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Guys it has been a little while since I got the last newsletter out to all of you. Hope you enjoyed the holidays. We did have the January 1st. chili fly and a good time was had by all with a good assortment of chili to sample and enjoy. Everyone there did get in a flight on that day. (We had a small hand launched glider that we all threw up in the air while we huddled in the shelter,)!

We have had some work days scheduled in the meantime and the weather just would not cooperate with us, so those projects are still waiting for us to complete them. The February meeting was also cancelled due to the weather. Our next meeting is set for March 7 at the library. Normal starting time 7:00 pm.

The annual Blacksheep swap meet coming up on March 23rd. This year we are combining the swap meet with the guys from the Ozark Mountain Barnstormers. This will be held at the Graceway Baptist Church 5010 S. Farm Rd. 135 Springfield MO. If you want to reserve a table (\$10.00 per table) contact Mr. David Siepker at ozmo01@yahoo.com. Darrell Wilson is in charge of the event. If you can assist in the setup of the event contact Darrell and let him know you can help.

This weather will be improving before long and we will get a chance to put some new airplanes up into the air. The swap meet is a great place to acquire a new aircraft for 2019.

You all received a notice this month that from Feb. 25th. on you are required to have your FAA registration number displayed on the outside of your model airplane or drone. This can be on the bottom of your model and there was no requirement at this time on the size of the lettering.

We have most of our members renewing their club membership again this year and we have had a few new members as well. The club membership stands at 37 at this point. Remember in addition to your club membership you must also keep your AMA membership current in order to fly at the field.

Well that is all that I have for you at this time. Start rounding up all those treasures that you want to sell at the swap meet and get your table reserved.

See you at the field!
Ron Hargrave
Blacksheep Secretary