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TORKS Club meetings: The first Tuesday of each month at the Will Rogers Garden Center on the corner of NW 36th and the Lake Hefner Parkway overpass. Meeting time: 7:30pm to 9:00pm.

#### TORKS TALK

The Oklahoma Radio Control Society Official Newsletter

January 2012

#### Annual Dues and Gate Re-key

As we are now well into 2012 here is a reminder to be sure to pay your annual TORKS dues. Dues may be submitted to TORKS, c/o George Burton, 5830 NW Expressway, Ste. 239, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73132.

NOTE: Gate and frequency box lock combinations are ordinarily changed in early February but due to security concerns the key combinations were changed right after the start of 2012.

#### Thanks to Ken and Chris

After nearly 2 decades of service to TORKS, Ken and Chris Kehlet once again arranged the annual TORKS Christmas dinner party. The event was open to all members and their families. There were upwards of 100 folks in attendance. Gifts brought to the dinner by Ken and Chris assured that each person took a memento home. Additionally, Ken and Chris arranged for special grand prizes for ticket drawing winners. And again TORKS members thank you both for your dedication and service.

### Field Rule Change & Vote

The current rule for Sunday morning activities at TORKS field is:

*There will be no flying or engine run ups before 10:00 A.M. on Sunday mornings.*

The proposed new rule for Sunday morning activity at TORKS field is:

*There will be no flying of, or engine run ups of internal combustion engines before 10:00 AM on Sunday mornings.*

The reason for the proposed rule change is the wide acceptance and use of quiet electric-powered modes. This rule change will be discussed at the February meeting and voted on in the March TORKS meeting.

### All Season Flyers

The following list of TORKS members were awarded the distinction of being "All Season Flyers" at the January meeting:

Mark Grennan

Larry Hardin

Jim Davis

Jim Flannigan

JW John Canfield

George Burton

Ken Kehlet

### Drawing Winners

At the Christmas Party

Warren Dunlevy won the .46 Size Black Horse (BH) P-51B Red Tail North American Mustang ARF.

Ken Kehlet won the Hobbico Mini "Nexstar" ARF.

At the January Club Meeting

George Burton and Tom Solinski each won \$50.00 gift certificate redeemable at Mike's Models in the drawing

Ken Kehlet won "Model of the Month" award and \$10.00 gift certificate redeemable at Mike's Models

### Indoor Flying Event

Indoor flying is at the Exchange Ave Baptist Church on the SE corner of Penn and Exchange at the East end of Stockyards district. The entrance to the auditorium is a drive-through on the east face of the church. Flying is from 9 till 4 on Saturday, January 21. If you bring something to fly please bring a \$5 donation to the church.

Respectfully,

John Graham

