



# Whirlwind



Newsletter of the Beltzville Flying Machine Society

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## COCKPIT CORNER – by Brian Sherman, [did4ways@aol.com](mailto:did4ways@aol.com)

### Dedicated to the Memory of Herb Sherman

*A great father, husband and ardent lifetime RC model enthusiast and long term BFMS. He took his final flight on July 14, 2017. He will be missed. Keep the cockpit side up!*



#### THEN

Betty Sherman – wife  
Linda Sherman – daughter  
Shoestring – favorite plane



This edition of Cockpit Corner has been particularly difficult to write and is dedicated to my dad, Herb Sherman, who passed away suddenly on July 14<sup>th</sup> a few days after his 87<sup>th</sup> birthday. For those that knew him the picture above says it better than anything I could write.

Going to the BFMS field and interacting with the members was something he enjoyed immensely and looked forward to each weekend. This year's Fun Fly event was the first time he missed one and the extended Sherman family appreciates all the kindness and support the BFMS family provided during this difficult time.

The fund raiser was one of the most successful in recent years. The club received \$272 in donations for the Monroe County Conservation Camp to enable a needy child to attend a one week camping adventure. Thanks to everyone for your support. The picture below contains the list of the winners and pictures of the raffle table and drawing.

Although the weather looks a bit iffy for this weekend, we plan to hold the August meeting at the field. If the weather turns bad, we will meet at Platz's.

Until next time keep the cockpit up and be safe.



**Prize Table  
Security Guards**

**Joyce & John**

**RAFFLE DRAWING**

**Brian – President  
Scott – Treasurer  
Logan – Ticket Picker  
Larry – Observer**

**WINNERS (not shown)**

- Kevin Fox
- Regina Sherman
- Scott Voth
- Bill Murtoff



**Questions or Comments  
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**Next meeting,  
Saturday, August 12, 2017  
at the  
Field  
about  
12:00PM (noon)**