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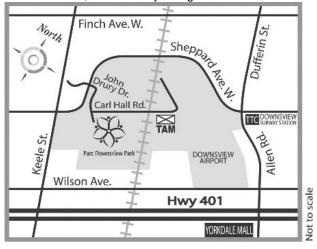


#### Humber Valley's Meeting Announcement Tues Nov 6<sup>th</sup>, 2007 @ 7:30pm



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 November Meeting!



There's nothing like good food to ensure a good meeting and the Humber Valley Pizza Club is going into it's 3rd year 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

Nov 2, 3 & 4	IIIIIII The Hobby Show IIIIIII
Tue Nov 6 <sup>th</sup>	Cub Meeting – Internet Night
Tue Dec 4 <sup>th</sup>	Club Meeting: • 2008 Renewal Drive
Mon Dec 31 <sup>st</sup>	Last day to renew for 2008 at discounted rate!
Tue Jan 1 <sup>st</sup>	New Year's Fly In – at 12 NOON
Tue Jan 1 <sup>st</sup>	NOTE: Club Meeting Cancelled!
Thu Jan 31 <sup>st</sup>	Election Nominations Deadline
Tue Feb 5 <sup>th</sup>	Club Meeting • Executive Elections • Annual General Meeting • Humber Valley Dream Raffle

# Nov 6<sup>th</sup> Meeting Program Announcement **Internet Night!**

We have a treat planned for you for the November meeting. The museum has a new high speed Internet connection and has allowed us to use it to hold an interactive session with all who attend the meeting.





For those members who are not active on the web, this is an event you won't want to miss. We will start at the club's own web site and branch out from there to visit a few great RC web sites like

"RC Canada" and "RC Universe" that can answer any question you might have about the hobby. We will also show you how to find anything you are looking for on web sites like Google and eBay.

#### Then the fun will really start.

Anyone who has a favorite site can take the wheel and show us how they use the web for their favorite rainy day



entertainment. All seasoned Internet users - come and bring us links to whatever it is that turns you on - well maybe not everything - after all this meeting is rated as "Family Entertainment" © !!



RC Universe and RC Canada compete for attention and advertising online. Which is better? Find out at the November 6<sup>th</sup> meeting.

# **Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> Meeting Report**

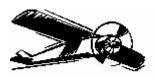
We had a great turnout for the opening meeting on  $Oct 2^{nd}$ . Joseph Young, President, provided his summary of the season's highlights including the three BarBQ fun flys and a review of the club's success at the combat events.

Peter Heeley talked about the student program and thanked all the instructors that helped make it a success. In all there were seven students who cleared this year which is about as many as we have ever had. There was no shortage of

instructors on student nights and the field has never been in better shape. There was some discussion about the fact that it takes a good ground crew to help students learn how to tune their engines and check out their equipment and Rocco Vita volunteered to come out next year to act as a pit instructor specifically for this purpose. This will no doubt make next year even better.



**Chief Instructor Peter Heeley** 



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# Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> Meeting Report – Continued

**Tom Gottlieb** brought in his Bad Boy on floats and described his float experience over the summer on Mary Lake near Gravenhurst. This generated a lot more discussion and interest than he expected with a number of members sharing advice on the fun and challenges of float flying. If you are interested in a field trip this summer, let Tom know of anyone who is willing to lend the use of their lakefront cottage for the first ever Humber Valley Float Fun Fly. Failing that, we will try to connect with another club up north who has water access. Talk to Tom and get your name on a Float Fly Special Interest Group and we'll see what we can get going next summer.



A beautiful Cub is about to touch down in smooth water.

### **Helicopter Update**

There was also some discussion about how the new helicopter rules were working out and **Joseph Young** pointed out that there were a number of members that got their certification from the Toronto Heli Club according the rules that were approved last year.



However, there was also some misunderstanding about the rules concerning guest helicopter flying at the field. Joseph reminded members that since we are not qualified to clear helicopter pilots, we also cannot allow guest heli flying

at Humber Valley. This rule is part of the club's safety policy and is clearly printed on the Helicopter Application Form available on the club's web site. It is the responsibility of the Executive to set safety policy for the club and this is the current policy.

The Executive wishes to remind members and especially helicopter flyers that to fly choppers at the field next year, you will need to be certified. Also be reminded that guest heli flying is currently not permitted.

On a more positive note, **Gary Del Bel Belluz** has managed to arrange with the city to have a large load of earth dumped and leveled to the south and east of the shed which is being prepared for helicopter use. He is working with the city to have it seeded as soon as possible so there will be some grass growing in the spring. Helicopter flyers should contact Gary to volunteer with heli-port maintenance for next year.

Members who intentionally disregard cub policy and safety rules will have there flying privileges revoked. **Please govern yourself accordingly.** 

## 29th Annual Hobby Show is Coming! November 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup>

November, 2007



Don't forget to attend the Hobby Show at the International Center this year for great bargains and a look at all the latest in RC. Visit the hobby show web site at www.thehobbyshow.com.

Friday November 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday November 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday November 4<sup>th</sup>

 Show hours are:

 2<sup>nd</sup>
 12PM to 9PM

 3<sup>rd</sup>
 10AM to 8PM

 4<sup>th</sup>
 10AM to 6PM

ADMISSION: ADULTS \$12.00, SENIORS and KIDS 6 TO 12- \$8.00, Under 6 – FREE

#### FLASH – Treasurer Announces New Early Bird Renewal Discount – Save \$15.00!



It's getting close to that time of year again and we are planning the 2008 membership renewal drive for the November and December meetings. Now here's the good part.

**Dan Paluzzi**, Treasurer, has checked the books and determined that we had a "pretty good year", and has therefore authorized an early bird renewal/new member discount for anyone signing up on or before December 31.

2007. This incentive will replace the renewal raffle prizes we have had in past years.



Dan Paluzzi is smiling about his discount plan.

#### Now read carefully - here's the deal:

- Any full member renewal or new application received before December 31, 2007 will receive a \$15.00 discount off the \$90.00 annual fee for a net fee of \$75.00
- 2) To be eligible for the discount, renew at the November or December meeting OR mail in your application to the treasurer's address on the form. As long as your application is postmarked on or before Dec 31/07, you can claim the discount.
- 3) The discount does not apply to the One Time Joining Fee, the Junior Fee or the Family Fee.

# February Raffle Being Planned!

Need some excitement for the winter? Stay tuned! We are planning a big Humber Valley Dream Airplane raffle for the February meeting. This will be discussed at the Nov meeting. Watch next month's Flyer for prize details and raffle rules.

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