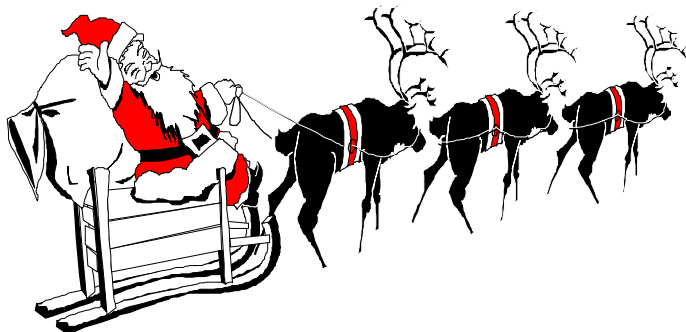


Merry Christmas

December Meeting

Erik opened the meeting and noted the following:-

- New for 2000, Glider meet with Hanspeter Keller and Frank Pilih.
- Jim Eichenberg's Frozen Finger Fly on Jan 1st, 2000. This event has an "official" start of 12 Noon but the event will commence at 11am. As usual, no Electrics!!! We would like to see a good showing to usher in the new Millennium.
- The OMFC February Swap will be listed in MAAC for February 6th [10am to 4pm] and other area clubs have been notified so, hopefully, we will have a good turn out.
- Don't forget....OMFC requires a late fee after December 31st!!
- Next OMFC meeting date January 10th, 2000.



Erik then introduced Mark Murphy from Loctite Canada who proceeded to give us a talk on adhesives and threadlocking. The talk, scheduled for 30 minutes, went on for almost one and a half hours and was very informative, with loads of questions being asked. His discussion ventured into the types of products out there for threadlocking, gasket formation and the super glues [CA's]. Mark left some brochures and advised that we could buy the products at Industrial distributors, as the products were not sold at the retail level. I went to the Canadian Tire store on Burnhamthorpe Road West last week and, to my surprise, picked up the gasket and threadlocking adhesives he was talking about in the small 6ml and 30ml sizes, under the brand name Loctite Permatex...on one of the tubes only the Permatex name was shown.....this is more convenient than going to Industrial distributors who will not be enthusiastic about us trying to pick up 6ml tubes! Anyone who missed the meeting and is interested in finding out about adhesives and their uses can contact Loctite at 1-800-849-9412 or visit their web site..... www.loctite.com .

The meeting was then adjourned.

Attendance was a little better this month with some 56 members in attendance.



OMFC 1999/2000 Executive

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Upcoming Events

We have few firm dates as yet!

- Frozen Finger Fly at the North field, 11am January 1st, 2000.
- January meeting date ...Monday the 10th!!
- IMAC Contest Erik Genzer
- OMFC Airshow Dan Morgan
- Pattern Contest Jim Eichenberg
- Electric Fun Fly John McNicol
- Tri-Club Rally Bert Armstrong
- Scale Model Rally Al Farmaner
- Glider Meet Hanspeter Keller

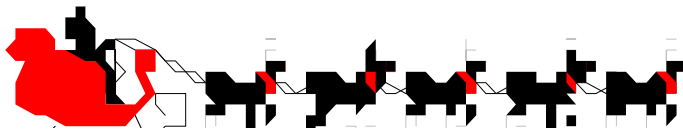


Items For Sale

- 1 New "in the box" Saito .65 4 Stroke.....\$195.00
- 2 SIG Cougar aircraft complete with .46 Thunder Tiger 2 Stroke and new Futaba 4 channel FM radio, including servos and receiver.....\$475.00
- 3 Aeromaster Bipe with new .48 O.S. 4 Stroke, complete with Airtronics PCM 6 channel radio, including servos and receiver.....\$475.00

All nice stuff!!! If you know Nick.....you know it's good! Give him a call, negotiate.....tell him you are down to your last penny.....make him cry and make a great deal!

