

2017 Holiday Party

By Mike Dallmer



What a blast, this is turning out to be the must attend event of the year. The last 2 years attendees were returned their payment plus given a year's membership because of the health



of the SJKF Treasury. Returning this year were the fabulous basket raffles put together by Donna McGee with the help her sister-in-law during a very stressful time in her and Dan's lives. Ben Huggett donated a really cool SJKF Personal Banner with a Christmas Theme. Kite Bingo also made a return for the second year in row with kites bought by SJKF from New Tech Kites.



Randi's Restaurant and Bar again did a fantastic job of feeding us and Cel

as always was great as your host and made me look good. The children 12 and under got something special again from SJKF.



31 SJKF Members along with 16 other Family and Friends attended this fantastic event. Something I find really cool is that is

45% of the membership.

I hear Mike Jr won something like 3 baskets plus a \$100 bill, believe me, this is totally legit!!



Hope to see you there December 3, 2017!!!

2006 AKA Affiliate Kite Club of the Year

Vi Brown and Andy Selzer

By Mike Dallmer

As many of you know Vi Brown was recently diagnosed with an inoperable tumor that wrapped around one of her arteries that feeds blood to her lungs. This has caused all kinds of problems for Vi. Vi has undergone Chemotherapy and had a port surgically implanted for future treatment. Vi was also Andy Selzer primary caregiver since Andy had his stroke about 3 years ago. They told me last week that there is some improvement, better than none, but Vi still needs more Chemo and then Radiation.

After the Holiday Party where this news was made public I was contacted by Nancy Krablin with the wish to do something for Vi and Andy. After many emails and suggestions, Meals on Wheels, get them a house cleaner, taxi rides etc, it was decided to take up a collection for them within SJKF. Being busy and ill myself, Nancy was tasked with the job of taking care of this with me only sending emails and being the gathering point for funds. Nancy wrote the following:

In Sicklerville, a couple be

By Nancy Krablin

Our friends Andy and Vi
Kite club we know as South Jersey
Holds you in esteem high

Nature has blown you some "Bad winds"
Know this at times occurs
Hoping Vi is now on the mend
But we to you defer

We racked our brains and
"asked around"
For ways that we might help
No ideal assist to be found
So here's cash- please
don't yelp!

Your kiting family does wish
"Good winds" to blow your way
Perhaps instead some tasty dish..
"Best wishes" we all say!

On the night 1/6/17 Cel and I had the esteemed honor of representing all of you and delivered your generous gift totaling \$1275 to Vi and Andy. To say that they were overwhelmed is an understatement . This was especially timely as Vi had just had a permanent port put in for future treatments.

Andy and Vi want all of you to know that your kindness will help them greatly...

Andy then dictated the following as their way of saying THANK YOU to SJKF!!

2006 AKA Affiliate Kite Club of the Year

This the season for Sharing

By Andy Selzer and Vi Brown

Santa's elves made a call this Friday January 6, a little late they were. As Vi had made a port of call earlier in the day (her right shoulder). But a bearing gifts the Elves did acclaim as they came through the door. The Elves had to use the door as Santa and his Reindeer

had already departed to the garage for the year. Fear not the host did shout, the tree is still shinning bright in the back. The Children had left their presents of Christmas Day around the base of the tree. there was even Beady eyed moose staring up into the sky looking for Santa's departing derriere .

Elves Michael and Cecilia perused the many the shinny ornaments of glass and gold

from Wheaton Village the host did profoundly attest. There were angles on high in the tree and baby Jesus laid below in the manger while the toy soldiers stood guard, wooden in their stance to protect him and his many glass friends.

The Elves added a gift from the club members far and wide, with astonishment and smiles Andy and Vi read the many wondrous words and beheld the great gift.

So with thoughts and well wishes from many kite friends across the globe did Andy and Vi know this had been one of the most special Christmas's of all. See you all on the next hill (Kite in hand).

Many Many special thanks to you all, Andy and Vi and have a great New Year.



Presidential Ponderings and Duck Droppings

By Mike Dallmer

WOW, 2017 already. How time flies, I hope our kites fly this well also. You cannot believe how busy things have been here with SJKF in the first few weeks of the year but if you look at the calendar and how many events you have to choose from you will have some idea. Expect to have a few hard choices as old events are still on the calendar but there are also some new events, the Chester County Balloon Festival sounds especially exciting! Also not too far from home this year is the AKA's 40th Annual Convention in Ocean City, Maryland, just a couple hours drive away.

