



The Geelong Flyer

NEWSLETTER February 2006

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

From the Prez,

Hope everyone has had an excellent holiday period & that you had a fantastic festive season taking full advantage of the opportunity to recharge your batteries and greet 2006 in fine form.

Many of you including myself who have started back at work already know the holiday couldn't last forever.

Not much to add this time around, although it is disheartening to find out over the Xmas break at Dog Rocks we still have a member who thinks he has the right to help himself to property that belongs to the club. These are items that a generous member has brought along to be made available for the clubs use. We still have not been able to retrieve the missing gas bottle taken some months ago it seems that someone has decided to remove the clock from the shed out at Dog Rocks.

Any further events such as these will result in termination of that persons GMAA membership

Until next time
Happy Landings
Felix Agius
GMAA President

Next meetings, 21st February, 2006 & 21st March, 2006.

Birthdays for January

James Burton
John Ferris
James Fuller
Shane Keddie
Robert Lauder
Brian Munns
John Pullen



Happy Birthday & Best Wishes to our GMAA Members

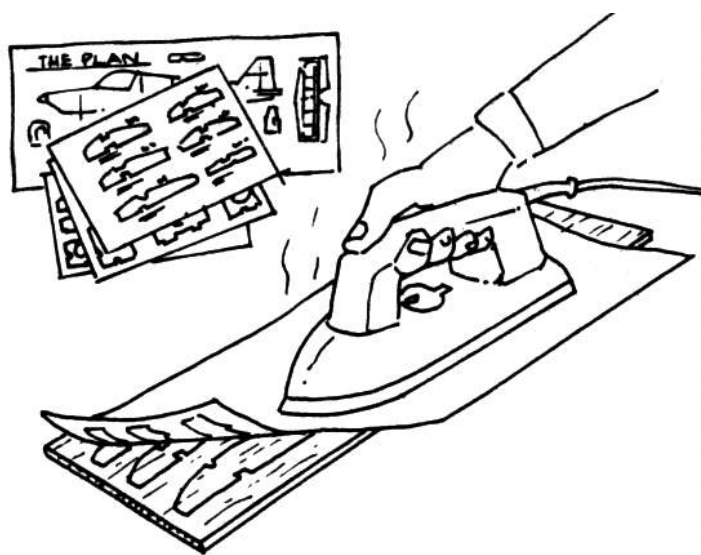
Apologies if I have missed any one, if I have please let John Weston know and we can then update our records

USEFUL HINT

PLAN PRINTING ON BALSA OR PLYWOOD

From the plan, photocopy (with a Xerox type photo copier that is, NOT a Computer Ink Jet Printer) the parts required to be cut (make sure there are no distortions).

Lay the copies onto the timber face down and use a hot iron on the back of the copy to transfer the sketch. (The photocopy toner is made of carbon which is reactivated by the heat from the iron).



Many thanks to Tony Cauchi for this article.

Important

New Postal Address for all correspondence :

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From the Editor

Hello, once again I hope everyone has had a chance to go flying after Christmas. Unfortunately I have not had a chance as I am waiting for a new front wheel for my Cessna.

I am also getting ready of our wedding which is in early March. Which brings me to another point - We will be on our honeymoon in Tassy when the next newsletter is due so unfortunately we will not be able to get the March newsletter out so please forgive me (I've had a better offer).

Here are some photo's from our Christmas BBQ.

See you at the field.
Deano

How many men does it take to put aeroplane together ???

Don't forget the monthly BBQ on the Saturday after each club Meeting held at alternating fields.

February's BBQ will be held at Dog Rocks.

Gold coin donation

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Just a reminder
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NO flying on Fire Ban Days

ALL MEMBERS PLEASE NOTE

Can all members please read GMAA Club Rules dated 16th November as they have been amended to include important changes regarding crystals changing and requirement of Bronze Wings for pilots.

Next Meeting

Meetings will be held on the third Tuesday of each month, the Venue -
 Geelong East Uniting Church
 Cnr of Boundary Rd & Ormond Rd
 East Geelong
 8:00pm
 Entry is via Boundary Rd, Church car park.

Contributions Always Welcome

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EVENT CALENDER



Feb 5	Old Timer	Wesburn
11/12	Old Timer Annual Fly-In	Leopold
19	Scale Rally	Kyneton
25/26	Pattern Aerobatics	Mannerim
Mar 4/5	Two Day Fun Fly	Warrnambool
19	Keilor Open Day	Keilor
26	Float Fly In	Wesburn
Apr 1/2	Annual Display	Ballarat
8/9	VMAA Trophy	Pakenham
15/17	Aust. Masters Pattern	Shepparton
30	Sport Scale	Ballarat

More events can be found on the VMAA Website.