Contact Nick Semenuk @ 338-1820



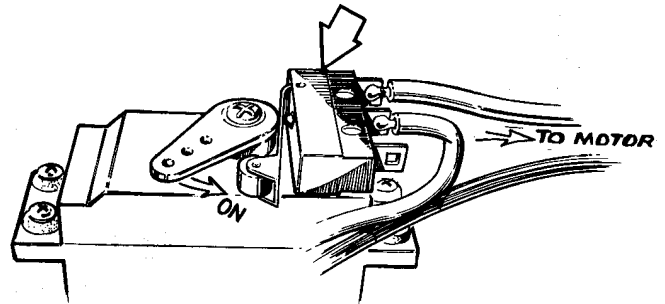
- 1 New "i n the box" O.S. .91 4 Stroke.....\$250.00
- 2 Norseman Beaver Aircraft, half built.....\$100.00
- 3 Futaba Conquest Radio FP-T5NLP.....\$250.00
- 4 Cosmo King 40SR aircraft, virtually complete! With Magnum .45 Pro engine.....\$200.00
- 5 Skyward Pro Starter, model 15034.....\$ 25.00
- 6 "New" Thunder Tiger sealing iron.....\$ 12.00
- 7 Mohawk heat gun.....\$ 10.00
- 8 Cyclemate battery tester.....\$ 8.00
- 9 Kwick Clip glow plug starter with charger .. \$ 8.00
- 10 Make an offer on :- Hobbico 12v battery.... Six Shooter fuel pump.....home made flight box....Props....Glow plugs....tubing.

Xmas Special.....all of above\$750.00

As always, prices are "Negotiable".....contact Don McLean @ 844-3333.

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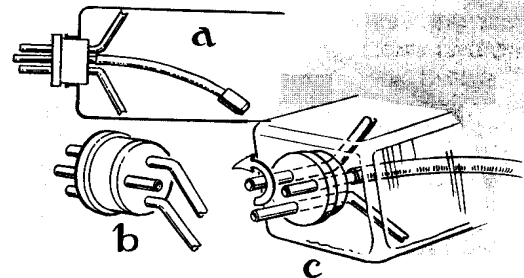
Modeling Tips



MICROSWITCH ON/OFF

You can mount a Radio Shack microswitch (no. 257-017) directly on the top of the servo using the existing servo-screw holes. Trim the servo wheel so that it will press against the mini roller and turn on the switch. Be sure to solder the wires to the switch's "common" and "normally open" terminals (often marked "C" and "NO").

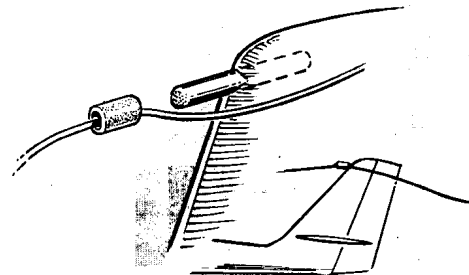
Reuben Hadfield, Guelph, Ontario, Canada



EASY THREE-PIPE INSTALLATION

It's impossible to insert a stopper into a tank with the pipes arranged as shown in (a). Arrange them as shown in (b), insert the stopper, and then turn the pipe so that it's positioned at the top of the tank, as shown in (c). If you use pliers to rotate the pipe, wrap tape around the jaws, and insert a drill bit of the appropriate size into the pipe. This will prevent the pipe from being crushed..

Namsoo Park, Seoul, Korea



ANTENNA ATTACHMENT

Here's a way to minimize the possibility of damaging your receiver or antenna wire. Just run the wire through a small piece of rubber tubing, as shown, and attach the tubing to a short dowel installed in the fin. If the plane makes a sudden, unplanned stop, the wire will be pulled free. This setup also holds the antenna in place neatly.

F. W. Walker Shaw, Lancashire, England

January Meeting Agenda

At our next meeting, we will have a couple of presentations. Firstly, Jim Eichenberg and Mark Groh will be teaming up for a 30 minute session on Engines / Noise / Mufflers.....then Hanspeter Keller and Frank Pilih will be giving a short talk on Gliders, supported by a video presentation.

Executive Meeting

At the recent executive meeting, it was decided that as the club is heading for the ripe old age of 50, coupled with the birth of our new "Millennium", that OMFC should make some presentation awards to our 20, 25 and 30 year members. This will happen early in 2000.

A decision was also reached to ask members for their ideas on "Fun" awards that OMFC can award in 2000 as mementos. One expert flyer, who shall remain nameless, suggested an award for the "best crash of 2000".....perhaps one for the "best instructor", or if you prefer, the "worst instructor".....whatever.....let your imagination take flight! Again, at a future meeting this will be raised, so think about it.

Closing Comments

Fliteline is still interested in printing your stories or articles, or anything else in print that you may wish to circulate to the membership. We do like to include articles from members.

Again, all members will receive hard copies of Fliteline this month.....hopefully, we can soon go back to also using the web page.

We sincerely hope that you all have a great Christmas / Holiday Season....whatever your origins or religions may be. Enjoy your wives, girlfriends [don't let your wives find out!], significant others and especially your families. Don't any of you forget your mums.....they are special and they are not here forever.....something we don't always remember.

Hope to see you all at the Frozen Finger Fly on January 1st.....let's all grab some of Jim's "Free" booze!

