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VICTORIAN CONTROL LINE CONTEST CALENDAR 2016

DATE	EVENT	CLUB
Oct 30	Doug's Vintage Stunt Day.	KMAC
Nov 13	Speed, Warbird Stunt, Vintage Combat	CLAMF
Nov 27	Monty Tyrell Classic Stunt.	KMAC
Dec 11	Classic FAI & Vintage A T/R, Classic B T/R	CLAMF
Dec 11	Club day and Christmas party.	KMAC
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Jan 29	Coreflute Combat Invitation.	KMAC
Feb 26	Hearn's Trophy/Yeoman's Novice Stunt.	KMAC
Mar 26	KMAC Carnival.	KMAC
April 14-	17 VMAA State Control Line Champs. CLAMF &	& KMAC
May 28	All Aussie and Vintage Combat.	KMAC
June 25	Rat Race Invitation and Club Day.	KMAC
July 30	Warbirds and AGM.	KMAC

Events will be flown in order of printing. Events in **Bold type** will be flown over hard surface.

CLAMF Frankston Flying Field, Old Wells Rd, Seaford (Melway 97J10), GPS -38.086777,145.148009

10.00am start

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CLAG has monthly fly-ins at the Moe Race Track every first Sunday of the month.

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C.L.A.S. CONTEST CALENDAR 2016

DATE	EVENT		CLUB
Oct 30	Classic Stunt	Doonside at Whalan	Reserve
Nov 20	Classic Stunt flying F2B	pattern.	
	Rebel Flying Club fie	ld, Ash Island, Hexhai	m NSW.
Nov 20	Vintage T/R and Diesel	Goodyear.	KMFC.
Nov 27	KMFC Christmas Party a	nd Fun Fly.	KMFC.
Dec 4	F2B Aerobatics.	Doonside. (Whalan F	Reserve)

KMFC - (Ku-ring-gai Model Flying Club) - St. Ives Showground, Mona Vale Rd, St. Ives.

SAT- (Sydney Aeromodelling Team) - "Duck Pond", Ashford Road, Milperra.

SSME - (Sydney Society of Model Engineers) - Model Park, Luddenham Road, Luddenham.

The new dates for the **Queensland State Champs for combat** is the 5th and 6th of November 2016 in Ipswich.

Events are F2D Combat, Open Combat, Vintage Combat, 2.5 Slow Combat and 3.5 Slow Combat.

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*Registration fee includes a ticket in the raffle for a new in box DC Merlin motor, drawn at Saturday night dinner.

Organized events

Saturday 4.00pm

Ebenezer mass launch

Saturday evening

Lamb Spit roast & vegies around the campfire Saturday evening - Cost \$20 Bring your own chair and drinks

Sunday 8.00am

1/2 Hour Campbell Scramble (must walk, no running)



BRIAN BURKE 500 LAP 27 GOODYEAR

<u>TEAMS</u>	ROUND 1	ROUND 2	FINAL
T. McDERMOTT/M. McDERMOTT	5.14.56	5.05.75	28.02.94
R. DILLON/M. DILLON	5.30.06	5.21.12	28.45.87
C. DILLON/P. DILLON	5.29.10	5.18.00	DNF 64 laps
A. HANSEN/R. STOKES	6.36.19	6.03.62	
R. BUCHOLZ/R. SMITH	6.12.34	5.57.31	

The final was a hotly contested race, with only 43 seconds between







CLASSIC B Team Race.

TEAMS	ROUND 1	ROUND 2	FINAL
T. McDERMOTT/M. McDERMOTT	3.05.47	3.10.84	5.53.62
P. DILLON/M. DILLON	DNF 42 laps	DNF 39 laps	7.16.69
R. BUCHOLZ/R. SMITH	DNF 38 laps	3.23	7.33.44
A. HANSEN/R. STOKES	3.57.25	DNS (broken	rod)

The final was a fast and furious race with all models off the ground straight away and with the Macca's doing some fast pit stops. Mark Dillon was unfortunate to experience some slow stops due to engine hiccups. Rob Smith was very consistent throughout the race.

