

Radio Control Modelers of Baltimore



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How Fast?

You will learn at 30–40 m.p.h. As you increase your skills and types of planes, you will pick up speed to 60 to 80 m.p.h. for a 60 size plane.

Power Choices

Glow fueled engines are a preferred start. Gasoline is a later option. Kerosene is for jets and turbines. Electric is a novelty and enjoyable side bar, but not good for beginners. A fair amount of stick time in the air with take offs and landings is necessary to obtain optimum proficiency.

Use Batteries

Standard – Ni Cads
Upgrades – NiMH
Electrics – Lithium Polymer (LiPo)

Radio Equipment

We are leaving 72 MH for Spread Spektrum 2.4 technology in transmitting communication to aircraft. Most package deals come with transmitter and choice of 5, 6, 7, 8 or 9 channel operation to meet your needs. Batteries are included for transmitter and receiver in package.

About RCMB:

RCMB was established in the 1950's at Peerce's Plantation. We now have our field and meetings at our flying site at the Parkton landfill off Rt. I-83 North at exit 33. We welcome beginners and experienced RC flyers. We have no membership cap. We have heat and electricity and a 300 ft. blacktop runway on the 5 acre well cared for venue for flying RC.

Learning to Fly RC Aircraft:

Learning to fly RC is not difficult. We have several club planes to take you up and let you have a real flying experience. Through the use of a buddy box and training with our certified and well qualified instructors, we are more than willing to help you get started. You will need help! We can also assist you by recommending the right equipment to buy and trainer type to get you started.

For more information, check out our website at www.RCMB.org. We have links to dealers, suppliers and local hobby shops. You can also download a membership application for both RCMB and National membership.



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How Much to Begin?

Start up can be with used equipment which will be cheaper.

New costs can be package deals ranging from \$400 to \$500's through hobby stores and on line.

Club dues and National AMA membership also would be expected.

How High and High Far

Some planes have a limited range. Large models are easier to fly.

You can only control what you can see.

Types of RC Aircraft

Types of RC aircraft range from Gym, Park, and Field types of flying models.

A high wing slow flying type 40 size craft is a preferred start up for our instructors to work with you for the fastest and best success.



DIRECTIONS FROM BELTWAY:

Take 83N to Exit 33 (Parkton), at top of exit cross over York Road onto Stablers Church Road. Continue to sharp right hand turn at STOP sign. Look for RCMB sign across from STOP sign. Follow road past school bus depot, turn left up hill to airfield parking lot.

DIRECTIONS FROM YORK, PA

Take 83S to the York Road exit. At top of exit turn left. Cross over 83 and turn left onto Stablers Church Road. Continue to sharp right hand turn at STOP sign. Look for RCMB sign across from STOP sign. Follow road past school bus depot, turn left up hill to airfield parking lot.

When arriving, ask any club member for help finding a membership application along with a well prepared packet of information to assist you. A list of instructors is posted with phone numbers on the outside bulletin board. We would encourage you to hook up with an instructor.