As I reflect the life of SJKF I cannot believe since our founding on 10-1-1994 at the 17th AKA Convention that this our 23rd year and of those 23 years I have been on the Board of SJKF in some capacity for 22 years and this will be my 13th year as President. What does this have to do with anything and why is it here, it is my HONOR to help guide SJKF and you guys have made me proud on more than one occasion. This was brought home to me recently of how great a bunch of people with a common love of kites are when Nancy Krablin and I worked on getting donations together for Vi and Andy, the outpouring of love that was shown was overwhelming!! Thank you so much, you, members of SJKF have humbled not only me but Vi and Andy in your caring and generosity.... You can send cards to them at: Vi Brown and Andy Selzer
19 Penfield Lane
Sicklerville, NJ 08081

As we enter 2017 SJKF is again financially sound to the tune of \$6,682.45, this after SJKF picking up the entire tab for the Holiday Party and renewing the memberships of those attending for another year (if you didn't attend the Holiday Party this year, think

about it next year).

Please let us try to keep SJKF this way, there are going to be some kite workshops again this year that we are a going to need help at, watch the newsletter and emails for more information. Our membership is not bad, right before renewal (10/1/16) we had 74 members, as of 1/15/17 we are at 71 members, very good.



A few subtle changes have taken place with SJKF, our Po Box is no longer, the new mailing address is:

SJKF
C/O Mike Dallmer
306 Friendship St.
Phila. Pa 19111

This is due to the health of Vi and Andy, one less thing for them to worry about plus this change has the added benefit of things turning around a lot quicker. Another change that has taken place, well, it is really more of an addition, due to Vi Brown's health SJKF now has an Interim Treasurer. At the December Meeting I have asked the American Kitefliers Association Treasurer, Cel Dallmer, to act as interim Treasurer until Vi is ready to take back her duties. A motion was made by Kevin Shannon that Cel be approved as Interim Treasurer. Donna McGee seconded the motion. A vote was taken. The motion passed unanimously.

In closing, get ready to Rock and Roll this year as 2017 is looking to be fabulous year, just check the calendar.

Good winds... .Mike

SJKF Winter Workshop, February 18, 2017 ***"Bring what you're working on, need sewing repairs or what you want to learn"***

Hosted by Mike Dallmer

First, I'm sorry for the scheduling conflict with the MKS Retreat, I tried to change the date but there no opening at the library for a Saturday. After much thought the subject for this year's workshop is easy, "Bring what you're working on, needs sewing repair or what you want to learn". Must RSVP by February 8, 2017 to me at information mikedallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092 if you are coming. If we are repairing something and need parts, please let me know so I can be prepared. Time is 10am till 4:30pm Location Gloucester County Library, Mullica Hill, NJ, Contact Mike Dallmer for more information mikedallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092

Fly 'em if You Got 'em

By Russ Mozier



Yesterday, Sunday January 8th was Pat's and my 51st wedding anniversary. Back in 1966 it snowed and was a cold and windy day, it was cold and windy here in Florida yesterday but at least it didn't snow. It was in the low 50's with winds 25 and gusting higher. This was the day of our Central Florida Kite Club monthly kite fly and it reminded me of Ed Spencer's annual January "Fly 'em if you got 'em" about 20 years or so ago at the



Camden Aquarium. We were flying at Sand Point Park along the water in Titusville. The kites



are our 60 foot dragon kites we made in a workshop with Connectikites in 2000. We also flew some dual line kites, Pat broke a spar and put a hole in her Jam Session, Travis Scott broke one of the lines on his and crashed and John Lutter's went out of control and flew into a tree, his son Alex climbed the tree and retrieved it for him. I flew a Skynasaur Aerobat which was my very first dual line kite Pat gave me for my birthday back in 1994, it has a really heavy sail and solid spars and needs high winds to fly it. Sunday was a great day for it, it flew great. All



of the damages will be able to be repaired. All in all it was a fun day and it ended with dinner at Cracker Jack's seafood restaurant with friends, a great meal and a great view of the water.



Editor's Note 1: Pat and Russ Mozier are real active kites in the Orlando area, founding members of the Central Florida Kite Club and get invited all over North America to fly kites. They are also know as South Jersey Kite Flyers South.

