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### Humber Valley's Meeting Announcement Tuesday Feb 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2010 @ 7:30pm



Here's how to the get there: From the 401 East or West, exit at Keele Street North. Turn right on Sheppard Ave, and follow

Sheppard to the entrance to Downsview Park. Turn right into the park onto John Drury Lane until you reach Carl Hall Road. Turn left at Carl Hall and continue east over the railway tracks to the museum, which is on your right.



### Free Pizza at the AGM Meeting!



There's nothing like good food to ensure a good meeting and the Humber Valley Pizza Club is going into its 5<sup>th</sup> vear now due to popular demand. No time to stop in for dinner before the club meeting? No problem! Just come to

the meeting hungry. Better get there early though, before the mad rush, to make sure you get the best selection.

# Calendar of Upcoming Events

Tue Feb 2nd	Club Meeting • Executive Elections • Annual General Meeting (AGM) • Wings Award Ceremony
Sun Feb 21st	February Frozen Finger Fun Fly - 10am
Tue Mar 2nd	Club Meeting
Sun Mar 14 <sup>th</sup>	Aurora Swap Meet *
Apr 9 <sup>th</sup> ,10 <sup>th</sup> ,11 <sup>th</sup>	Toledo RC Show. See: www.toledoshow.com

\* See page 43 of the December MAAC Magazine for details about time and location for the Aurora swap meet. We will provide a reminder in the March Flyer but mark your calendars now!

### Yes the AGM is coming Feb 2<sup>nd</sup>



It is important that vou attend the Feb 2<sup>nd</sup>meetina because this is the club's Annual General Meeting.

The following agenda is planned for this meeting.

- Last chance to renew to vote at the AGM. 1
- 2. Announcement of executive nominations
- Executive elections 3
- 4. Annual general business meeting reports
- President's Report a.
- b. Treasurer's Report
- Field Officer's Report c.
- Program Director's Report d.
- 5. Open discussion and new business
- 6. Wings award ceremony
- Free renewal membership draw for members who 7 renewed by December 31, 2009.

NOTE: As of the date of publication of this Flyer, the following candidates have been nominated and are standing for executive positions. Any further nominations will be announced at the AGM. If you wish to run or nominate a member for an executive position, please contact **Dan Paluzzi**, Treasurer.

#### Current candidates are:

- President: ..... Pat Knight and Rocco Vita
- Vice President: ..... Paul McMillan
- Secretary & Treasurer: .. Dan Paluzzi
- Field Officer: ..... Eric Gallas
- Program Director: ........ Rocco Vita and Steve Simpson

NOTE: Make sure you bring your renewal form and exact change or cheque to renew if you want to vote!

### **2010 Renewals and Nominations Notice**

Since the Feb 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting is the AGM, it's your last chance to renew your membership and still participate in the 2010 executive elections. We will accept renewals at the beginning of the meeting. If you are paying cash, PLEASE BRING THE EXACT AMOUNT if possible and your COMPLETED renewal form. We will also have extra forms on hand.

If you wish to nominate someone for any executive position, you may do so in advance or from the floor prior to the elections. Please be patient and follow instructions at the meeting as we will need to check members against the member list prior to the vote to ensure that we have a quorum of 2010 members attending.

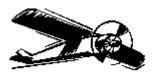
## Announcing the Upcoming HVRCF ... Fabulous, Famous, Freakin', February **Frozen Finger Fun Fly Frenzy and Free** Food Fest (FFFFFFFFFF)...whew!!



# 10:00am Sun Feb 21<sup>st</sup>

Please note that the March Flyer will come out after this event so this is your last and only reminder for the FFFFFFFFFFFFF.

Mark it on your calendar today!



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### Humber Valley Video Library Update

In case you forgot, we still have a video and book library with interesting and entertaining items you can borrow over the winter months. Speak to Roy Gee, Librarian and the February meeting. The Library has these new items:

1) Top Gun 2008 & 2007 DVDs courtesy of Graeme Mears. See his award winning F16 jet go through its paces. See: http://www.amtjets.com/topgun\_2008.htm

2) The Story of the 1929 – 1949 National Air Races. If you think you get nervous flying your plane, try climbing into one of these death traps. http://nationalairraces.net/products.htm

### New Year's Day 2010 Fun Fly Report

Thanks for coming out to the HVRCF New Year's Day Fun Fly. We had a great turnout at least 25 people or more that showed up. The chili was hot and tasty, and the dogs were well roasted too, also the coffee and Timbits went a long way. The field was clear with a trace of snow in the air and the temps were not a problem at all. So thank you for making this day one to remember. This club has a good heart and it shows on days like today.



Also, a big thanks to A&J Hobbies for sponsoring the prizes that were raffled off at the event. Rocco R. Vita, Program Director

### Humber Valley Noise Discussion (Cont'd)

A number of members and executives have been testing their engines over the last few months and have made significant progress using "snuffler" extensions designed to silence the big gas engines. For questions about this, visit the club forum or talk to Tony Phan. The Humber Valley new noise policies and rules will be the top priority of the new executive after the elections at the February meeting. Stay tuned for more information in the coming months.



At the present time, there doesn't seem to be any reason not to adopt the rule described in the December Flyer. Based on recommendations from the IMAC Sound Task Force (STF), we are testing planes at a distance of 25 feet. The decision to use 25 feet as a benchmark is based on repeatable measurements made by the STF. It turns out that 88 decibels at 25 feet is equivalent to 96 decibels at 10 feet at 3 ft height with an "A" weighted scale.

### **INDOOR FLYING ARRIVES AT HUMBER**

Humber's first unofficial indoor flying took place on Saturday Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> at North Albion C. I. from 3:00pm to 5:00pm. Six pilots including Gary Del Bel Belluz, Dave Edwards, Eric Gallas, Paul McMillan, Dan Paluzzi and Rocco Vita (see photo below) challenged the basketball nets with a variety of small electric indoor craft ranging from the tiny E-flite Vapor to the lumbering Troll. Much fun and aggravation was had by all and we look forward to the next session on Feb 6<sup>th</sup>. Anyone wishing to join us is welcome. HVRCF and MAAC membership is a must. Indoor fixed wing electrics and micro/mini helicopters are allowed. It is yet to be determined if there will be a cost to members who wish to participate, since at the time of printing, the 2009-2010 budget has not vet been approved. Our cost per session is \$49, so if there is a cost to members, it will be between \$5 and \$10 depending on the number of people that show up.



#### Indoor Events Calendar

Feb 6 <sup>th</sup>	Indoor flying North Albion C.I. 3-5 pm *
Feb 7 <sup>th</sup>	EMFSO-TEMAC indoor fun fly metro golf dome 6-10 pm \$20
Feb 20 <sup>th</sup>	Indoor flying North Albion C.I. 3-5 pm *
Mar 6 <sup>th</sup>	Indoor flying North Albion C.I. 3-5 pm *
Mar 20 <sup>th</sup>	Indoor flying North Albion C.I. 3-5 pm *
Apr 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Indoor flying North Albion C.I. 3-5 pm *
Apr 17 <sup>th</sup>	Indoor flying North Albion C.I. 3-5 pm *

\* Costs to be determined

### Your 2009 Executive

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