

# Prop Spinner Chatter



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## Club News and Other Information

### Last Club Meeting

Our last meeting was on March 21<sup>st</sup>. It was damp, but we hung in there.

### Club Flying

Sunday March 21 – John Thompson reported – Sunday's Prop Spinners club meeting was a small club meeting as the weather was gloomy and a couple of club members had other commitments, but there was indeed a meeting and a little bit of flying.

Friday April 9 – Mike Massey and Jim Corbett flew, actually got a bit warm around noon.

Sunday April 11 – John Thompson reported – Windy and cool until about noon, the wind slowed down a bit by noon.

John Thompson, Floyd Carter, Tom Kopriva, Mike Massey, Gene Pape and Jim Corbett flew. Steve Kendall and Jim Trezona Joined us for awhile.

**Event Report** - Oregon Flying Fun No. 4 was held in here in Eugene April 3rd.

John Thompson, Gene Pape, Mike Massey, Tom Kopriva, Dwayne Graville, Jim Corbett, Floyd Carter, Mike Denlis, Wayne Esauk, Mike Robinson, Bruce Hunt, Mike Hazel attended

Wind was 9-16 from the south and a COOL 45 degrees WCF 40...

John Thompson, Mike Denlis and Mike Hazel flew.

See the full Fun Fly report on Northwest Flying Lines web site at

<http://flyinglines.org/>

### Next Club Meeting Time and Place

Time and place – 10:00 AM **Sunday, April 18**, at the field.

Or at Wings restaurant in the airport terminal if the weather is bad.

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## Mike Massey visits brother Brian

He came down with his planes and we got to fly 4 days straight. I could see a lot of progress in his flying and was happy for him. But on the last day he completed a vertical 7 & 1/2 maneuver. The damage looked worse than it is; he should have the nose back on in a few weeks. The plane is his just completed "Plane Simple"; which seemed to fly very well. After I flew it once I told him not to crash it, it was too good. Brian Massey





**Oregon flying fun! No. 4** Eugene, April 3, 2010



There were three that braved the sky, and a fair collection of viewers.

See the full report on <http://flyinglines.org/Oregonfun.4.10.html>



**At the Field** April 9, 2010



Mike Massey's Red and White



Mike Massey's Plane Simple



Jim Corbett's Flite Streak.

**At the Field** April 11, 2010



Gene Pape's VooDoo.



VooDoo fueler.



Half prop syndrome.



Electric launch.



Floyd has this one tuned in.



Pavement hangar.



Fast launch.



Faster launch.



Grass hangar.

*Jim Corbett photos*



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## Upcoming Model Activities

**April 16-18** - Jim Walker Memorial, East Delta Park, Portland, Ore., for Aerobatics, Combat, Navy Carrier and Speed. Friday: Northwest Clown Race, Record Ratio Speed. Saturday: 1/2-A Combat, Profile Stunt, Classic Stunt, Old-Time Stunt. Sunday: 80mph Combat, Record Ratio Navy Carrier, Precision Aerobatics

**April 24** - Chehalis Cup Contest No. 2 for 80mph Combat, cuts only. All details tentative.

**May 15** - Northwest Skyraiders Fun Fly No. 1, Auburn Airport, Auburn, Wash.

**May 28-29-30** - Northwest Control-Line Regionals, Eugene Airport, Eugene, Ore.

**June 12-13** - Stunt-a-Thon for Aerobatics and Navy Carrier, Pierce County Airport (Thun Field), Puyallup, Wash.

### Prop Spinner Club officers

Mike Denlis, President

John Thompson, VP, Safety Officer,  
Treasurer

Tom Kopriva, Secretary

Jim Corbett, Newsletter Editor

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