Editor's Note 2: that is John Lutter's Kite and son up a tree, ever wonder what happens to AKA retired Presidents? Here is a good example, we love you John. John is owner/ operator of <http://www.kitestop.com/> in Titusville, Fl.



The follow is from "Cowpat Hill", the Journal of the White Horse Kite Flyers

White Horse Kite Flyers Code of Practice

Always fly safely

Always be considerate to others using the same area be it noise or physical intrusion into their space.

Always fly legally taking in to account all National, Local and CAA restrictions and by-laws. (FAA is our case)

Never fly at a height of more than 60m above ground level, in the UK unless a CAA clearance is in force. (as at festivals) IFYOU DON'T KNOW.....ASK. (in the US it is 500 ft.)

Never fly a kite in wet or stormy weather. Always try and keep you line dry.

Never fly near power lines, transmission towers or aerals.

Never fly near airfields. (US stay 5 miles away from an airport).

Never fly a kite with anything metallic in the line.

Always when tethering a kite ensure that the ground anchor is suitable (see BKFA report 6 June 06).

Always use a brake line when flying large kites.

Always wear good quality gloves when flying large powerful kites.

Always give priority to domestic animals particularly if they are showing signs of distress.

Always clear up after yourself, especially lines, tails and bits of plastic that could trap, choke or injure domestic animals.

Never fly near kite-eating trees.

Note the use of traction kiting at Barbury Castle is forbidden by law. (this too is true in some locations in the US).

Finally remember.....your kites can get really quite lonely up high in the sky; just occasionally, look up and give them a SMILE. It will make you feel better too.



If you walk like a duck.

Quack like a duck.

**Have feathers
like a duck.**

Eat like a duck.

Lay eggs like a duck.

**There is a very high probability that
you're a duck!**

Editor's note: Interesting!!!



Don't like what you see here, the Editor's Position of SJKF is still up for grabs!!

SJKF Meeting Minutes for October 16, 2016

Recorded by Donna M. McGee

Opening: President Mike Dallmer opened the meeting at 12:30 PM at SJKF Annual Holiday Party held at Randi's Restaurant and Bar 1619 Grant Plaza Philadelphia, PA 19115. The preamble was read and Mike officially opened the meeting and welcomed all of the revelers.

Opening Motion: Mike Dallmer made a request for \$800.00 of the club's general funds for an undisclosed purpose based upon his benevolent nature. Kevin Shannon made the motion to approve and Gina Gorski seconded. A vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously.

Prayers Needed: For our Treasurer Viola Brown. She has an inoperable tumor wrapped around one of the arteries feeding her lungs. Our Vice President Andy Selzer was hospitalized after passing out. Continued Prayers for the little Grandson and family of one of our member who wish to remain anonymous. Update: the Grandson is doing better.

Anyone who would like to send get well wishes or words of encouragement
Vi Brown and Andy Selzer
19 Penfield Lane
Sicklerville, NJ 08081

At this point Mike Dallmer revealed the purpose of the \$800.00 monetary request. Each member present received the cost of their ticket to the Holiday Party as well as another year added on to their current membership to SJKF. Additionally, the gift basket for the auction and the kites for the kite Bingo games were paid for with this money. Finally \$100 was set aside for the 50/50 and gifts from Santa were provided to all of the children who attended.

Quorum: As of 11/17/16 there are 69 members in good standing 10%, (7 members) is required to have an official club meeting. In attendance were 31 members; Cel and Mike Dallmer, Mike Dallmer, Jr., Pat Boyland, Louse Lou, Jack and Cody Edling, Brooke Gorski, Eric Gorski, Gina Gorski, Jackson Gorski, Ken Gorski, Marc Gorski, Nick Gorski, Trudy and Terry Hooven, Ben Huggett, Kurtis Jones, Hank Kleinot, Larry and Nancy Krablin, Chris May, Thom McAdams, Donna McGee, Russ and Pat Mozier Mike Petty, Don Pignolet, Cliff Quinn, Cinda and Kevin Shannon. Guests attending: Amanda Carlson, Bob Burnett, Brenda, Stevie, Vikki, Marcus, Eliza and Uri (with Kurtis Jones) John and Amy and their children Jack, Kyler, Mya, Brianna, and Shanna. (with Trudy Hooven).

