

# Bourne Stormers Model Club



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Firstly, I apologise for the delay in getting this month's Newsletter out. Most of you know that I am also a RAFMAA member, so I was at the RAFMAA Champs last week. As usual the weather was mostly windy and sometimes a bit wet until Sunday (going home day) when it was sunny and calm. Also, as usual, I have some repairs to carry out, so at tomorrow's FunFly (quick reminder) I'll be flying something else due to the lack of a front end on my Fun Fly model!

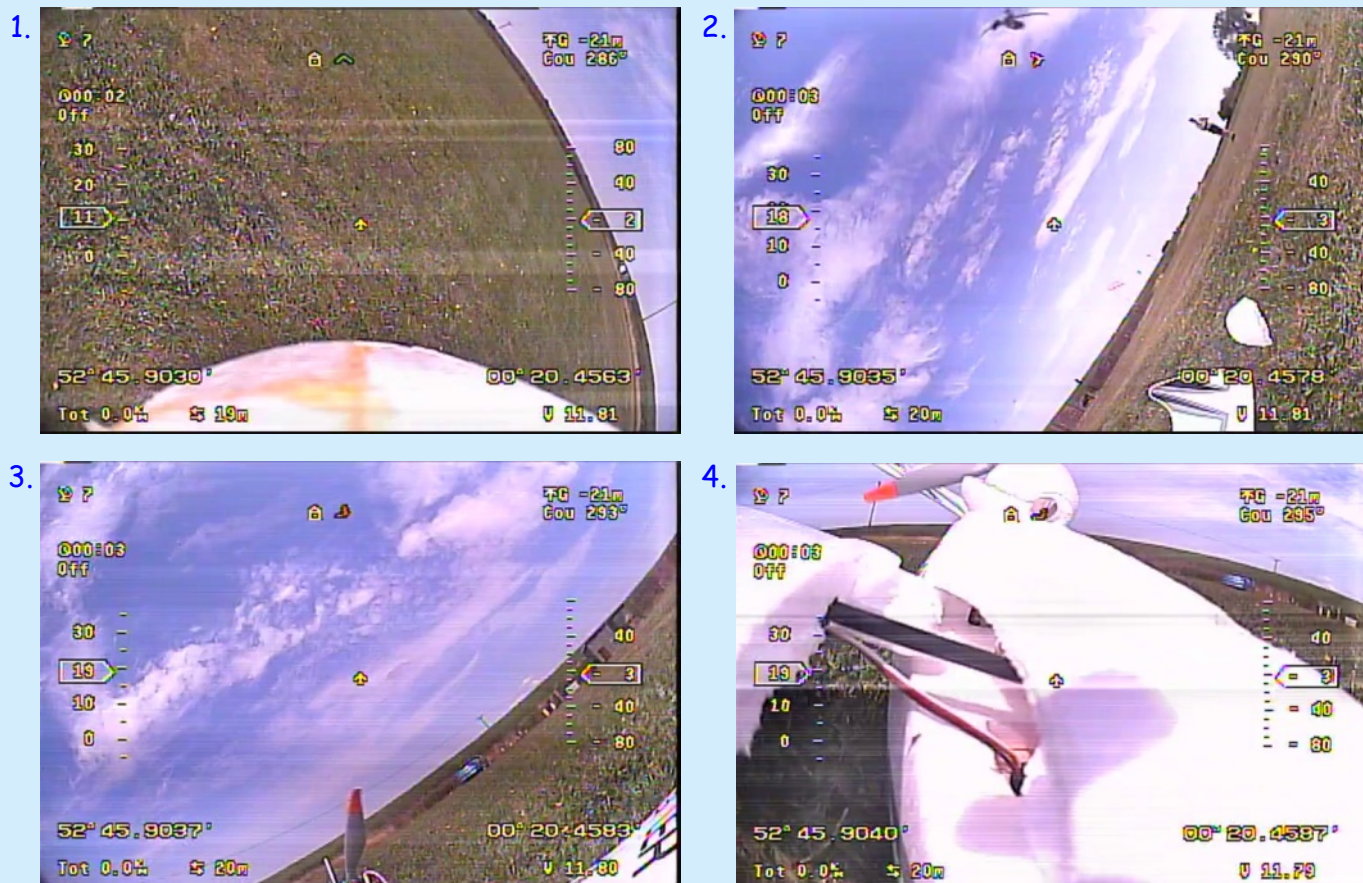
Although unable to attend last week's Meeting, thanks to an elaborate network of spies and informants (Thanks Jon), I have some notes from the Meeting. After the success of the Summer Meal, our usual Winter Meal is being replaced with an actual Christmas Meal this year, to be held on Saturday 14th December at the Waggon & Horses pub in Langtoft. More details nearer the time. A reasonably important point came up about the current increased risk of fire in the crops surrounding our Field. A landing out or crash may well happen but, if it does, please make sure we don't leave anything behind that may start a fire. Also, if the barrel is fired up, watch out for any sparks/burning cinders coming off it. Our model prep and starting tables are in need of some TLC/rebuilding/replacement so we're on the look out for some pallets or similar building materials. Lastly, a Club Winter build has been suggested, possibly something using Foamboard - ideas anyone?



A couple of pictures from a successful Midlands Area Fly-In last month.



Not a spotlight model this month but, as I was recording the fateful last flight of my Bixler, I have some 'last second' screen shots.



Finally, a couple of RAFMAA Champs pictures. The reason my FunFly is currently out of commission and, it took a couple of days, but a shot of me finally going through the last gate to complete a lap on the FPV Drone racing course.



## Upcoming Events

### Aug 2024

Wed 7th

Club Meeting at the Wishing Well

Sat/Sun 10th & 11th

Elvington LMA.

Sat 17th

Melton & District Model Club

Open Day/Swapmeet/FunFly.

Buckminster FunFly Nationals.

Sat 18th

Club FunFly Event.

### Sept 2024

Wed 4th

Club Meeting at the Wishing Well

Sun 15th

Club FunFly Event.

Sat/Sun 21st & 22nd

Scale Helicopter Fly-in -

Buckminster.

Fri/Sat/Sun 27th to 29th

Best of British & Laser Engine Fly-

In - Buckminster.

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