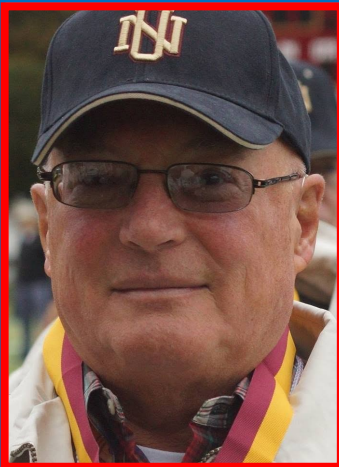


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We had our monthly club meeting at the field during our electric fly-in last Saturday. The main thing was the club is doing well financially and we have a Jet even coming up on June the 27. It will be a big deal.

The AMA has confirmed that MTRCS at Cane ridge has a **700'** AGL limit.



Dick Tonan, pictured here, is the one who single handedly was able to get our club a new altitude clearance from AMA of **700** feet. Up until last week we were only allowed to fly up to 400 feet above ground. Those of us who fly sailplanes felt restricted from following the thermals up into the heavens. Now we can go to 700 feet which is about as high as one can see anyway. We are just outside the circle of restricted flight near the Nashville airport and near the Smyrna airport so we are very fortunate to be able now to fly up to **700** feet. Dick is the powerhouse behind our Association Fly-Ins as well as our annual swap meet. He normally flies at Peeler so you might not know him. However, he was present at our Fly-In Saturday. Thanks Mr. Tonan.



We had a great day of flying Saturday! Someone counted 32 in attendance. It was a hoot, especially the Aero Scout hoard, mass launch. If you did not have a mark on your plane you were in a heap of trouble if you looked away since they all looked alike. It was so much fun we plan to do it again at any event where we have four or more Aero Scouts present.

A few pictures of our electric fly-in Saturday!

Wess prepared the food and it was just great. Thank you for making a donation for the meal. We actually came out ahead so Wess says he is going all out with the food at our Jet Fly as a way of saying thank you.



MTRCS 2026 Event Calendar

June 27 MTRCS Jet Fly-In @ 9:00 Cane Ridge; Combat too

July 18 MTRCS War Bird/Classic Fly-In @ 9:00 Cane Ridge Park /combat/ concessions / **club meeting as we eat.**

August 11 Club Meeting @ 6:30 Cane Ridge Park

September 15 Club Meeting @ 6:30 Cane Ridge Park

October 13 Club Meeting @ 6:30 SCC

November 14 Swap Meet in Murfreesboro

November 10 Club Meeting Election of Officers @ 6:30 SCC

December no events, pay your annual dues.

January 1, 2027, MTRCS Frigid Fly-In @ 9:30 Cane Ridge Park



Area Scouts doing their thing! We sold five.