Baskets: Are taking the place of the Raffle today. Tickets for the raffle are 1 for \$1 or 6 for \$5. Today's special: 15 for \$10.00, 30 tickets for \$20.00

Thank You: Mike took a moment to say "Thank you" to all of the Board Members who served this last year: Andy Selzer-Vice President

Cel Dallmer – 2nd Vice President
Viola Brown – Treasurer
Donna McGee- Secretary
Ben Huggett – Director at Large
Dan McGee - Director at Large

And of course a huge "Thank YOU" to Mike Dallmer for all you do as our president to keep SJKF an active and successful club that it is, from the membership and the board members.

Treasurer Report: As reported by Cel Dallmer as of 10/16/16 treasury balance is \$5,973.36, Andy Selzer reported that as of 10/31/2016 the club had a total sum of \$7640.74 in the bank.

11/01/2016 through 11/30/2016

Income

Holiday Party \$500.00

Membership Dues \$35.00

Auction \$200.00

Total \$735.00

Expenses

Webpage \$99.95

Total \$8275.79 as of 11/30/2016 in SJKF in SJKF Treasury

Pat Mozier made a motion to accept the treasurer's report as given. Kevin Shannon seconded. A vote was taken and the motioned passed unanimously.

Approve minutes of October 2016 Meeting: As recorded by Donna McGee. Minutes were read. A motion was made by Thom McAdams to accept the minutes as reported, Gina Gorski seconded. A vote was taken. The motion passed unanimously.

Old Business:

1) Short Reports: None

Coming Events See calendar for complete details.

1/15/2017 Deadline for submission of articles for the next issue of **WindWriters**. Send to Mike Dallmer. mikedallmer@verizon.net 306 Friendship Street, Philadelphia, PA 19111

1/14/17 – 1/15/17 **TISKC: 2016 Treasure Island Sport Kite Championships** Contact Windworks 727-320-9463 boomerr5@msn.com

1/15/17 (3rd Sunday) **SJKF Meeting**, 1PM, Gloucester County Library, Mullica Hill, NJ. Meeting Room B. Contact Mike Dallmer for more information. mikedallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092.

2/18/17 (Saturday) **SJKF Winter Workshop**. Subject to be announced. Location Gloucester County Library, Mullica Hill, NJ. Contact Mike Dallmer for more information. mikedallmer@verizon.net

3/15/17 Deadline for submission of articles for the next issue of **WindWriters**. Send to Mike Dallmer. mikedallmer@verizon.net 306 Friendship Street, Philadelphia, PA 19111.

2006 AKA Affiliate Kite Club of the Year

3/19/2017 (3rd Sunday) **SJKF Meeting**, 1PM, Gloucester County Library, Mullica Hill, NJ. Meeting Room B. Contact Mike Dallmer for more information. mikedallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092.

Treasurer: At the last meeting it was voted upon by the members that the President's name be added to our account which happened on 11/28/2016.

- 1) Since Vi is really ill and Andy has his own problems, I have asked the American Kitefliers Association Treasurer Cel Dallmer to act as interim Treasurer until Vi is ready to take back her duties. A motion was made by Kevin Shannon that Cel be approved as Interim Treasurer. Donna McGee seconded the motion. A vote was taken. The motion passed unanimously.

American Kitefliers Association:

- 1) **AKA 2007 Convention:** The location for next year's convention is Ocean City, MD to celebrate the 40th Anniversary, back to their roots. The tentative dates are 10/09/2017-10/13/2017. Mike wrote an email to Jay at the Kite Loft for the official dates and is awaiting an answer.

February SJKF Workshop: Saturday 02/18/17- the club has the library from 10 AM till 5 pm

- 1) Ideas? What would you like to build

Holiday Party 2016:

- 1) How many signed up? 48
- 2) How much for children's gifts and table fodder? - \$100
- 3) Presidential request of \$800.00 distribution is as follows:
 - a) \$200.00 to New Tech for Kite Bingo prizes
 - b) \$100.00 for 50/50
 - c) \$500.00 to return to membership ticket cost for Holiday Party.

Election Results: Out of a possible 64 votes

Kurtis Jones, and Mike Petty volunteered to tabulate the ballots.

President – Mike Dallmer- 35 votes Elected for the 13th Term!!!!

1st Vice President- Andy Selzer- 34 votes

Director at Large- Ben Huggett- 34 votes

Director at Large- Dan McGee- 30 votes

Results were unanimous.

Thank you to those who hold elected office for their generous support and promotion of the club.

