

# TRI COUNTY RC CLUB

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## TCRC Events: *This Weekend*

Tri-County R/C Club  
will be having its third  
Club Class Pattern Fun Fly (for its members)

— NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED —

*The last time we had this event everyone had a great time.*

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Saturday November 16th</li> <li>• Rain Date: Sunday Nov 17th</li> <li>• Pilots meeting and registration at 9:30</li> <li>• Flying starts at 10: 00</li> <li>• Three rounds to be flown</li> <li>• Maneuver call sheets and callers will be provided.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Landing fee \$5.00 (to be used toward food and beverages) for pilots</li> <li>• 50/50 raffle</li> <li>• Any fixed wing aircraft that you are comfortable flying will do.</li> </ul> |
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List of Maneuvers to Practice and hopefully fly in Sequence.

1. Take off (upwind)
2. Straight flight out ( upwind)
3. Procedure turn (Turnaround)
4. Straight flight back (downwind)
5. Stall Turn (upwind)
6. Immelmann turn (upwind)
7. 45 degree up-line (upwind)
8. Straight Inverted Flight (downwind)
9. Two inside loops (upwind)
10. Landing Sequence ( Upwind)



## Club Meeting

Next meeting is **Thursday, December 12, 2019**  
**8:00 p.m.**

## Monroe First Aid Squad Building

47 Monmouth Rd.,  
Monroe Township, NJ

**Some events for this years flying events include:**

**November 16th , Pattern Fun fly.**

## NO Meeting in November

**"Night Flying"**, Once per month  
Its on the 2nd Saturday night.  
Contact Rich McDonald if you have any questions. 917-860-5313  
Or [rmcdonald@pr6.com](mailto:rmcdonald@pr6.com)



**Officer Elections** will take place at the January 2020 meeting. John Donnelly and Alex Szemere can be contacted if you want to place your name on the ballot.  
All positions are open.

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## Report on the Halloween Fun fly. *By Mike D and BG*

Hey Guys,

For those who could not make it to Pulda on Saturday, October 19th for the Summers Over—Halloween Thingy Fun Fly I think it was a great day. Between the weather, good food and flying all the attendees had a great time. There was plenty of Trick or Treat candy on the tables and a few inflatable characters in the pit area.

Prizes were given out to Kevin T. and Peter D. for their costumes, they each got \$20.00. Kevin's ghost buster costume included a great looking ghost capturing backpack that he made from a 3-D printer. It was quite elaborate and Kevin said "it took about 8 days to create". There were about 8 or more crashes that day, some were epic and some are on video.

The next "crash of the month" at Decembers meeting will be full of candidates.

Mike D is quoted as saying "*Although I had two big ones, I vote for Eric for the biggest "Oh Sh\*t and Mr. K for the "who's car did I hit"*".



The streamer cut event is always an interesting thing with a few planes cutting the streamer and taking out other planes, (un-intentionally of course). At one point I counted 7 planes all criss-crossing the sky trying to cut the streamer. Very Exciting!!!

There was abundant food and refreshment for the members. Gerry R and Bill P did a nice job in the food tent.

Pictured below is a group shot of all the pilots. It was a great turnout.

(More pictures on page 3.)



Photo by Amy Jones

Great turnout of pilots and planes.



Chief of Aerial Shenanigans Mike D and Kevin (ghostbuster) Teschner



Ghost capturing machine (backpack) and gun are made with 3D printer



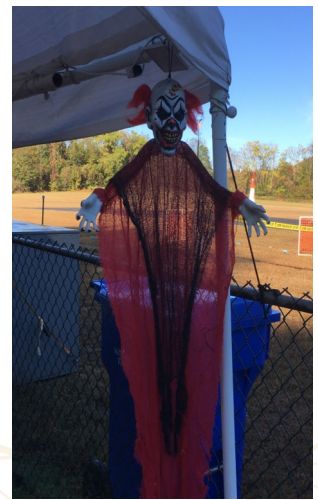
Muze showing off his skills.



Peter D. came in costume.



Mr/K looks on as Mike preps his tow plane.



Two nice Planes just prior to their demise.



This is what happens when you try and watch someone else's plane and not your own.

### Training Report: Unofficial

Frank J on the right, is giving Amy Jones, in the center, some flight time with the buddy box. Tony C on the right is helping.



### Brand New, In the Box FOR SALE

Bill Patterson has a eFlite Cherokee for Sale. The plane is the 1.3m, bind and fly. This plane is a great addition to anyone's hangar and looks great in the air. It also has working navigation lights.

Contact Bill Patterson at 732-310-9968, or e-mail him at [ufpatterson704@verizon.net](mailto:ufpatterson704@verizon.net)



### SAFETY FIRST

Always store LiPo batteries in a fire-safe container.

### Welcome New Members

Gary Meyer from South Amboy

Ron Mieszkowski from East Brunswick

Anthony Caffaro, rejoined, living in South Amboy



Club Hats are available thanks to Frank Jones. Purchases can be made at each meeting and the cost is \$15.00 each. Only a few left. Contact Gerry R.

### Reminders:

- Membership Dues will start being collected at the February meeting.
- Be sure your AMA and FAA is current.



The grounds maint equipment (Zamboni) shed has been completed and has easily removable covers on both side, as installed by Frank J.

Thanks to all the team that custom built a superb storage shed.

# Still For Sale : Great Bargains

**Gerry Contrabasso** has a few glo -fuel planes along with tools, fuel , coverings, radios, etc. that he is looking to sell.

He also lists a 40 size Stick with a 70 size 4 stroke OS engine that has never been flown with a new computer radio that has never been used.

Mr Contrabasso also has some 4 stroke engines, Saito and OS Engines that have been meticulously kept safe in original boxes and never crashed.

Gerry is unable to drive, so the buyer must pick up the merchandize at his house.

Gerry's email is [gcontrabasso@yahoo.com](mailto:gcontrabasso@yahoo.com) or phone him at 609-395-7274 and leave a message.

His home is a 18 Merlot Ct. Monroe Township, NJ 08831



*Goldberg Tiger 2, 61" wingspan, OS70-4 stroke, 5 servos, Futaba radio, 5 channel, Additional 2 gal glow fuel, glo plugs.*



*Great Planes Super Sportster 60, with OS 90-4 stroke, wing span of 60" Futaba radio 4 channel radio/FM, 5 servos, covered in 21 century covering.*

Over the past 30 years, Gerry has a vast collection of building tools, engines and accessories that he would like to sell.

Paints, Coverings  
Tach, Prop Balancer  
Higley prop nuts, spinners  
Wheels, landing gear,  
Glo starter clips,  
Futaba Servos  
Elec starters, (Standard and heavy duty)

2 Saito 50 4 stroke engines  
1 Saito 80 4 stroke engine ( golden rockers)  
1 Enya 50 CX 2 cycle engine  
1 Enya 60 X 2 cycle engine  
Great Planes CG machine  
Hi Tech X1 AC/Plus multi charger  
MonoKote perforator tool  
Great Planes hinge slotting tool ( electric)  
Buzzard Bombshell kit in box (60 in wingspan)

Academy Model of Aeronautics  
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