

FLIGHT LOG

December 5, 2004

<u>Fl#</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Manuf. Model</u>	<u>Manuf/Motor</u>	<u>Result</u>
1	Mike Brubaker	Estes Fat Boy	AT E18-4RMS	GF
2	Jim Cox	PML Io	Kosden G75-?	GF
3	Ron Follweiler	LOC Lil' Nuke	AT F25-6	GF
4	Ron Follweiler	LOC "Mr. Grinch"	AT F25-6	GF
5	Larry Gerlach	Estes Baby Bertha	Estes B4-2	GF
6	Larry Gerlach	Estes Constellation	Estes C5-3	GF
7	Larry Gerlach	Estes Big Bertha	Estes C6-5	GF
8	William Jacobs	Estes Bandit	Estes C6-7	GF
9	William Jacobs	Estes Bandit	Estes C6-7	Tree'd
10	Ron Saul	Estes Guardian	Estes C6-5	GF
11	Ron Saul	Thrustline Pumpkin Head	Estes C11-5	GF
12	Ron Saul	Estes Guardian	Estes C6-3	GF
13	Ron Saul	Quest Flash	Estes B6-4	GF
14	Ron Saul	Thrustline Pumpkin Head	Estes D12-5	GF

I couldn't make the December 5 launch, so basically I could make up just about anything I wanted to, just to see if you're paying attention. Would *I* do that?

Checking back on the old weather almanac [because I have no recollection of what the weather was like that day], it appears the conditions were pretty nice for rocket flying.....or was it? High temperature of 53 degrees...not bad for December in these parts. Winds listed at 4 to 17mph...again, pretty good. Visibility at 10 miles...no precipitation. Which really begs the question: JUST WHERE WAS EVERYBODY? Come to think of it, WHERE WAS I???

OK, I was in Baltimore watching a team that I have a financial interest in by way of season tickets. You know, without checking, I can't tell you who we played that date or even who won. But really, I *was* there.... I'm sure I was... so where were you?

Looks like the guys who did show up had a pretty good time, though. Well, maybe William Jacobs would dispute that because it appears his Estes *Bandit* ended up in a tree after what had to have been a very cool flight on a C6-7. Thing is, I don't recall too many trees at Penn Manor! They appear fully-grown on launch days, I tell you.... It looks like Mike Brubaker tried to hit the roof [any one will do] with his modified *Fat Boy* and an Aerotech E18, but failed. Ron Saul flew, among other things, a Thrustline Aerospace *Pumpkin Head*. Check them out at <http://www.thrustaero.com/> - they make some very nice kits, including clones of old Estes favorites. I know John Yost was there 'cuz his initials were on every flight card. Hey pard, thanks for the range duty!!!