



An apology from your editor.

The standoff scale event reported last month was accurately dictated by the scribe but poorly typed by the editor. The Sorrell Hiperbipe listed came out as the Sorrell Hyperbole courtesy of some late night editing and some assumptions by the spell checker! Apologies for that inaccuracy.

It seems that the date for the August general meeting listed in the calendar changed from August 23 in the July issue to August 16 in the August issue. This caused a couple of members to miss the general meeting for which I am very sorry. HOWEVER I would like to point out that the revised date for the meeting **WAS WRITTEN IN BIG RED LETTERS** in the editorial **ON THE FRONT PAGE** so it would stand out. Please try to read the ENTIRE magazine as dates and changes are made occasionally that may effect you and I would not like you to miss out on anything.

Inaccuracies do creep in from time to time and I do my best to avoid them but its an occupational hazard.

Swapmeet Report

Last months meeting was very well attended due in no small part to the highly successful swap meet held afterward. Much dealing and haggling was done – and that was before the meeting! It took all of Peter White's powers of persuasion (plus a few threats) to get everyone in to the room for our monthly meeting! Thanks to all who brought goods for sale/trade and to those who came to browse. An idea was floated that we should hold these swapmeets more often so keep hunting through your surplus equipment for stuff you no longer want - you might get another opportunity to sell/trade/swap it in the future.

Once again I have been totally underwhelmed by offers to do the Slipstream editors job as well as the Website re-vamp. I believe the grounds keepers job is also still vacant. Two important jobs that you would all miss if they were not done so please consider having a go.

Troy Latto – Editor

latto@iprimus.com.au

KAMS INFRASTRUCTURE UPGRADE.

Past committees, two property development committees and a survey conducted some years ago confirmed property development should center and concentrate on providing improved model aircraft facilities and improved amenities for members participating in their activities when visiting the field. The current Committee is now acting on this general desire felt within the club. Previous options considered were a formal clubhouse, and or providing a facility for a rented property for some person(s) to reside on site were two issues, that were clearly ruled out by the membership.

Your Committee has been discussing the upgrade of the existing facilities for some time and with initial approval from the membership we have now moved to the stage where any development must be documented and positive action commenced.

It is this committees desire that as many members as possible participate in the design stage by providing their ideas or input to any property development that takes place within the club. With that objective in mind the opportunity is offered to all members to sketch your ideas suggestions or concepts on the drawing provided.

Attached is a dimensioned drawing showing the existing KAMS facilities.

Three primary objectives of this exercise are:

- 1 Increase the Model aircraft parking area.
2. Upgrade the existing shelter shed by providing an all- weather sealed vermin proof members amenities area.
- 3 Provide additional shade area over aircraft parking area.

As with all projects there are some limitations. In our case these limitations are:

1. We should not encroach onto the existing grassed flying area.
2. Our two bores behind the existing shelter shed must remain clear and accessible.
3. Proposed Pits/Shade area to be between the two existing covered pit areas.
4. Transmitter pound to remain as located and constructed.

Please lets have your input or ideas on a drawing and returned to the Committee prior to, or at the October general meeting. Committees generally are always mindful of the importance of establishing a suitable facility from which to operate and make full use of the tremendous land asset that we now own as a club. It is therefore vitally important that we continually review our options to appropriately utilise the potential available to us.

Neil Giggins

President

September 06 2006

(A drawing of the current facility for you to submit ideas on has been included in the email or pinned to the back of this Magazine. Please comment and return ASAP. Use committee or canteen communication box. - ED)

FROM THE EXECUTIVE....

Minutes of KAMS General Meeting held on 16th August at the RAAFA Estate, Bullbreek

Opened at 8.05 pm with 39 members present.

Minutes of meeting held 19 July 06 taken as published. **Moved** Troy Latto **seconded** Eric Gooch and CRD

Correspondence

IN : from SWARMS- copy of proposal for MAAA to buy land.
from SWARMS- copy of letter to AWA, answering queries raised at last AWA meeting.

OUT: to AWA advising of new Gold and Bronze Wing holders. To AWA CFI-names for next Instructors school.

Finance: At 1st July

Opening Balance	30984.95
Income	11899.00
Expenditure	21846.34
Balance at 31 July c/fwd	21037.61
Transfer to Maxi Account	10000.00
Maxi Account now	14846.88

That outstanding bills for spraying and sand be paid. **Moved** Margaret Pettigrew **Seconded** Frank Jensen. **Carried**

Wings

Gold to Roy Scott and Kevin Meakins

Bronze to David Scorer, Mick Langeveld and Les Wyee.

General Business New members welcomed were Don Tester, Brett Shoebridge, Mark and Bozica Malekin who were members in 2002.