Other positions

Secretary: Donna McGee

Treasurer: Viola Brown

Interim Treasurer: Cel Dallmer

Any other old business? None

New Business

Printer Supplies: The club needs more ink for the printer. Each set costs \$70.00 which yields approx. 3 issues of WindWriters, which works out to \$23.33 per issue.

This does not include the agendas for each meetings, ballots, membership cards, etc. Not a bad deal.

Thom McAdams made a motion to spend \$70.00 for printer supplies. Larry Krablin seconded the motion. A vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously.

Blank Membership Cards: The clouds that we use are hard to find, I did find a source, 2 packs total are about \$23.00 with shipping. That amount should last about 5-8 years. Donna McGee made a motion to spend \$70.00 for printer supplies. Larry Krablin seconded the motion. A vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously.

SJKF May Meeting: This is the closest to May I could get the library is all booked up on all Saturdays and Sundays during the month. So we will be meeting 4/30/2016 (4th Sunday) **SJKF Meeting**, 1 PM Gloucester County Library, Mullica Hill, NJ Meeting Room B. Contact Mike Dallmer for more information mikedallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092.

New proposed events:

- 1) **Chester County Balloon Festival**, June 23 -25, they would like us to fly kites n June 24-25 from 11-4. There are all kinds of activities going on. Exposure to 25,000 -30,000 people. 25-30 balloons take part. RC plane show at 5. 45 minutes from Mullica Hill. Location is New Garden Flying Field is located at 1235 Newark Road, Toughkenamon, PA Rick Schimpf Npolesix@gmail.com 484-787-4975 r.schimpf@rickstreeservice.com <http://ccballoonfest.com/>
They may also want a kite build. Possible Hotel rooms. May I suggest that we only participate one day as it is 1.5 hours one way for me?
- 2) Warminster Community Park on April 8, 2017 they just want a kite fly
- 3) Boys Scouts STEM Program: My name is John Brilla. I work with the local Boy Scouts and we are putting a on a huge(3,000-4,000 kids) STEM based event on May 20th at the NJ National Guard Barrack in Sea Girt. We are looking for an organization that could come out and have an interactive kite flying activity. Is that something that your organization would be interested in? It would be great press as there will be about 10,000 people(with the adults) there. What we are looking for a station where someone explains the engineering behind building and flying a kite. As well as possibly show how the kites are built and fly a few kites for demonstration. Kurtis Jones volunteered as a point person for this event.
- 4) The Morris Arboretum is a 92 acre Victorian garden in the northwest section of Philadelphia. For the last two years we have run a STEAMPunk Expo on the second Sunday in June. Next year's Expo will be Sunday, June 11, 2017. Ben Huggett volunteered as a point person for this event.

Phase out the PO Box: has been done, will save Andy and Vi work, save the club \$100 a year and I will now get SJKF Mailing quicker so there will no longer be a lapse in processing memberships, etc.

Changes to By-Laws: Something to think about, remove 2 Board non-elected positions since it is harder to find bodies willing to take those spots. Possibly one Vice President and combine the Secretary Treasurer position into one.

Close meeting – A motion was made by Cel Dallmer to close the meeting at 1:15 PM and it was seconded by Gina Gorski. A vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously.



Calendar of Events for SJKF, 1/18/17

2/17/17 – 2/20/17 **The Maryland Kite Society 2017 Winter Kitemakers Retreat.** The Retreat will feature Michael Goddard. Deadline to register is 1/25/17. For more info www.mdkites.org or contact Jon Burckhardt E-mail: takokichi@comcast.net Hotel Information: Turf Valley Resort, 410-465-1500 or 888-833-8873, Group Code is C/L #27W5WC, 2700 Turf Valley Road, Ellicott City, MD US

2/18/17 **SJKF Winter Workshop**, Subject “Bring what you’re working on, need repairs or what you want to learn”. Must RSVP by February 8, 2017. Time is 10am till 4:30pm Location Gloucester County Library, Mullica Hill, NJ, Contact Mike Dallmer for more information mikedallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092

3/15/17 **Deadline for submissions of article for next issue of WindWriters**, Send to Mike Dallmer mikedallmer@verizon.net 306 Friendship St., Phila., Pa 19111

3/19/17 (3rd Sunday) **SJKF Meeting**, 1 pm, Gloucester County Library, Mullica Hill, NJ, Meeting Room A. Contact Mike Dallmer for more information mikedallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092

