

## **NEWSLETTER**



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## LOTS TO TALK ABOUT AT THE AGM

The Annual General Meeting will be at 8–0 p.m. at the Battle of Britain Club on Thursday December 13th. Mathew Dawson will report about the progress made over the last year and Stuart Whitehouse will explain the financial situation. After very many years in various committee roles including five years as chairman,



eight years as secretary and fifteen years as club chief examiner, Leon Taylor has decided not to stand for the committee this year. The other existing members have confirmed they wish to stand and we have received one new nomination for committee membership from Simon Hislon.

After the committee election, Mathew Dawson will lead a debate on what the club might do with the mountain of Astroturf that is shown in the picture on the left. If you wish to make an input to this discussion please get to the meeting.



Simon Hislon

clothing such as Caps, Fleeces, Jumpers or Tee Shirts with the club logo. We will be providing free drinks and a delicious hot finger buffet to encourage a full turn out.

Your views will also be sought on whether or not we should purchase another batch of

## 2012 Club Fees and Charges

Adult membership fee increases to £60 plus £15 Astro Turf contribution = £75 Juniors and social non-flying members £32 (Total) Joining fee £150.

Plus whichever of the following are applicable:

Senior BMFA: £32 FPV flying: £15

Indoor flying: £30 to prepay for next year or whatever is owed from last year if you didn't prepay

(If unsure what you need to pay for indoor flying, please contact Stuart Whitehouse)

Cheques should be made out to the West London Model Aeroplane Club or, if you are paying cash, please present the EXACT AMOUNT.

If you are not attending the AGM, get your cheque off BEFORE THE AGM to: The WLMAC Treasurer, Stuart Whitehouse, Orchard End, Bentley Road, Slough SL1 5BB (For electronic transfer: 40-38-20 Acc No 41139258. Use your name as reference.)

NOTE THAT IF YOUR WLMAC SUBSCRIPTION REMAINS UNPAID BY THE LAST DAY OF THE YEAR YOUR BMFA COVER WILL BE INVALID AND YOU MAY NOT FLY. IF IT HAS NOT BEEN PAID BY THE END OF JANUARY, YOUR MEMBERSHIP WILL CEASE.



This shot taken in 1987 by Peter Nielsen shows the pits in the initial field layout. More of these vintage pictures can be found on our updated website at www.wlmac.co.uk.



Kaiyo Contractor proudly holds up his A certificate and his trainer after successfully passing his A test.



At our last meeting we heard that a number of these ME 262's had been purchased by our members so we may see a flight of them at the field soon.



The view to the East of the pits following the recent work with a large machine to clear a large area of brambles. We hope to have this done on a regular basis in future.

## DIARY DATES FOR 2013

14th Feb 2013	BofBC Projects Evening
14th Mar 2013	BofBC Speaker Richard
	Poad "Grandma flew
	Spitfires"
11th Apr 2013	BofBC Tony Nijuis talks
	about his Aeromodelling
	Activities.
9th May 2013	BofBC Bring and Buy
12th June 2013	Field Meeting Electric
	Flying
7th July 2013	Field Scale day
10th July 2013	Field Meeting Electric
	Flying



The model shop had a super deal on large engines