



WOODLAND AERO MODELERS

Radio Controlled Flying Club

Gas, glow & electric aircraft - radio control & control line
fixed wing land & float - helicopters - multi-rotors - gliders

Our club was founded in 1936 and is AMA (Academy of Model Aeronautics) Chartered. We always welcome new members of any age to the club. So if you are an experienced flyer, returning to flying or totally new to the hobby then come and talk to us about what we can offer.

Our all year round outdoor flying site is located within the Waterfall Glen Forest Preserve two miles south of I-55 off Lemont Road. In the winter months we also fly indoors in Burr Ridge.

We offer...

- Free flight training with certified instructors -
- Help and advice on equipment selection and purchase -
- Assistance with model building, repairs and technical issues -

Getting started in the hobby is easy. Most first time flyers opt for an ARF (almost ready to fly) airplane made from either traditional balsa/ply or modern foam construction. Very little building or experience is required to get these planes ready to fly - some require nothing more than charging the batteries! Most manufacturers also offer stable, easy to fly "Trainers" which are perfect for beginners. RTF (ready to fly) airplanes even include the radio, batteries and everything you need straight out of the box.

Our instructors use the "Buddy Box" teaching method where the instructor's and student's radios are linked together. The instructor can take control of the plane at any time. Mastering take-off, landing and basic flight should not take you too long. Your instructor will then sign you off as a safe and competent flyer and present you with your Solo Flight Certificate.

The club also holds events throughout the year including our regular monthly meeting, summer evening social flying, Fun Fly competitions, Family picnic, Swap Meet, Open House, Float flying and trips to other flying clubs.

**Please come along to one of our Open House events
on June 10th or July 2nd from 11am till 3pm**

Subject to weather you will be able to fly a trainer airplane with an instructor.
Or, contact John Baderman 630.408.6668 jb@baderman.co.uk
to arrange a visit and an introductory flight on another day.

Check our website incase an Open House is cancelled due to bad weather

The entrance to the flying field is on Bluff Road (111 St) off Lemont Rd, 2 miles south of I-55
www.woodlandaeromodelers.org and also on Facebook