



### Washington R/C Flyers – Meeting

2-10-26

Attended: Scott Mohr, James Taylor, Mark Reeves, Marshall Logue, Ron Ghighi, Hal Baker, Chris Cherwin, Jim Grob, Tom Imhoff, Travis Kempf, Warren Bieze, and Peter Campbell. Guests / New members: No guests or new members were present 6:30pm Mark Reeves welcomed everyone to the February meeting and introduced everyone as a courtesy to newer members. He reported that the Banquet went well with 14 members and 4 guests attending.

### Indoor Flying March 1,8,15;22,29 1-4 pm

@ Germantown Indoor flying: Some cancellations have been made due to weather and school availability but we're having a great time when we do get to fly. Monthly flying program: Looks like about 6 members are trying out for that award program and with some recent good weather that continues. Text thread: The text thread is going very well with some good information, and great videos and pictures. Sign up if you are interested and not yet a member of the group. Contact Scott Mohr Everyone come out and enjoy some indoor flying it is a **BLAST!**

Field Maintenance: Our picnic and pilot stand tables are in need of sprucing up. Something like paint or other protective coating needs to be applied this spring. The Pilot stations are in need of some repair. The runway mat also needs to be leveled and repaired or replaced. A lot of discussion about options to the Mat followed. Staples are an ongoing problem and have damaged planes, the Mat has deteriorated very quickly and some long term solutions are being considered. More to come on this but it seems to be a consensus that we need to address the problem soon. 2026 Events: The hot dog roast seemed to be a big hit and will be repeated this year. Mark would like to have the first one in May before the Memorial day camp. Our Open House has been set for August 16th and National Model Aviation Day is the following weekend. Some options were discussed on how we might participate like a training day or a fun fly/combat event. The events will be discussed at the February board meeting and proposed to the club at the March meeting. Value Hobby planes: The club is promoting a fun fly/combat aircraft . The Value Hobby plane was chosen since it is light and cheap. Jim Taylor and Scott Mohr picked up several kits that many members have purchased and he has a few left for members that may be interested. Roughly any plane 30 to 32" wing span and weighing 1 lb or less would be suitable

. Next meeting 6:30 @ Kep's in Washington if you would wish to eat come at 5:30

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some of the Value Hobbies plane that have been complete for combat/fun fly