* **SWARMS field**- Secretary made phone call and President received copy of letter from Theo Merrifield who sits on MAAA Field Purchase Committee. The letter contained information about the things KAMS had queried, so that we needed to look at the proposal again. **Moved** Troy Latto **seconded** Harry Aarts that the majority vote taken at 19/7 meeting be rescinded. Motion **carried**. **Moved** Clinton West **seconded** Ken Greaves that an MAAA funded state field be established at SWARMS site Capel. **Carried**.

* **Buckmaster Trophy**- Flight sheet explained and members told forms were available in canteen. See article in July Slipstream.

* **Noise Meter**- a quote of \$1000 obtained. A second quote from WACB sought, to be told that they would donate a meter to KAMS. This announcement brought applause, the Proprietor of WACB flies at WAMASC and has flown at KAMS.

* **Vic Longbon Memorial Award**- Ian Johnson has arranged for a print of Vic's painting be made to be framed to take nameplates of recipients. Smaller photo, framed to be kept by winner.

* **Planning of field facility improvements**- map not available at meeting, but will be available in Slipstream and at the field, for members to offer ideas.

* **Bill Pettigrew** commented on the recent change to the Calendar proposed by the Pylon SIG to change a fixture at short notice. The change was contrary to Rule 7.8 June 2005 Slipstream. It was agreed that the rules of KAMS be abided by in the future.

* **Question** raised about the run off area at each side of the take off surface be improved by filling in ditches. Committee will talk to Field Manager as soon as he is appointed-any takers?

Meeting Closed at 9.15pm: Swap Meet followed after meeting- lots of looking but not much buying going on. **Next meeting is on 20th September at 8pm at RAAFA estate, Bullcreek.**

KAMS Committee Meeting held September 4 2006 At the home of Neil Giggins.

Present- Neil Giggins, Ken Wansbrough, Peter White, Ian Dixon, Joe Luxford Tim, Kullack.

Correspondence

IN : Nil
OUT : Nil

Finance:

Opening balance	\$20637.00
Income	\$4770.00
Expenditure	\$3455.60
Balance c/fwd 31/7	\$21952
Maxi Account balance now	\$14909.92

Wings: Bronze Wings to Graham Dorizzi

Calendar:

20/9	KAMS meeting	8pm
2/10	Committee meeting	8pm
7/10	Pylon	1-5pm
22/10	Warbirds over Mundijong	9am
28-29/10	Field Maintenance	no flying
12/11	F/f Scramble AWA event	4-5 PM
16/12	Christmas BBQ	4 PM Onward

General Business:

New members: Adam Bassett (Junior) application

Building planning- Planning group has discussed several options, and asks for members to suggest their ideas. A plan of present facilities will be available to members in Slipstream for their input. Main requirement is to improve the amenities area for members, and to increase the pits area and shading for aircraft. Your input and ideas is valuable to the project and should be submitted by the October general meeting.

Membership: is 115 and for those who have not yet paid their fees, letter will be sent asking them to renew, or declare their intention towards the Society.

Christmas BBQ note the change of date. It will be on the 16/12 Saturday afternoon, starting about 4PM with a fly-in and fire up the goodies.

Field Maintenance- Lots of helpers are needed for this job. Contractors will do verti-mowing and spread sand, but for those other jobs your help is wanted. Work like clearing rubbish, move stumps from driveway, clear sprinklers etc.

2.4 Ghz equipment policy. A question was raised re: use of this equipment. MAAA has approved use of one TX/RX. Also recommend use of identifying key. Discussed situation but no firm KAMS policy established at this stage. Manufacturers do not advise flying Park flyer models with regular sport R/C aircraft due to limited range of 2.4Ghz equip. Ref. To MAAA web page <http://www.maaa.asn.au/mop.html> for full info.

Next committee meeting 02 October 2006.

Picture Pages..

As promised, here are some pics taken at last months standoff scale event.



Ken's dart Kitten..



P51D ready for bomber escort..



Sorell Hiperbipe. Do the doors really open that far forward?? What a great idea! Make entry/exit much easier in full size version..



Judging the Fokker.. Richard Bloor under scrutiny.



Garth and his Rare Bear..



The Brains trust..

I am hoping that someone will do a potted article on the basics of standoff scale so more people will know what it takes to be competitive in this event and thus help increase numbers- HINT HINT!!! - ED

Some Photo's from the large scale event held at WAMASC Last Month Courtesy of Frank Jensen..



A lovely Eindecker..



Sopwith Pup..



The lineup..looks like you had a beautiful day for it guys!!

Scale Model's aint Noise Pollution...

