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*Tom Marley in his Kolb on the ice.*

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***Next Meeting – January 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 at Maxim's Restaurant***

***February Newsletter Submission Deadline: February 2<sup>nd</sup>***

# President's Perspective ...

## Our Sympathies

We start out the new year on a sad note. Our friend and long time Chapter member Tom Marley (#631) passed away a few days ago in Florida where he was spending the winter months. Tom was from Oconomowoc and kept his Kolb Firestar at the Hartford Municipal Airport.



Our condolences go out to his family. I await more info on funeral services and will pass on that info when I receive it.

## Chapter Christmas Party

Please send in your RSVP's as soon as you can. We'll have to cancel the dinner party if we don't get enough folks to commit by the published deadline of January 13<sup>th</sup>. Remember, we'll be having our White Elephant Gift Exchange after dinner. Hope you can make it!

## The 9<sup>th</sup> FIRST!

A big "THANK YOU!" goes out to all the Fort Atkinson Chapter members that made our first fly/drive In of 2009 a success. Ol' Mother Nature kept us out of the air but left the roads clean enough to make it there by land. We were once again blessed with way to much food thanks to James the grill master and everyone that brought a dish to pass. It was nice to get out and see everyone at an event after the busy holidays. The warm hanger was much appreciated as well.

## Odds & Ends...

- Paperwork has been delivered to the Chapter sponsors of the two winning entries of our 2009 Air Academy contest. Completed forms along with a down payment will be sent to secure their spots as soon as possible. Sponsors will follow up with final payment and report when the course is completed.
- No official business was conducted at the Chapter December meeting due to not meeting quorum requirements. The weather has NOT been our side lately. The few of us that showed up despite the road conditions had a meal and discussed holiday plans and future resolutions. We will get back on track at the upcoming January 13<sup>th</sup> meeting.

- Be sure to check out the latest edition of Sport Pilot. Our long time pal Frank Theis had an article reprinted from one of our Chapter's newsletters way back in 1981. In the article Frank describes a local trip from Aero Park (R.I.P) to the Milwaukee lake front. I bet he'd do it all over again if he could...
- Chapter renewal paperwork has been handed over to Lee Taylor for filling out and mailing to EAA. This info keeps our status current and gives the world a link to us from the EAA Chapters web page. Thanks Lee!
- The Wisconsin Ultralight and Light Aviation Advisory Counsel (WULAC) has the upcoming Safety Seminar planned for Saturday, March 7<sup>th</sup>. The seminar will be held at the Meade Inn in Wisconsin Rapids. Please use the link provided below to get planning info if you wish to attend. ([www.av8safe.org](http://www.av8safe.org)) There are always plenty of good speakers and topics to keep you up to date and informed. The Big Ticket Raffles are worth the price of admission (FREE) as well. Come on up and support our Chapter and this great event!
- Our Chapter 2009 calendar of events has been posted in this month's newsletter. Please contact me with any errors in the schedule and I'll correct and re-send. More info about specific events will be shared closer to the event dates. Stay tuned!
- If you signed up for a 2009 EAA World Of Flight calendar they are in and will be available at the January meeting. Those not picked up will be mailed to your last known address.

I hope you can join us at the upcoming meeting. We can catch up on Chapter business and trade holiday horror stories... just kidding, I had a great Christmas break. I look forward to getting back to the ol'grind (and better flying weather!)

Thanks,  
Steve M.

# Microlite 2009 Event Calendar

## January

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Chapter X-Mas Party 31st

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No Events Scheduled

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Safety Seminar Sat. 7th

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Frank Luke 30th

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Fort At Breakfast - 6<sup>th</sup>  
Longest Days - 20th

## July

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Work Day - 18<sup>th</sup>  
Airventure 27<sup>th</sup> to 2nd

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No Events Scheduled

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Golner Roast - 19th

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No Events Scheduled

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Chilly Chili Dump 7th

## December

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No Events Scheduled

*You are cordially invited to the  
 Microlite Flyers Of Wisconsin  
 FAA Ultralight Chapter #1  
 2008 Christmas Dinner Party*

**When: Saturday, January 31st**  
**Where: Maxim's Restaurant**  
**Time: Coctails ~ 5:30pm**  
**Dinner ~ 6:30pm**  
**Price: \$16.00 Per Person**

We will once again be having our  
 White Elephant gift exchange. Please  
 provide one wrapped, unmarked gift per person.

