

CAPS

Can-Am Pylon Society
Club Update-November, 2021

Hello all!

The 2021 pylon racing season is behind us. We averaged nearly 40 pilots per event!

Post season discussions brought up a few cool observations:

- We have three pilots under 20 years old! Daniel Troup who has proven to be a very competitive racer. Annabelle Doe (age 13), this young lady makes her dad Tom very proud every time she takes to the course. Annabelle flew both EF-1 and 424 at the recent Julian race. Augie Haupt's son Mitchell (age 11) consistently lands a EF-1 Proud Bird better than anyone I know. Mitchell flew both EF-1 and 424 at the Sundowners race.
- Several people have commented on how tough the competition has become. The sheer number of pilots that can win in any class is extremely high. Looking at the small spread of fast times suggests just how good our pilots are becoming.
- I might be viewing racing through rose glasses, but it seems to me that the races are more fun. More joking around, more friendly, more respectful, less "drama". Lets face it, pylon racing has got to be fun or it will simply go away.

The upcoming season is looking to be a good one. Keep a lookout on the CAPS website www.capsracing.com for the event calendar. Please preregister early as it helps us to put on the best race possible.

When you have the chance, congratulate Jim Nikodem for becoming a grandpa. A very cute girl named Lilly.

Club election is complete. CAPS will retain the same officers for 2022. No, you did not miss the election ballot, as no nominations were received. Office of President and Treasurer will be up for election in 2022. Please consider becoming a club officer.

Please stay safe and healthy!

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2022 CAPS Membership Form

All pilots that have paid their CAPS membership by May 1st, 2022 will be entered into the raffle drawings twice. Those that pay after May 1st will be entered once. See CAPS race flyers for raffle details.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

AMA# _____ NMPRA# _____

E-Mail Address: _____

AMA Club Name: _____

Annual Membership Dues \$25.00

Additional Family Member Dues \$5.00 each

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Make checks payable to CAPS

Send completed forms with payment to:

CAPS Treasurer
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137 Moorefield Place
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