Most of you probably know Mark McEntee as the cool dude who makes the hot scale models but for 30 something's like me, Mark will always be THE man behind one of the greatest Australian rock bands ever – The Divinyls. Recently, Mark was honored by his peers with an induction in to the ARIA Hall of Fame and this piece was written in The West Australian on the 11th of August to mark the occasion. Congrats from everyone at KAMS, Mark!



Mark swaps his guitar for a transmitter..

WARBIRDS OVER MUNDIJONG



In Memory of Vic Longbon
1945 - 2006

K.A.M.S.

10am SUNDAY OCTOBER 22nd 2006

All WARBIRDS Welcome!

- SCALE • STAND OFF • FUN SCALE • ARF
- No Contest • No Entry Fee

OPEN TO ALL CURRENT MAAA LICENCE HOLDERS - PROOF REQUIRED.

FOR FURTHER DETAILS CONTACT: IAN JOHNSON 9387 8730 OR ROSS DUNCAN 9293 2864

An important message to the KAMS Community....

Bored? Sick of the same old stuff on the Telly? Need to take your mind off the humdrum of your daily life? Well, if you want action, laughter, excitement and the company of good people then look no further than the company of your fellow modelers at the Monthly KAMS General Meeting!!!

Its got everything: Drama, angst, humor and above all good fellowship! Come on down to the Airforce Memorial estate on Bullcreek Drive in Bullcreek on the third Wednesday of every month to experience the highs, lows and drama's of what its like to run a large, profitable and successful sporting organization.



**Good food! Free Beer! Dancing Girls!
Fabulous Prizes to be won!**

(well not really – but they are idea's you are free to express at the meeting!!! We CAN guarantee a free cup of Coffee or Tea and maybe some biscuits...)

Just follow the map and be there at 8.00pm for the best time you can have at a constitutionally sanctioned event!!

This message brought to you by those who are working on your behalf to keep you flying at the best field in the best Aeromodeling club in Western Australia. Why not show them you appreciate it by participating in the operation of YOUR club?

KAMS Calendar for 2006.

September

2	Sat	IMAC	1 – 5pm
4	Mon	Committee Meeting	8pm
16	Sat	COMBAT	1 – 5pm
20	Wed	General Meeting	8pm

October

2	Mon	Committee Meeting	8pm
7	Sat	PYLON	1 – 5pm
18	Wed	General Meeting	8pm
21	Sat	GLIDER	1 – 5pm
22	Sun	WARBIRDS	day
27	Fri	FIELD MAINT	day
28	Sat	FIELD MAINT	day
29	Sun	FIELD MAINT	day

November

4	Sat	PYLON	1 – 5pm
6	Mon	Committee Meeting	8pm
15	Wed	General Meeting	8pm
12	Sun	FF SCRAMBLE	4 – 5pm
18	Sat	IMAC	1 – 5pm
26	Sun	GLIDER, STATE	day

December

3	Sun	SCALE RALLY	day
4	Mon	Committee Meeting	8pm
9	Sat	GLIDER	1 – 5pm
16	Sat	Twilite BBQ and fly-in	4pm
20	Wed	General Meeting	8pm

Trading Post..

One Thunder Tiger Pro-25 motor NEVER USED \$120.00.

LOST VIDEO

I have a video that someone in KAMS lent me a couple of years ago and I cannot remember who it belongs to.

It's titled RADIO CONTROL FLIGHT ACROSS THE NULLARBOR PLAIN and is a movie about a 420 km flight across the Nullarbor.

If this is your video please contact Chris Jones, Home 9354 4213 or Mob: 0413 707 040.

Phone: Chris Jones 9354 4213 evenings or 0413 707 040 anytime. 9455 1222 Business hours.

Dago Red pylon racer: Comes with servo's, battery pack YS .45 (pumped) two stroke and aluminum spinner. Proven thoroughbred racing machine molded and constructed by Garry Turna. Just add Receiver and race! **\$320**

Prather Little Toni kit: .15 size, partially built. Comes with plans and hardware. Price includes mvvs.15 two stroke **\$120**

Skull Bandit Open Combat model: Comes with Servo's, battery, fuel tank and Webra .32. Just add Receiver **\$180**

OS .46 FX: Totally clapped out, good for spares **\$30**

OS .15LA: 2 to choose from. Good for sport twin project or combat model. **\$40 ea**

