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Meeting on 8/12/2014
8 members in attendance.
We are full up on members (85) for the year.
Reviewed last months talking points.

Upcoming Events:
We have our members cookout this weekend Saturday August 16th at 12pm!!!
Come out and join us, there will be food, fun, and flying. For some of you new members, it will be a good time to come out and mingle and just have a great time!!

Our next meeting will be on September 9th. We will begin to discuss this year's Christmas party So come out and give your thoughts.

A second photos page has been added because we have reached the maximum photos per page. "Photos 2" contains photos from August 2014 to present.

FMS 1400mm P-51 review

<http://www.motionrc.com/warbirds/?sort=featured&page=4>



Until recently I hadn't brought her out to the field. I wanted to become more comfortable in my flying ability first before I started to fly her. All in all she is 1400mm in wingspan and is nice and weighted for a EPO. It took me about an hour and a half to set her up (mainly due to flap settings. I wanted them to be perfect). She was relatively easy to take apart but her wires were quite the headache (I have V.7, they are at V.8 and fixed all of that-- they now have 2 port connectors to assemble the wing and fuselage) I did the famous prop mod on her for more sound and speed. So the first time taking her up this weekend was a dream!!! she flew like she belonged in the sky!! I got about 5-6 minutes out of my flight with the Admiral battery found here (<https://www.motionrc.com/admiral-3600mah-4s-14-8v-40c-lipo-battery/>). When I came in for landing I got over the edge of the field and hit my low flaps on my DX 7s. She just glided in and landed like a butterfly!! All in all my plane felt well balanced and had a scale flight that was just delicious. Now the real question comes here,.....Are spare parts available and in-stock? To that I would say unequivocally yes, they are all available at www.motionrc.com.

I painted extra detail on mine (manifolds + exhaust and Gun carbonization on the wings.)



Victor and Max with their hand built PPY-7 Catalina







