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RC Scale Aerobatics



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Low ceilings made for a late start on Tuesday morning, but it didn't take long before the flightlines were boogying, thanks to flightline boss Skip Kixmiller.

Five rounds were completed, which is no small task with this crowd. Ominous, overcast skies held out while pilots flew, and then gave way to a phenomenal sunset.

Sportsman class has two newbies duking it out all day—trading first and second place! Our Unlimited class is the largest class this year with 14 pilots, with a great battle going on between Kurt Koelling and David Moser!

Only one mishap occurred when Advanced pilot Tony Fandino and Unlimited pilot Craig Baker had a midair. Both were able to land safely, but unfortunately, Tony had to withdraw from the contest because of the damage.

It has been a great contest so far, and of course, good luck to all the competitors! 🚁





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