



# Sept. 2006

## **NEXT CLUB MEETING:**

**Monday September 25<sup>th</sup>  
8pm Shannon Golf Club.**

## **SMFC Events:**

### **Control Line Fly In:**

The Shannon Autumn Control Line Fly-in will take place on  
**Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> September.**

Tea/coffee on the day .

*For further details please contact Dermot O'Flynn.*

## **MACI Events:**

*Please check  
<http://www.maci.ie>  
for latest details.*

2 September Saturday

R/C Helicopter Irish National Championships  
Portlaoise. David McIntyre (087-2886585)

3 September Sunday

Scale Association Fly-In SRFC Flying Site, Calary,  
Co. Wicklow. Liam Butler (01-2825430)

10 September Sunday

MACI Fly for Fun

Laois MAC Flying Field. John Molloy (01-2854810)

16/17 September Sat/Sun

Autumn Aerobatic Activity

Cork. Niall O'Sullivan (021-4302475)

24 September Sunday

Model County Scale Gala Model County Flying Field,  
Co. Wexford. Paul Fitzgerald (087-2394329)

## **NEW PITS**

The new pits area is now in operation.

Many thanks to **Martin Tracey** whose efforts went above and beyond the call of duty in organising the project.

**Martin** was kind enough to provide all the heavy equipment to excavate the site.

The new pits should add considerably to the safe operation of club activities.

**Members should be aware that only one of the pit areas should be active at any one time, (depending on the wind direction).**

***Again many thanks to Martin and to all the club members who helped to complete this work.***

***Well Done to all concerned!***

## **MACI AGM**

Saturday 25 November

MACI ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

2:00 P.M. Dublin. (Venue to be announced)

## **THURSDAY NIGHT FLYING**

The scheduled Thursday night club meet is now finished.

Hopefully this activity will move indoors early in the Autumn.

A start date has yet to be set for **Indoor Flying.**

Please contact Leslie Cowpar for more details.

## **GLIDING**

**Summer Gliding is now finished.**

Another successful season was in evidence with good turnouts at all the scheduled meets.

# SCHLUTER CUP

The **2006 Schluter Cup** was a considerable success with participants from Ireland (North and South) and the UK.

**Dave Wiltshire** and **Jamie Cole** were kind enough to travel to the event and added to the spectacle with their demonstrations which included an impressive jet turbine powered model.

SMFC flyers acquitted themselves very well during the competition and were top of the rankings despite some unfortunate mishaps during the Saturday leg of the competition!

