welcome with good flying and lots of good food our guests from PILOT as they do for us when we go to their field. It promises to be a fun gathering so let's HAVE AT IT! Come and join us early and be there for lunch. I will have the grill up and running by 11:30AM. **INVITATION:** The RC Pilots on the RAMS membership waiting list are welcome to attend and fly with us for this event. **Please remember:** All pilots flying must abide by the RAMS Rules, Safety Code and Noise restrictions without exception. All pilots are required to have up to date AMA registration.

FIRST IN FLIGHT RC JET RALLY: May 25 - 29. Happening now at the Wilson Industrial Air Center, 4545 Airport Drive N.W., Wilson, NC. Go to the RDRC Club Website for more details.

RAMS INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION FUNFLY AND COOKOUT: More to come about this activity once we get the date set. This is the one where you need to have your night flyer ready. We eat, we fly and we eat some more.

That is all. See you at the field and have safe fun flying!!!

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