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The Newsletter Of Greensboro Radio Aero Modelers #481

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Good afternoon, and Happy Easter everyone!

I would like to extend a huge thank you to everyone who came out to support our first get-together of 2026. Field Readiness Day was a tremendous success, and it would not have been possible without your time, effort, and generosity.

Thank you!



✅ Projects Completed

Thanks to our volunteers, the following projects were completed:

All flight starter tables, picnic tables, and the front fence were stain-coated

Overgrowth of vines, briars, and tree limbs along the driveway were trimmed and removed
The old bleacher frame was fully cut up and removed from the field for metal recycling — after several years of effort!

A new wide ramp was built for the mower shed

Construction began on an additional flight table

A new one-piece rubber roof was installed on the mower shed
Last year we installed a new floor; this year, a new roof — next up is door replacement, which is badly needed

A new ceiling fan was installed under the clubhouse's covered area
(Special thanks to the "14 supervisors" who made sure it was done correctly — couldn't have done it without the expert oversight! 😊)

The entire field was weed-trimmed, weed preventative applied, and all grass areas cut

New Charter, Insurance, and Gold Leader documents were placed on the GRAMS Information Wall under the shelter

The Port-A-Potty was secured to the ground after being blown over twice by high winds

The Bad Boy mower's front right tire was repaired and re-inflated

Handicap parking signs at both the restroom and clubhouse were re-hung after wind damage

And of course — great pizza, cold drinks, and even better conversation were enjoyed by all for lunch!

(Several additional cleanup and improvement projects were also completed throughout the day.)










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🙌 Volunteer Appreciation

A heartfelt thank you to everyone who donated their time — and in many cases, supplies — to support our field for the 2026 summer season:

Preston Allen, John Amsden, John Carson, Tim Elkes, Hanson Gaugler, Duane Gentry, Dennis Hines, Robert Johnson, Chris Kimball, George Lawson, Allen Marsh, Mike Martin, Shane Vernon, Shane Vernon's daughter (my apologies for not learning her name), Tim White, and Jim Widdis. (I Think I got everyone!)

Your contributions truly make a difference!!

We hope to see everyone next Saturday for our first event of the summer. Please be sure to review the attached flyer's for details.

Thanks again to all who came out — this was a great start to the 2026 season!

Warm regards,
Duane

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GOLD LEADER CLUB
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5th Annual Spring "Fun Fly"

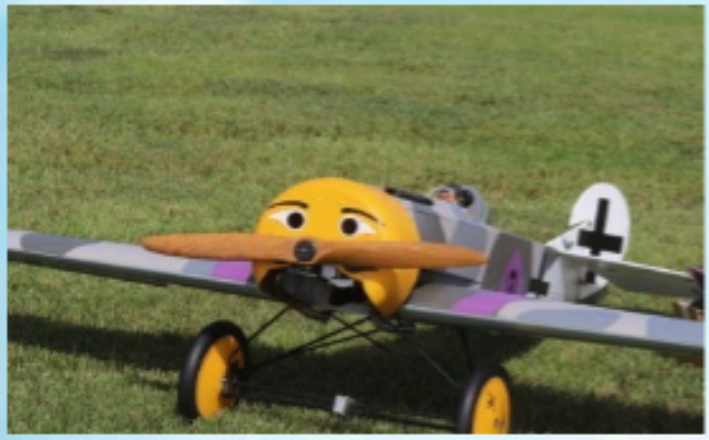




See you at GRAMS Field for a day of Flying & Fun!

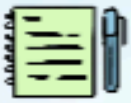
Registration 8AM, Landing Fee $10

REGISTER NOW





Pilots Meeting 10am



Hot Catered Lunch $10!

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