3/4/17 (Saturday) **KITES OVER AVALON Park**, FL. Contact Russ Mozier for more information russmozier@yahoo.com or 407-208-1455

3/25/17 **Smithsonian Indoor Kite Fly** at the National Air and Space Museum (NASM) on March 25, 2016

4/1/17 (Saturday) **Cherry Blossom Kite Festival**, Time: 10 AM – 4:30 PM Location: Grounds of the Washington Monument near 17th Street NW and Constitution Avenue Rain Date, Sunday 4/2/17

4/8/17 (Saturday) **Warminster Kite Fly**, more info to follow (tentative)

4/9/17 (Sunday) **Give back Workshop**, 1 pm, Gloucester County Library, Mullica Hill, NJ, Meeting Room B. Contact Mike Dallmer for more information mikedallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092

4/14/17 49th **Annual Great Delaware Kite Festival at Cape Henlopen State Park on Good Friday**, in 2016 Registration starts at 10 am and entrance fees apply for cars to enter Cape Henlopen State Park which will be collected at the entrance to the park - \$5 per car for Delaware license tags and \$10 per car for out-of-state. For more information call 302-645-8073

4/16/17 **Easter**

4/22/17 – 4/23/17 **Kites At The Pier 2017** in Long Branch, NJ. Contact Sky Festivals info@skyfestivals.com for more information.

4/23/17 (Sunday) **2nd Annual Kite Day at Foothill Castle**, Mercer Museum Kite Fly, time: 12:30 – 3:30pm, location: 84 S Pine St, Doylestown, PA 18901 For more information contact Cliff Quinn cjql670@ptd.net or call 215-345-0210, ext. 132 or email mmdev@mercermuseum.org The event is sponsored by the Friends of the Bucks County Historical Society.

4/28/17 – 4/30/17 **23rd MIKE / MASKC**, contact the Kite Loft at (410) 289-7855 or info@kiteloft.com

4/30/17 (4th Sunday) **SJKF Meeting**, 1 pm, Gloucester County Library, Mullica Hill, NJ, Meeting Room B. Contact Mike Dallmer for more information mikedallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092

5/14/17 **Mother’s Day**

5/15/17 **Deadline for submissions of article for next issue of WindWriters**, Send to Mike Dallmer mikedallmer@verizon.net 306 Friendship St., Phila., Pa 19111

5/20/17 6/18/16 (Saturday) **Burlington Day One World Festival Kite Fly** Time 11:00am - 4:00pm, location: Burlington Waterfront, Rain Date 5/21/17 Contact Derrick Owings 609-213-4710 or willow0308@aol.com

5/20/17 (Saturday) **Boy Scout STEM Program**, NJ National Guard Barrack in Sea Grit, Contact Kurtis Jones for more information, oparadis@verizon.net or Mike Dallmer mikedallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092

5/26/17 – 5/29/17 **Wildwood International Kite Festival** Sky Festival Productions 732-822-4884 bpelton@skyfestivals.com

6/11/17 **Morris Arboretum Kite Exposition**, 100 E Northwestern Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19118, contact Ben Huggett for more information benhuggett@gmail.com or Mike Dallmer mikedallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092

6/17/17 – 6/18/17 **2017 Old Dominion Sport Kite Championships**, contact Frazer Worley (919) 342-4944 or fworley@gmail.com (tentative)

6/18/17 **Father’s Day**

6/24/17 **Chester County Balloon Festival**, Kite Flying between Noon and 3 pm with the possibility of going back up at 6pm if the balloons cannot fly. Location is New Garden Flying Field is located at 1235 Newark Road, Toughkenamon, PA

7/15/17 **Deadline for submissions of article for next issue of WindWriters**, Send to Mike Dallmer mikedallmer@verizon.net 306 Friendship St., Phila., Pa 19111

7/16/17 **SJKF Meeting and 2nd Annual Back to the Fort Kite Fly and BBQ**, time is from 10am till 4 pm, location Fort Mott State Park, 454 Fort Mott Rd, Pennsville, New Jersey 08070 For more information contact Mike Dallmer at mikedallmer@verizon.net, food cdallmer@verizon.net same phone number.

