



# The Flightline



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## President's Message



There's not a lot going on at the fields, but they are usable. The indoor flying has started and went off well. This meeting will be short .

We will be having a swap meet , sale, or what ever you want to call it. Bring your stuff to the

meeting and do what ever.

Don't forget indoor flying Dec. 2 Tinicum Dec. 17 Brookhaven 6:00 to 10:00

Thank you,  
Dick Seiwell

### **Agenda for December 13th Meeting At the Newtown Free Library:**

Doors open at 6:00 and the meeting starts at 6:30.

1. Membership Report
2. Finance Report
3. Show and Tell
4. Swap Meet

## Minutes of the Propstoppers model airplane club

**November 8, 2011 at the Middletown library**

The meeting was called to order at 6:35 PM by Vice-President Eric Hoffberg. Roll call by membership chair Ray Wopatek showed 15 members and 1 guest present. The treasurer's report was omitted in the absence of the treasurer. Minutes of the October meeting were approved as printed in the newsletter.

### Old Business:

The club welcomed the newly elected officers. We also thanked Dave Bevan who stepped down after many years of service and Eric who assumed his post as vice president. The indoor flying season has started at Tinicum and the Brookhaven gym. Flying continues at the Elwyn Field. Eric Hoffberg related that he spoke to a representative from Elwyn about a future air demonstration. He said that this would be possible in the spring when the weather improves.

### New Business:

President Dick Seiwell heard proposals and suggested we have a swap meet at the December meeting. He asked that people bring in items they would like to sell or trade.

### Show and Tell:

Dave Harding showed his defective flight pack that caused the crash of his Boehle's giant when the battery failed. He related that the battery showed a correct voltage of five but failed under load. He then showed the damaged wing center section that is now partially rebuilt. Eric Hoffberg showed his "octopus" charging connector that plugs into the bullet connector outlet of a charger and will connect to 19 different type of battery plugs.

Adjournment took place at 7:45 PM.

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2011-2012 Indoor Flying Season!

Tinicum:

6:30 - 9:30  
December 2nd,  
January 6th,  
February 3rd  
March 2nd.

Brookhaven:

6:30 - 9:30  
December 17th  
January 14th  
February 18th  
March 17th.

## Calendar of Events

### Club Meetings

**Monthly Meetings**  
Second Tuesday of the month.  
Newtown Free Library  
Next Meeting:

December 13th

**Tuesday Breakfast Meeting**  
Tom Jones Restaurant on Edgemont Avenue in Brookhaven.  
9 till 10 am. Just show up.  
Flying after at Chester Park 10 am.

### Regular Club Flying

At Christian Academy; Electric Only  
Monday through Friday 3 PM till dusk  
Saturday 10 am till dusk  
Sunday, after Church; 12 pm till dusk

### Special Club Flying

Saturday mornings 10 am  
Thursday evenings in the Summer  
Tuesday mornings 10 am weather permitting after breakfast at Chester Park.

Check our Yahoo Group for announcements;  
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/propstoppers/>

## **DON'T FORGET ABOUT THE SWAP MEET!**

At the next meeting on December 13th, we will be having a swap meet. Be sure to bring any planes, helis, controllers, tools, or accessories that you aren't using anymore.

Item's that you arent using could be turned into holiday cash!