Queensland Hard Stand Title 2016

The Logan Hard Stand on the South Side of Brisbane was the venue for the Queensland Titles of Classic FAI and F2F. The field being part of the MAAQ and their member clubs. We were finally blessed with good weather conditions after having to cancel the event and reschedule to this date. With only four teams competing in both classes it was decided to race two up in the heats and three

for the finals.

The morning started with Classic FAI and after everyone having a warm up and time in the air to get a tune, the heats commenced with the Macca's 1st, Smith / Bucholz 2nd and Dillon / Dillon 3rd.

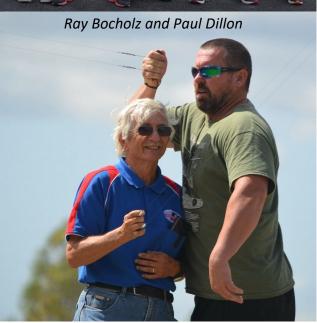
In F2F the model of Hansen / Cooke was nicknamed Skippy with the hippity hop landings after flying for the first time with a new fuse and undercart that is maybe a little far forward.

The winners of F2F were the Dillon / Dillon team Mecca's 2nd and Hansen / Cooke 3rd.

Many thanks to the MAAQ for supporting the few racers that make up the Qld contingent of C/Line flyers and the continuation of the lease on the Logan Hard Stand area. Thanks also to our new Qld control line co-ordinater Mark McDermott for organizing the day and the upkeep of the area.







AAC 2016 Worldwide Ringmaster Flyathon October 8th 2016

The dates for the World Wide Ringmaster Flyathon this year were October 1st and 2nd. Originally an event was organised for these dates by Ned Kelly at the South Hummocks Model Aero Club in South Australia's mid north approx.100km from Adelaide. Unfortunately strong winds in the wake of recent storms forced it's cancellation.

All was not lost as Flyathon organiser in the USA, John Cralley, kindly granted would be SA participants until the end of the following weekend to log flights. Adelaide Aeromodellers Club scheduled Saturday October 8th as Ringmaster Flyathon 'make up' day and for the first time in months the weather was not only kind, it was near perfect; warm, sunny and light winds.

4 pilots posted flights as detailed below. The Ringmaster flights took place amidst other CL sport flying. Other popular profile models flown on the day were Peacemaker, Flite Streak, Junior Flite Streak, SIG Twister and Proton sheet wing stunt model

Jeff Prosser's Ringmaster flew the F2B pattern with ease thanks due to it's light weight and reliable powerplant. Peter Anglberger started slowly having to coax a good setting out of his recently re-bored 1957 Burford Glo Chief 29 Mk1. In the final flights his Ringmaster and motor were 'sorted' allowing Square 8s and Triangles to be performed with ease.



Ned Kelly's model also performed well. It really improved when he switched form a Master Airscrew paint stirrer to an APC 9 x 4 prop. Ned's model lost weights as the day went on as he unfortunately fund out that White Knight Rattle can paint is not fuel proof. He is in the process of building a new Ringmaster with a more suitable finish. Jon Witzke has also now sorted his Fox 35 powered Ringmaster. There was no hint of the dreaded Fox burp so I assume he has partially block the transfer passage as recommended by US experts.

Mick Laundy flew at home on Kangaroo Island. He has his own private CL circle and updated his tally throughout the day by SMS. He advised it was quite breezy on the Island, but still managed 4 flights without incident.

