

**Mentone Flying Club  
January 2005 Newsletter**

As you read this I hope that your holiday season was good to you and your families. The flying club has seen several great things happen this past year and we hope for even greater events and prosperity for 2005. (Maybe a new airplane?)

Many of you are aware of the record attendance we've had at the past 2 meetings, it's a sign that things are alive and well with the club. Many people have been talking about club sponsored insurance as an option to services such as AOPA's renters insurance and the like from Avemco. A sheet is included in this mailing to explain how this new program can help the club and keep member's money inside as opposed to paying the insurance companies.

Dan Christman has been working countless hours on the club's website and has it looking very good. He's added educational information and links to additional materials that will help pilots understand weather, currency, and FAA regulation.

Each of the 3 aircraft is in fine working order. The weather has limited the number of hours they are being flown.

I hope to see everyone at the banquet at 6:30, January 21st. We'll have it at the Rochester Meat and Deli. Let Bill Willard know by the 19th if you'll be there. He'll bill your account for \$10.00 / ticket.



Next meeting/Annual Dinner: Jan 21st at 6:30PM  
Keep it out of the Trees!  
Dan Funk  
MFC Secretary