

# Yankee Rotors

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## The Official Newsletter of Yankee Rotors

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**Regular meetings every  
3rd Sunday of each  
month at 1:00 p.m.**



### Next Meeting

Sunday June 26<sup>th</sup> at Al's hangar,  
John will be test flying his RAF.  
Here" the directions.

1. Take exit 20 off Interstate  
93 for US-3/NH-11/NH-132/Laconia  
toward NH-140/Tilton, 0.3 mi

2. Turn left onto NH-11  
E/NH-132 N/US-3 N/Laconia Rd  
Continue to follow NH-11 E/US-3 N  
6.3 mi

3. Turn right onto NH-11  
E/US-3 N/Laconia-Gilford Bypass  
5.6 mi

4. Take the NH-11 E exit  
0.4 mi, 5. Keep left at the fork,  
follow signs for New Hampshire 11  
E, 233 ft, 6. Turn left onto NH-11  
E/Lake Shore Rd, 0.4 mi

7. Turn left onto Airport Rd., Al's  
hangar will be on your left. It is right  
across the street from Kitchen  
Cravings.

If you get lost you can call my cell  
603-455-6344

### No Spring Fling?

Two available pilots and  
machines did call but already made  
other plans. Therefore due to lack  
of a pilot, machine, and interest, we  
did not host Spring Fling this year.

There is a very strong likelihood that my ship will  
be at Laconia Airport for most of the season. Until  
Phase II flight testing begins it will, by law, have to  
stay there for the first 40 hours. Al has a complete  
bare bones frame to bring to future events for show,  
but we really need other members who can fly or  
bring their projects in to show to the public. The is  
what we are all about and it is our mission to educate  
the public as it is why we can call ourselves a non  
profit organization. Many people have gone through  
a lot of trouble to get this far, so if you can make it  
with a machine it would help. If no one wants to  
attend and help then why bother. I seem to  
remember being thanked many times for being here  
and if they could help out to just ask. Well, I'm  
asking. Meeting is postponed for Father's day, it the

### For Sale

Parsons two-place gyro for sale.  
Contact Rusty Blake: 207-663-  
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### Bensen B8-M

This is a dismantled, frame,  
packed and ready for shipping. It  
includes the wheels and other  
items. It is a project, half the price  
of any pre-made airframe. The  
price is \$500 plus shipping.  
Interested parties should contact  
John Christopher. Phone number is  
603-744-6232.

### Barnett JB-4

We have a near complete two seat  
Barnett for sale. Normally for  
about 5k, this rolling frame needs  
an engine, rotors, and some  
instruments. Then up you go. Price  
reduced to \$1,000. This is pennies  
on the dollar for what it would cost.

### Drop Keel Gyro

This Dominator style drop keel gyro  
sports a huge horizontal stab with  
centerline thrust, an 1100 cc Yamaha  
engine, seats two people and is a great  
flyer. Call Ray Maheu at 207-465-3203.

Original Bensen B8-M with  
72 hp Mc Colloch engine, 22'  
Dragon Wings rotors,  
mufflers, electric pre-rotator.  
A beautiful example of a  
flying modified Bensen, very  
clean. \$2,000.00

last Sunday in June. Greenland  
will be the next flyin, a  
wonderful time for all. Hope  
someone steps up to the plate..