**Directions:**

From I-45: Exit Capitol Drive and go west approximately 3 miles. You'll find Maxim's on your left, across from the Shops at Stonewood Village. You'll need to drive past Maxim's through the stop lights at Imperial St. (St. Dominic's Church) and make a U-turn left at the next street which is Mountain.

From I-94: Exit Hwy. J and continue north to Capitol Drive. Turn right (east) on Capitol and continue about 5 miles. You'll find Maxim's on your right.

Address: 18025 W. Capitol Drive, Brookfield, WI.  
 Phone: (262) 783-4501.



**YES! I WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND THE**  
*Microlite Flyers 2008 Christmas Dinner Party*  
**Saturday, January 31<sup>st</sup> – 5:30 PM Maxim's (lower level)**

**Cost per person: \$16.00**

Please accept my advance payment for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the cost of \_\_\_\_\_ guests.

Check Entrée choice and quantity:

Burgundy Beef Tips - Qty. \_\_\_\_\_ or Chicken Cordon Bleu - Qty. \_\_\_\_\_

Please respond by **JANUARY 13th** and mail check payable to:

The Microlite Flyers  
 4720 Martha Lane  
 Pewaukee WI 53072

# WANT ADS

## AIRCRAFT

1994 Kolb Firestar II, N4939J  
 Rotax 447, 140 TT, BRS, Radio,  
 Always hangared. \$13,500  
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(10-08)

1984 Pterodactyl Ascender  
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 hangared, fabric tests great, never  
 wrecked. Tach, EGT, radio, antenna,  
 strobe, extra fuel tank, pure part 103  
 aircraft. \$3500  
 Pat Kenny (715) 479-5036  
(6-08)

2005 Raceair Zipster Biplane  
 40HP Hirth Engine, excellent  
 condition, built by Ed Harris, Not yet  
 registered. Selling due to death in  
 family. \$13,000  
 Gary Seeling (262) 565-8069  
(6-08)

## AIRCRAFT ctd...

Challenger 1 – Rotax 503 w/ 300hrs  
 Has all options, call for details.  
 George (608) 839-9417  
(3-08)

## HANGAR SPACE AVAILABLE

Hangar at McDermott April 1st, \$325  
 Bill Genteman (414) 659-8594  
(4-08)

Hangar at Palmyra and  
 possibly also at Ft. Atkinson  
 Bob Massie (608) 839-9417  
(3-08)

## PARTS / ACCESSORIES

- Airmap 300 Moving Map GPS  
 12V Plug, battery pack, or 110VAC  
 Mounting Bracket and instructions  
 Only \$85  
 - Warp Drive pitch setting tool for all  
 carbon fiber propellers. \$25

Stan (262) 388-1315  
 (262) 623-4697

## PARTS / ACCESSORIES ctd...

Aerovee Engine - 1850cc - full rebuild.  
 Approx 10 hours on heads. New rings,  
 bearings, tubes, gaskets, etc. Crank  
 (fully counter-balanced, forged 76mm),  
 cam, rods, pistons and block were  
 examined and found excellent during  
 2005-06 disassembly and rebuild.  
 88mm cylinders, Shrink fit prop hub,  
 Slick 4216 magneto with shielded  
 harness, Rear magneto mount,  
 Complete single port intake system. 1  
 Zenith Carb, 1 Ultracarb, and 1 Posa  
 injector carburetor. \$2,000 Offers are  
 encouraged - May sell in pieces.  
 Tom Corso (262) 424-1977  
 tomcorso@ameritech.net

## *Secretary's Report*

December Meeting cancelled due to weather.

## *Treasurer's Report*

Not Available at time of printing.

### **Microlite Flyers Inc.**

Membership Application/Renewal

\_\_\_\_ New                      \_\_\_\_ Renewal (Mem. # \_\_\_\_\_ )

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Ultralight \_\_\_\_\_ Home Field \_\_\_\_\_

- YES, I WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE MY NEWSLETTER VIA E-MAIL  
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### Membership Rates

- New Members \$30.00  
     (Joining after 7/1) \$15.00
- Renewing Members \$30.00
- Family Members \$ 7.50
- Previous Members \$30.00

(please advise so we can give  
 you back your original member  
 number)

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 Waukesha, WI 53188

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