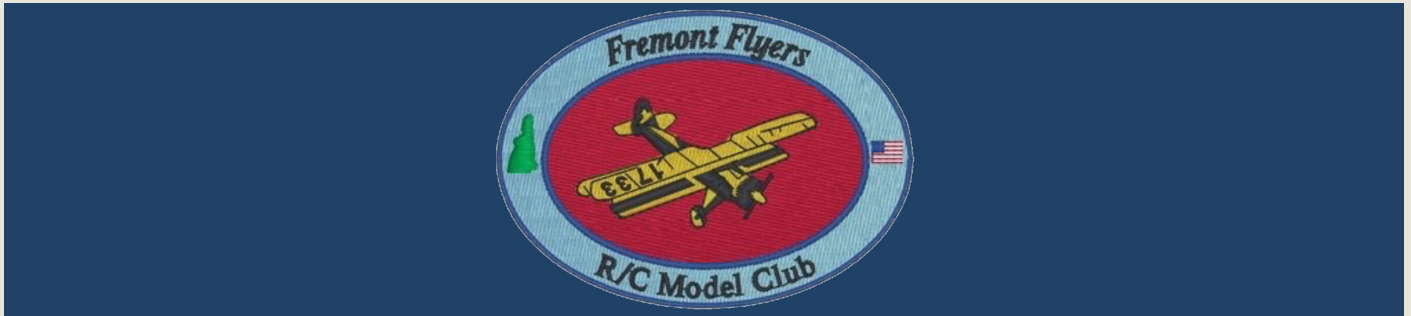


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Membership News

The club's officer elections are coming up! Voting at the next meeting will take place. Only one position will have two people to select from, all others will be unopposed however write-ins are still possible if desired. We hope everyone interested will come place votes and keep our club running with the best people in place!

If you know anyone looking to join please have them fill out the application on our website and payment is available there or check can be brought to the field or sent to Wayne Watjus for dues.

www.FremontFlyers.com

find the Brochure/Application page in the drop down menu



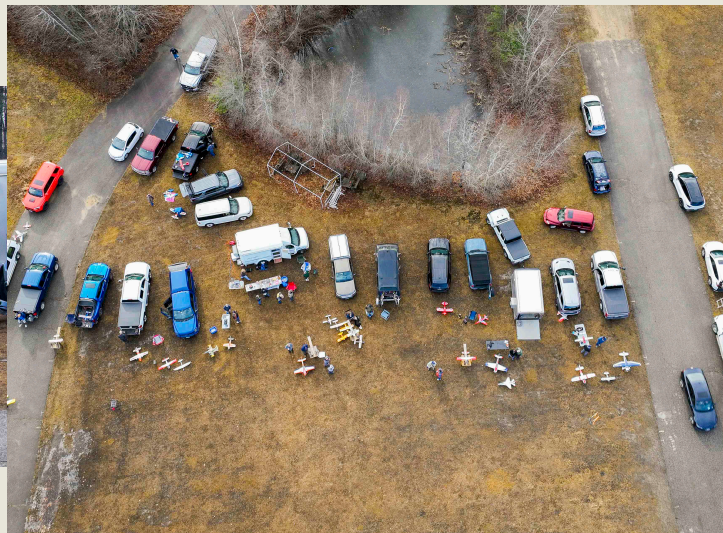
Field News

- **Dragway report:** The race season has come to a close! We are still open to fly there, this just means we won't have to worry about being turned away due to a race scheduled. 9:00AM-4:00PM weekdays it will be available as usual.
- **Petersons report:** The field is looking good, minor repair made to electric fence areas where clips were missing and a short was found. Thank you to everyone who has been mowing and maintaining it. We are always proud of the way it looks and it's usefulness without struggles. Grass isn't growing much more and the field will be seeing less traffic in the upcoming months so we can all refocus effort on annual maintenance soon.
- **Indoor flying!!** We are up and running at the Seacoast indoor soccer field again! We are maintaining last year's schedule of 9:00AM until 1:00PM on Tuesdays and Thursdays. If weather conditions make it difficult or unsafe it may not be open so check with Wayne or any officer before driving any long distances to get there. It will be \$10 to fly and also monthly passes will be available soon to save \$\$ if you are a frequent indoor flyer. Working on nights and a weekend day hopefully in the near future. TBD but we are trying!

New News!

Frozen Finger Event planning to begin!

We are beginning planning for our annual Frozen Finger event on January 1st in 2026 at the New England Dragway site. We hold this amazing event each year as a way for all of us to get out and brave the cold (sometimes not so cold) and see everyone while we tend to be hibernating. It is usually club members and their closest friends but we had quite a few newcomers show at the last one and it was a great time. Tell your friends and family and lets top the numbers of our fall fun fly! Everyone is welcome, new or seasoned. We do have competitions that anyone can participate in, however, aircraft tend to get a bit bruised up so don't plan on using the pride of your fleet in these. Limbo contests (we have to see if we can beat Wayne this year), winter project showcases, and we are scheming up a few more. Not to take away from the free flying time but enough to add some thrills and hand out some trophies. Pot luck style food is welcome, we will have a set plan as to how food will be provided by the next news letter in December, our last "Fremont Flyer" until April! Winter is almost here but lets get out and enjoy it at least once at the Frozen Finger!



What is the Outreach Team Doing?

Pease Thunder Over New Hampshire Highlights!



Bob Sgroi's custom paint scheme on his Coast Guard C-130 came out better than any store bought model would. Fantastic addition for the static show and hope it flies as good as it looks Bob!



Doug Thompson (me) showing off an EDF Blue Angel model to the actual Blue Angel pilot in #7 taxiing by, got a thumbs up!



Staged and ready to go for over 35,000 people Saturday. Rain made crowds smaller Sunday, and Friday was Military friends and family day so a bit smaller crowd outside of Saturday. An estimated 80,000 people all together that we were able to showcase our planes, our faces, our clubs, and our message to. We made an impact undoubtedly.

Some audience members came to the front row to grab our attention and say hi because they recognized our team from other events and were excited to see us again. We put on a heck of a show and flew everything from helicopters, to trainers, to warbirds making sure everyone knew our hobby can be affordable and is accessible and interesting to everyone!





**The Team's next planned outing is at Natick High school
Taking place November 19th from 2:15-3:15PM**

We will be building small gliders (FPG9) with two classes of students who are excited to have us come show them the basics of flight and building. For more details reach out to me, Doug Thompson, and I can fill you in on anything you need to know in getting there and helping out. Just need a set of hands and eyes and means to get there and the rest is taken care of! Hope some of you can make it!!

Reminder that dues are due for next year's membership. Pay now and you are all set through December 31, 2026! Some have paid already, thank you, but if you still need to you can do so easily on our site via PayPal or by giving the amount due to Wayne personally. Preferred method is online as it updates your membership status automatically for the club for our records (and you can rest assured Wayne didn't spend it on more Foam Tac for indoor flying). :P

**Next Club Meeting
November 17th
6:30PM-8:00PM
151 Main St. Epping, NH
-Epping Town Library-**