

# The Monthly Newsletter of the Eugene RC Aeronauts Flying Club



# RC AEROGRAM

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*Deadline for next edition: November 11, 2024, before the Tuesday, November 19th meeting*



Next Club Meeting – Saturday, October 19, 2024,  
1pm, At the Flying Field



## From Our President

Hi All,

We are beginning to see fall in the trees, and the warm, dry days we have enjoyed will soon give way to the briskness and wetness of what makes Oregon green!

We have taken in some donations in the last month that we would like to make available to club members to purchase at very desirable prices. There are kits,

engines, and planes, finished or not, but also we have a variety of finishing tools, and supply items too varied to list. Some of the airplanes were recently donated by a long-time member, Gerald Johnstone, who is a master at building airplanes. It was an honor to forward these to benefit our club. I am listing them on the club Facebook page. Thank you, Gerald, for the lovely planes!

I have just been "invited" to pick up more items tomorrow from another club, so you can get a "pre-start" on your next project!

We were able to get the southwest corner of our field tilled, and Jim Corbett has spent many hours smoothing it out. Soon, some fertilizer and grass seed will be in order!

If you have any scare-crow (or scare elk) building abilities, let me know!

Our next club meeting will be on Oct 19th, at the flying field, so plan on flying what you have, and we will enjoy Dave Thomas's Burger skills!

Tailwinds til you get there,  
Rog

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# Secretary and Treasurers report

## Martin Booth

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### ERCA Members 2024

#### Officers:

**President: Roger Dahl**  
**Vice President: Al Barrington**  
**Secretary/Treasurer: Martin Booth**  
**Safety Officer: Sam Hiatt**

As of September 13, 2024: 62 Members renewed

Anderson, Wally	Graham, Mel	Risbrough, John
Bailey, Aaron	Gutierrez, Samar	Schiltz, Don
Bell, Cecil	Hansen, Augustus	Shay, Tristan
Bergeron, Rick	Hansen, Donnel	Sinclair, Dan
Blain, Frank	Hiner, Kurt	Smith, Gary
Bruckner, Cale	Hoard, Wayne	Stuart, Jim
Burgess, Mike	Hokenson, Ron	Thomas, Dave
Carlstrom, Dave	Johnston, Gerald	Thomas, James
Carmichael, Jesse	Lee, Mike	Thompson, AJ
Clark, Jefferson	Leavitt, Lester	Von Moos, Larry
Clark, Shaun	Lutz, Jeff	Webster, Wade
Cook, Doyle	Madison, Rod	Werneth, Brad
Corbett, James	Mattox, Monty	Williams, Dale
Dalebout, Anthony	McClellan, Gary	Willis, Hudson
Edwards, Warren	Milbrett, Ken	Willis, Oliver
Fenner, Dave	Monsen, Samuel	Willis, Pat
Firth, Peter	O'Donnell, Chuck	Wilson, Kyle
Funk, Brian	Ostlind, Ben	Wilson, Sean
Funk, Robert	Ostlind, Brian	Winz, Roger
Giessen, Mark	Petrie, John	Yarbrough, GERAL
Goracke, Carl	Rawson, Paul	

### Treasurers Report October 2024

Balance:	September 13th, 2024	<b>\$9,171.17</b>
Expenses:	BBQ Supplies (Club Meeting)	\$128.64
	Rototilling of swamp area	\$440.00
	Above All Sanitation - monthly service	\$120.51
	Field maintenance expenses - Jim	\$481.14
	<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$1,170.29</b>
Income:	BBQ Donations (Club Meeting)	\$112.00
	Donations for plane sales	\$295.00
	<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$407.00</b>
Balance:	October 11th, 2024	<b>\$8,407.88</b>

Hello friends,

Here are the notes from the finance and admin side of the club this month:

- No change to club membership this month.
- A renewal form for 2025 membership will be available on the club

website on 11/1/2024.

- Jim claimed \$481.14 for field supplies for July through September. Over \$400 of which was gas for the mowers and pump.
- An updated PDF brochure has been posted to the club info page on the website.
- The AMA have approved our application to regain "Leader Club" status at the Silver level. A new certificate should be arriving soon!

Thanks,  
Martin



### Safety Sam says . . .

**Make sure we are driving the 10mph speed limit on the gravel to keep the dust down and slow the formation of potholes. Thank you. Sam Hiatt, Safety Officer**



## Field Maintenance Jim Corbett

Email to: [james.corbett@comcast.net](mailto:james.corbett@comcast.net)



Oct 10 Field care/News

Swamp rototilled, now in the process of smoothing it and then will seed it.

### Coming Events: Save these dates

- **October 19 – Saturday at the field. Food at noon, meeting at 1pm**
- **November 19 – Tuesday at River Rd Abbys, 7pm.**
- **December – No Meeting**

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**Happy Birthday!**  
**To all members**  
**born in the**  
**month of**  
**October**