WLMAC Newsletter November 2018 Editor - Andy Blackburn





This is Mark Pressling about to commit aviation after the recent Workparty (see below). The model is a Messerschmitt 109E if I'm any judge (carried by Tony Bloomfield), and it can't be raining because Chairman Mat (a distant relative, I am told, of both King Canute and Michael Fish) said it wasn't going to...

Parish Notices and Reports

Club AGM and Nominations

Members of the committee who organise, regulate and run the club are not self-appointed - they are elected by the membership at every Annual General Meeting, which this year is on Thursday 13th December.

So, once again we invite volunteer members to give their serious attention to the Club's routine business. The club constitution calls for 21 days' notice for an application for membership, so the application form is shown below. Put yourself up for a year's service on the Committee by getting yourself a proposer and a seconder from among your fellow members, filling in the form overleaf and firing it off to the Secretary, Roy Lanning.

COMMITTEE MEMBER NOMINATION FORM

Candidate name (and E Mail address, please).		
ProposerSeconder		
I agree to serve on the Committee for one year.		
Signed	Date	
PRINT THIS PAGE AND RETURN FORM TO Roy Lanning. WLMAC Secretary. 5,		
Thellusson Way, Rickmansworth WD3 8RB		
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WLMAC Workparty, Saturday 22nd September



Ian White (L) and Roy Lanning looking after the invasion stripes. I am assured that no rain was expected, so that can't be wet pavement that we see there.



Jackson directing Richard Norris (L) and Stuart Whitehouse. It's a dog's life – at least it's not raining. Or is it?...



I've never seen Jeff Creak looking so serious. But then, he is measuring chemicals in the rain...



Frank Dalby-Smith (L), Tony Bloomfield, Felix Scicluna and Ron Barber painting; I deeply regret not being able to "help" with the roundels myself; it would have been the work of a mere few minutes to convert the red centre to a maple leaf or kiwi, or similar. Note that it's not raining. Allegedly.



Everything stops for luncheon – all the workers gathered inside $\frac{1}{2}$ shelter from the rain entirely by coincidence because it was too sunny outside.

WLMAC Aviation Quiz Club Night, Thursday 11th October

I was unfortunately indisposed but I gather that the Quiz on Thursday 11th October went rather well; four teams (Vampires, Bombs Away, Aces and Fokkers) took part, with "Vampires" emerging victorious and "Aces" in second place. Thanks to Stuart for being the question-master and there were calls for a repeat next year, so it looks as though it's a fixture. And I'm informed that the food was really, really good.



Stuart asking the fiendishly complicated questions



The winning "Vampires" team; Ian White, Leon Taylor, Tony Gower and Jeff Creak.



The "Aces" team placed second; Martin from Wycombe club, Dave Chinery, Richard Saunders and Frank Dalby-Smith

Next Club Night, Thursday 8th November

The next club night is meant to be a skills evening, but we can't think of anything at the moment other than covering with heat-shrink film, so if there's anything else that you want to know how to do, or if there's anything that you want to show other people how to do, give Mat a call. We'll bring the drones along as well. We normally meet at the golf club at about 7pm for dinner, Mat will circulate the menu a few days before the event. Formal dress is, of course, optional.

Important Culinary News



Now that the clocks are changing, packet soups are back in the clubhouse in an eclectic collection of flavours that have been carefully vetted and selected for the membership by the committee, at great personal risk – help yourselves. Guaranteed¹ to improve your chances to getting to the Astroturf at the end of the flight.

Events

Date	Event	Location	Description
Thursday, 8 November	Club Meeting	Uxbridge Golf Club	Skills Evening
Thursday, 13 December	AGM	Uxbridge Golf Club	AGM

¹ Not really... but if you think it helps, I have the number of a good Psychiatrist.