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Smoke Screen

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President's Corner

Greeting members! 2015 is coming to a close and it was a good year. We lost a few planes, but John Dalton's twin is about all rebuilt. There were also some new and rebuilt panes this year.

In review of the year our club has added a nice wind sock tower, new wind sock, a couple of HD cameras, and another lawn tractor. We had some generous donors that gave so we could have these items and a big thank you for your gift(s). We had two successful fly-ins this year and the site looked good with the fence and bathroom building repaired and painted. And a BIG thank you to Kris Johnson for doing the labor on repairing the roof and the door frame on the bathroom building. Also a big thank you to Bud Park for keeping the weeds out of the parking lot all summer. Thanks also for all who helped with the moving of the site.

2016 should be quite an interesting year with several new planes some of our members are building. Wayne and Bill should be having a maiden flight on their twins that has taken them some years to build this spring. Darrin is also building a giant size plane with a DA 120 for power. I am sure there are more planes that will be new to the field this spring.

Our meeting is this Sunday (Dec 20th) at my place, 4112 SE Iowa, at 2:00. We will be electing our Vice-President and Field Safety Officer. On that note I would like to thank Jim Eastburn and Bob Longyear for serving their term in office for 2014 and 2015.

See you at the meeting and we wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Vernon Nelson President