Place Entrant Flights Model Details		ts Model Details	Motor Details
1. Jeff Prosser	9	Ringmaster S1 scratch built from Brodak Plan	OS FP25
2. Peter Anglberger	9	Ringmaster S1 scratch built from Brodak Plan	Glo Chief 29 Mk1
3. Ned Kelly	6	Ringmaster S1 built from Brodak Kit	OS FP25
4. Jon Witzke	5	Ringmaster S1 built from short kit	Fox 35 Stunt Hemi
5. Mick Laundy	4	Ringmaster S1 built from Brodak Kit	Magnum 25
Total	33		

For those considering joining in the fun and building a Ringmaster for next year's event here are some recommendations:

- 1. Select wood carefully and finish sparingly to ensure a light model. Aim for less than 30 oz. / 850 grams.
- 2. Extend the bearers to past the high point of the wing and extend the doublers back to at least $\frac{1}{2}$ way along the wing chord. Do not use $\frac{1}{8}$ ply. Use $\frac{1}{16}$ spruce ply or even better $\frac{1}{32}$ spruce ply.
- 3. Fit the pushrod to inner hole on a Brodak 3" bellcrank and use at least 25 mm throw on the elevator horn to gear down the controls / limit elevator throw to +/- 25 degrees max, otherwise the model will be difficult to fly smoothly. The stock bellcrank mount and surrounding structure are not that strong so I suggest thicker ribs that are covered by the sheeting and double the length of the bellcrank mounting plate.
- 4. Fit a pushrod guide halfway between wing TE and elevator LE to prevent flexing.

Ensure you use a uniflow tank. Mount it using slotted brackets so you can raise the centreline of the tank up to 6 mm above the motor centre line. Most profiles with side mounted motors need the tank raised 3 to 6 mm above the motor CL





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NSW 2016 State Championships (Aerobatics)

Held on October 1st-3rd long weekend.

Great roll up, with the notable attendance of 3 flyers from South Australia.

Sat 1st. There were to be two rounds of F2B, but the weatherman turned up the fan and blew that plan away. A decision was made to fly 3 rounds on Sunday 2nd and fortunately this turned out to be a better day. With three judges to adjudicate the flights the competition was completed.

CONTROL LINE AIRCRAFT SOCIETY

Top three flyers were :- 1st . Murray Howell Yatsenko "Shark"

2nd. Reg Towell Bill Werwage design "Mustang"3rd. Bruce Hoffman Brian Eather design "Firecracker"



F2B Expert top three left to right :-Bruce Hoffman, Murray Howell,

Reg Towell.



Classic medal winners.



Monday 3rd saw the running of Classic Aerobatics.

There was a good number of entries but yet again the wind returned and rather than chance flying in the hazardous conditions only six pilots risked the two rounds.

Placings:- 1st. Jeff Fry "Peacemaker"

2nd. Reg Towell "Thunderbird"

3rd. Geoff Van Kampen "Nobler"

Despite the weather conditions it was a great weekend.

Report and pictures from Warren Williams.







A couple of shots of the KMFC F2B competition held on a day of good weather on 31st

July. Mark Batty was the competition winner, Murray Howell placed second and Reg Towell came third.

KMFC Nostalgia Fly-In. September 4th 2016.