Contact: Troy Latto 9317 3269 evenings or email latto@iprimus.com.au

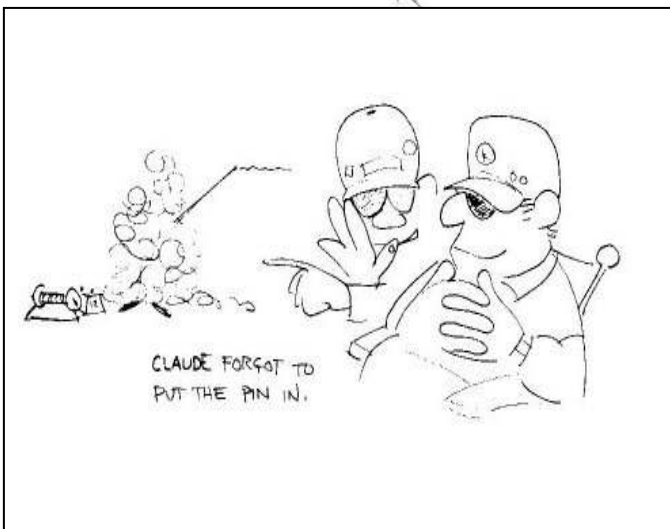
KAMS Merchandise – Price list and ordering info

Sleeveless Jackets	\$33.00
Polo Shirts	\$20.00
Caps	\$10.00
Broad brim hats	\$10.00
KAMS Metal badges	\$3.00
KAMS Cloth patches	\$5.50

Delivery will be made at the field when received from the supplier. Delivery time will vary depending on availability of items, sizes etc.

Payment strictly cash on delivery. Time Payment, Credit Card or Lay-by service is not available.

Please print and fill out an order form and return it to the committee so your order can be filled as quickly as possible.



SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

As you may be aware, several special interest groups operate within the KAMS infrastructure. These groups cover a variety of aeromodelling disciplines and welcome enquiries from new and existing KAMS members.

Contact names:

RC Scale

Ken Wansborough

RC Pylon Racing

Joe Luxford

RC Combat

Joe Luxford

RC Glider

Tim Kullack

IMAC (aerobatics)

Hans Bertina

RC Old Timer and Free Flight

Ian Dixon

RC Turbine

Neil Giggins

Gary Turna

FLIGHT INSTRUCTION

If you are a new member or just need to brush up on some skills, KAMS has a group of qualified instructors that are available to assist you. Please contact your committee members to discuss your training requirements.

WEBSITE

KAMS now has a website online. Pick up the latest info as well as back issues of Slipstream from:

<http://www.kams.org.au>

GENERAL MEETINGS

KAMS General Meetings are conducted on the third Wednesday of every month at **The RAAF Association Bullcreek Drive, Bullcreek**. The meeting room is on the left under the Spitfire. Meetings start at 8pm and usually run for an hour. ***All members should aim to attend as many meetings as possible in order to have their say on matters affecting the club.***

CANTEEN:

Malcolm Retallack (Manager): 0418 943 539

Hours: 08:00 – 14:00 Or until members stop buying.

SLIPSTREAM DEADLINE: Wednesday prior to monthly meeting. Submissions by email in unformatted text. Pictures un-cropped.

Your Committee for 2006/2007

President: Neil Giggins

Telephone: 08 92932735

Email: nrg7@ausconnect.net

Secretary: Ken Wansborough

Telephone: 08 9291 6327

Treasurer: Peter White

Telephone: 08 9456 4800

Email: PLEVALLEY@bigpond.com.au

Committee Member: Tim Kullack

Telephone: 08 9339 7275

Email: timk@perthrecruit.com.au

Committee Member: Joe Luxford

Telephone: 08 93163202

Email: jluxford@luxford.com.au

Committee Member: Ian Dixon

Telephone: 08 94382934

Email: i.dixon@colonialsg.com.au

Slipstream Editor/Webmaster: Troy Latto

Telephone: 08 9317 3269

Email: latto@iprimus.com.au

Safety Officer: Herr Malcolm Retallack

Telephone 0418 943 539

Grounds Manager / AWA rep : TBA

Detach this page, fill out the relevant info and return them separately or together to the committee or place in the canteen message box at the flying field.



I would like to apply to be an RC Flying Instructor. I am prepared to instruct the following flying disciplines: (please tick as many as you require).

- RC Power
- RC Glider
- RC Helicopter

Name: _____ MAAA: _____

Committee Member _____ Position _____ MAAA: _____



KAMS Merchandise Order Form

Shirt sizes are S,M,L,XL, XXL. Caps are one size fits all. State head circumference in CM for Broad brim hats

Item	Unit Price	Size	Quantity	Sub Total
Shirts	\$20.00			
Caps	\$10.00			
Broad brim hats.	\$10.00			
KAMS Metal badges	\$3.00			
KAMS Cloth patches	\$5.50			
Total				

Name _____ Contact : _____ Date of Order _____