

The WAMM newsletter is established as a non-profit voice for the purpose of circulating information of interest or value as well as shared experiences to Mooney Mites owners and enthusiasts. In addition, it is formed in recognition that a newsletter is essential to maintain communication between wite owners in attempting flying condition preservation of the remaining single place Mooneys. The newsletter is published as enough news and information gathers to be informative to the wite owners.....

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NEWSLETTER

WESTERN ASSOCIATION OF MOONEY MITES



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In May at Porterville California, WAMM held it's annual spring get-together with a grand total of nine mighty mites on parade. The following were the attendees:

Tony Pupa-----Chino, Ca.-----N4102
Dave Grubert----Tacoma, Wa.-----N4177
Bill Vandersande-Chino, Ca.-----N4105
Michael Harms---Hayward, Ca.-----N60NM
Gary Gramman---El Cajon, Ca.-----N119C
Dick McComas---Torrance Ca.-----N329M
Ben Favrholt-----Porterville Ca.-----N66MX
Gil Gilbert-----Kent, Wa.-----N4121
Tony Terrigno----Chino. Ca.-----N120C
* Robby Robins----Fallbrook, Ca.-----N7177X

*Robby flies a Cessna (Texas Taildragger) as a Honorary member of WAMM because he enjoys the fun with the Mite people. He has been attending the Mooney Mite flyins for quite some time, (years)! Members are trying to fix 'him up' with one of the great little Mooneys!!! No luck yet, maybe some day soon!!!!????

During the Porterville gathering the group attending decided to have a plaque made for Ken Billingsley in appreciation for the free rental transportation he has provided WAMM during our spring get -togethers in the many past years.

Therefore, with that in order a plaque was prepared to be given to Ken in August prior to our 17th annual fly-in at Columbia California.

By the way, that event is very near term. The dates this year are 20, 21, & 22 August 1993 and as always on friday, satruday, & sunday. Lets' make it a great showing of mighty mites again this year. Looking forward to seeing some new mites and new faces there---don't miss the mite mania!!! Notice that this year the Columbia flyin is a week earlier than previous years. Instead of the weekend before labor day, it is two weekends before labor day!!!!

FOR SALE: Marvin Bein at 713-334-115 has a VFR equipped M18L mite with 650 hrs total engine and airframe time. Many items have been replaced & reworked on this aircraft according to Marvin. He is asking \$17,000. The power plant is a O-145-B2 Lycoming. The photo he sent me appears to indicate a nice mite for someone who is looking. However, the price definitely should be negotiated.

FOR SALE: Dick Corcoran at the Corona Ca. Airport has mite parts for sale at about \$1000 plus. No engine! The parts are enough to assemble a ccomplete airplane, I beleive; maybe! Glen Bell of Oregon was interested; however, I'm not certain if he was about to contact Dick... If interested, write to: Dick Corcoran P.O. Box 285....Sunset Beach, Calif. 90742.....No phone is available, onlythe above address!!!!

Next month some info on a "Directory of Mooney Mites" cerca the 60's & 70's! In addition I may insert the tribute (I wrote some years ago) to Al Mooney for the mite called "EVERLASTING MOONEY THE MITES".

KEEP THE MITES FLYING

Western Association of Mooney Mites

17th Annual Mooney Mite Flyin

1993 Columbia, California

at

COLUMBIA AIRPORT

on

FRIDAY-SATURDAY-SUNDAY

in

August

on the

20th-21st-22th

Camping-Motels-Fun & Mite Mania

KEEP THE MITES FLYING

**1993 17th Annual Mooney Mite
Columbia Fly-in**

Friday - 20 August 1993

3:00 - 6:00 pm - Greetings
6:30 - 7:00 pm - Sunset Flyby
7:30 - until pm - Dinner & Hangar Flying

Saturday - 21 August 1993

6:30 - 7:00 am - Dawn Patrol
7:30 - 9:30 am - Breakfast Flight
9:30 - 12:00 am - Greeting More Arrivals
12:00 - 1:30 pm - Lunch
1:30 - 2:30 pm - Relaxation & Mite Talk
2:30 - 5:00 pm - Short Flying Safari To ??????
5:00 - 7:00 pm - Relaxation
7:00 - until pm - Happy Hour & Dinner

Sunday - 22 August 1993

6:30 - 7:00 am - Dawn Patrol
7:30 - 9:00 am - Breakfast
9:00 - 12:00pm - More Mite Talk or ?????
12:00- pm - Lunch or/and Departures

ACCOMMODATIONS: Campout or Town Motels
MITE MANIA FUN: Don't Miss it!!!!

Remember - Keep The Mites Flying