9/15/17 **Deadline for submissions of article for next issue of WindWriters**, Send to Mike Dallmer mikedallmer@verizon.net 306 Friendship St., Phila., Pa 19111

9/17/17 (3rd Sunday) **SJKF Meeting**, 1 pm, Gloucester County Library, Mullica Hill, NJ, Meeting Room A. Contact Mike Dallmer for more information mikedallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092

10/1/17 (1st Sunday) **SJKF 23rd Anniversary Bash** At the Dallmer Household, 306 Friendship St, Phila, Pa 19111. Festivities with start around noon, kiteflyers time. There will be plenty of food and our fabulous once a year SJKF auction.

10/6/2017 -10/9/2017 **3rd Annual Long Beach Island Kite Festival**

10/9/17 – 10/14/17 **40th Annual American Kite Flyers Convention**, Ocean City, MD

10/22/17 (Sunday) **4th Annual Belmar Kite Festival**, parking will be provided. The flying area is on the beach at Second and Third Avenue. Time is 11 a.m. – 4 p.m, get there around 10 am for setup. Contact is Saltwater Inn (732) 681-1047 SaltwaterInn@gmail.com or Mike Dallmer mikedallmer@verizon.net 215-722-4092

11/5/17 (Sunday) **The 32nd Olan and Bernice Turner International Invitational Open Peanut Butter Cookie Kite Fly and Bake Off**, will be held on the Boardwalk in Seaside Park, NJ. Contact Cel cdallmer@verizon.net or Mike Dallmer mikedallmer@verizon.net 215-722-4092

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11/19/17 (3rd Sunday) **SJKF Meeting**, 1 pm, Gloucester County Library, Mullica Hill, NJ, meeting Room A. Contact Mike Dallmer for more information mikedallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092

12/3/17 **SJKF’s Annual Holiday Party**, Randi’s Restaurant and Bar, from noon till 3 pm. Location, Grant Plaza II, 1619 Grant Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19115, phone: (215) 677-7723 Contact Cel Dallmer cdallmer@verizon.net or 215-722-4092 Same place as the last few years.

Visit www.easternleague.net for more information on Eastern League Events

President’s Note: Though these dates are accurate at time of printing it is best to check with the contact to make sure the proper dates are listed.

Got an event that you want listed, send it: Mike Dallmer mikedallmer@verizon.net 306 Friendship St., Phila., Pa 19111





SJKF MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Help us get to know you! Fill in the form below. Return this application along with your check payable to SJKF and you're in! Welcome to the club!

Name _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ ST: _____ ZIP: _____
 Phone(H): _____ (W) _____

E-Mail Address: _____

New member: _____ Renewal _____

Membership Type: Individual _____ Family _____

(For family memberships, list additional names below. Circle name if under 10 years old)

Return to:
 South Jersey Kite Flyers
 PO Box 481
 Sicklerville, N.J. 08081
<http://sjkf.webs.com/>

Favorite Kite(s): _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Individual Membership:

10-1 till 12-31 is \$15

1-1 till 3-31 is \$11.25

4-1 till 6-30 is \$7.50

7-1 till 9-30 is \$3.75

Family membership:

10-1 till 12-31 is \$20.00

1-1 till 3-31 is \$15.00

4-1 till 6-30 is \$10.00

7-1 till 9-30 is \$5.00

Renew date is 10-1 of each year

Quacks Facks

Inspired by Russ Mozier, written by Mike Dallmer

Photo from Tom Morse at the OABTHOPBCKFABO

Photo from Malcolm Goodman in Vietnam

Grumpy's Grumpy Ducks at Belmar



Help Quack Facks out, do you have a Dallmer Duck Banner? If so where was it displayed?

Membership Application		Membership Dues			
		1 yr.	2 yrs.	3 yrs.	Amount
<input type="checkbox"/> New Member <input type="checkbox"/> Reinstatement <input type="checkbox"/> Don't publish my name in the Directory	Individual (Kiting via 3 rd class mail)	\$40	\$78	\$116	
	(Kiting via 1 st class mail)	\$50	\$98	\$146	
	Canada, Mexico, and Overseas	\$50	\$98	\$146	
Sponsor		\$125	\$250	\$375	
(Kiting via 1 st class mail, includes tax deductible contribution)					
Additional family members in same household					
Per person add \$6/year					
Please remit in US\$					
Sorry we cannot accept Canadian cheques					
For information call 609/755-KITE (5483)		Send this form with your payment to: American Kitefliers Association P.O. Box 22365 Portland, OR 97269			
Referred by _____ Local kite club _____					
Join online at www.aka.kite.org					

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