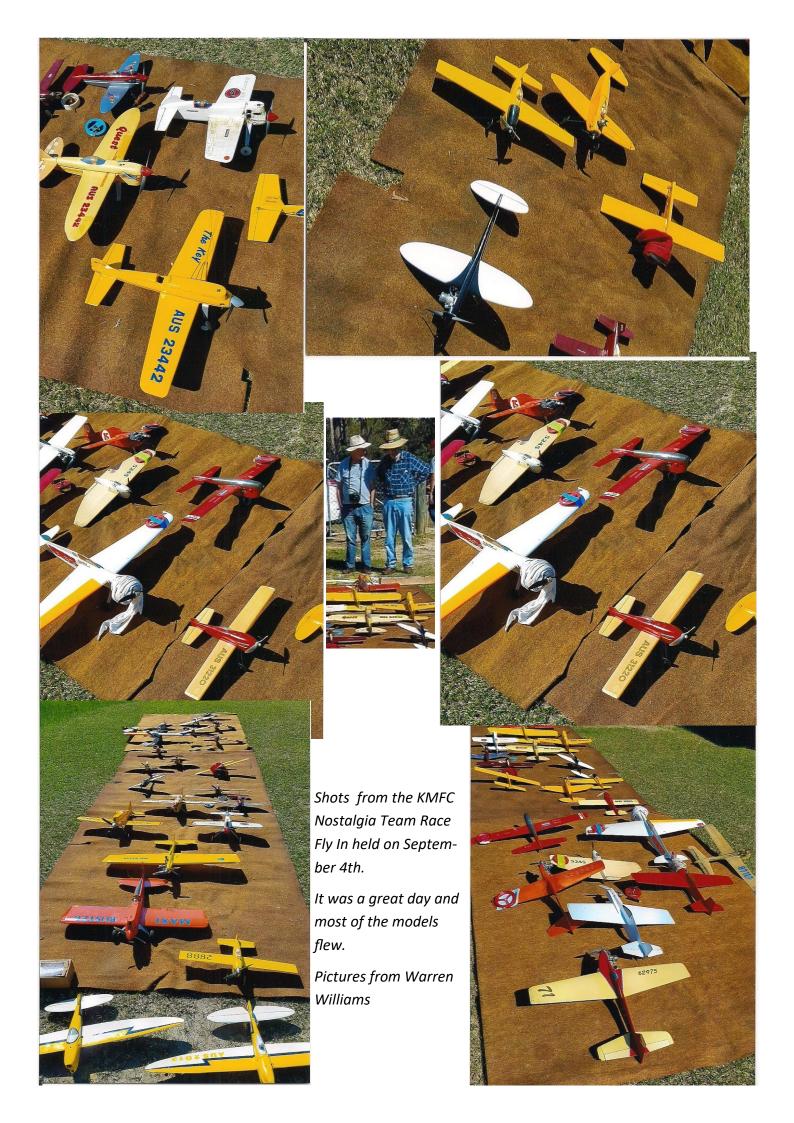
"With so many TR events now so poorly supported in NSW there are a lot of retired TR models out there that have not been flown for ages. This is a day to bring them to KMFC, tell a few stories and fly them once more, even if not in a race. Just come along, fly them and re-live the good old days, before you can't remember them

at all".

John Nolan.







AROUND THE CLUBS

KMFC members took part in the World Wide Ringmaster Fly-A-Thon Day on Saturday 8th October. The weather was a bit windy but the flights took place regardless. Some of the club members were unable to attend but 50 plus flights were recorded on the day.



The weather for the "Annual KMFC Burford Day" on Sunday 9th was perfect for flying.

There were lots of Burford engine powered models on show and a good crowd was in attendance throughout the day.

Jeff and Jenny Reeves were responsible for the day's organisation and everything ran very smoothly.

Competitions were held for the various categories. Stunt was won by Bill Swan, Steve Rothwell took the honours in Speed and the team of Jeff McNair/Bob Fischer were the winners in Team Race.

A huge modelling table sales transpired with an incredible array of model kits, engines and accessories. Most of this equipment came from an estate sale, more of which will be on show at the clubs Christmas party on the 27th November.

The results from the raffle that was held on the day for one of David Owens production of a Taipan 2.5cc replica was won by Geoff McNair. Bill Swans shop bag of goodies was won by John Nolan.

Report and pictures by Warren Williams.







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C/L World Championships Team Selection.

As mentioned in the previous edition of ACLN, the MAAA Control-Line Working Group (drawing on representatives from the various states) has been assessing options for the Team Trial process for the next Control-Line World Championships to be held in France during 2018.

While there were a number of options considered (taking input from many people), the multi-trial format was preferred for most disciplines and was agreed to be the most workable at this time. There is still uncertainty over whether there will be a Nationals next year, but the multi-trial format can accommodate this.

Therefore the selection of World Championship team members for the 2018 F2 World Championships will be based on the best three (3) results from all the State Championship events held during 2017 (and the Nationals if there is one).



If a Nationals does eventuate during 2017, then the process will end up exactly the same as last year.

The qualifying scores will be calculated using the same system as used previously, which takes into account the number of entries in each event.

Anyone who requires further clarification can contact the MAAA Working Group Chairman, Reeve Marsh by email at wk3fly@gmail.com or by phone on 0405 001 008.

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