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August Launch Report



NEXT MONTH

October Skies
Oct. 14-16





MADDOX DAIRY, RIVERDALE, CA

OCTOBER 14, 15, 16, 2005

BIG DADDYS

Big or Small...

Bring 'em All !



**October
Skies
2005**

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Maddox Dairy

August Launch Report/Data

August 21, 2005



Jack Garibaldi has stepped up to take on the TCC Presidency as of January, 2006. Current Prez, Scott Eakins, is looking forward to more flying!

STATS

24 flyers

54 Launches

55 Motors burned

2 A's, 4 B's, 15 C's, 1 D, 1 E, 8 F's, 5 G's, 5 H's, 6 I's, 3 J's, 5 K's

Thanks go out to Merle Heggen for manning the LCO position for most of the day and to all the others who volunteered to help RSO.

FLYERS

Robin (no last name?) flew a *Mach 12* on a C6.

Brian Dalby flew his red scratch built *ATG Rockman* on an H45 and a red/black *Chrome Dome* on a C6.

Matthew (no last name?) of Tranquility made 4 flight with his *Alpha 3* on B6's.

James Cole launched a white AT *Strong Arm* on an F52 and an orange LOC *October Skies* kit on an F40.



Barry Dobyys of Los Gatos flew his "Au Natural" 2X upscale Mean Machine, standing 13 feet tall and 18+ pounds with a GWIZ-MC, on an AT K185 for a cool flight and a K550 suffering a recovery failure.



Jack Garibaldi of Stockton (new prez for 2006) launched his black/white 44" scratch built WAC Corporal on an F21 11" and a blue and white Little Johnny potty rocket on a G38 for a rather curvy flight.



Drew Gleason of Eureka had an Estes Patriot go on an F20, a 5 foot LOC kit on a K185 with GWIZ-MC and his grey/red PML Eclipse on a K570 with a Co-Pilot on board that unfortunately shredded.



Abby and Becca Dobyys launched their orange/purple On Time Delivery LOC kit on an F25 and an F50.



Kyley Heggen of Fresno flew her yellow Get-R-Done LOC October Skies kit on a G75 and a white LOC Onyx on a G79.



Brian Holland of Visalia flew his red LOC *Hi-Tech H45* twice on H180's, and his LOC *Shadowhawk* on an I211 (in flight failure).

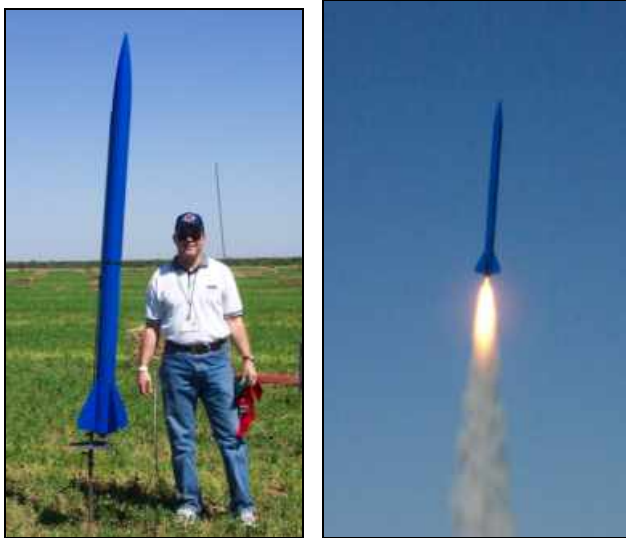


Jim Norton of Fresno sent up an Estes *Fat Boy* on a C6, a purple *Eliminator* on an E9, a *Dueces Wild* on 2 C6's (only 1 lit), and a successful Level 2 flight with a grey PML *Endeavor* on a J350. Congrats Jim!



Jim Norton Photo

Mark Jackson of Pleasanton launched a blue PML *Eclipse* with a Co-Pilot on an I284, and his green *Sudden Rush*, also w/ Co-Pilot, on an I161.



Vito Orlandella of Auberry set up his big pad and launched his 8 1/2 foot white *Brant Returns* on a J380 SS with dual Missile Works R2C's, and the 24 lb. green *Pure Witchcraft* with a MW RRC2 on a K1275 Redline.



Kevin McGrath had an Estes *Big Daddy* on an F21, a custom built 1/3 scale *SAAB R5A* with GWIZ-MC on an I357, and a beautifully painted green/white stretched PML *Ariel* on an I161 with GWIZ-MC.



Bill Puckett flew a LOC *Graduator* on an H128 and Sarah Puckett flew her Estes *Speeder* on an A10.



Ben Sandoval of Visalia had a couple great flights with his blue (w/red flames) *October Skies Gordon* LOC kit on a G75 and an H128.



Dave Springer launched his red/white/blue *Red Glare* on an I285 and then on a J350 for a successful Level 2 flight. Congratulations Dave!



Dylan Rocha launched a *High Flyer* twice on C6's while brother Alden flew a *Wacky Wiggler* twice on C6's and his white /red *U.S. Army* twice on C6's.



Mark St. Germain of Folsom flew a red *Aspire* on a D15T, a grey AT *WartHog* on an F25, and a white *Bull Pup* on a G64. Mark's son Austin launched an Estes *Patriot* 3 times on C6's, and his *Chrome Dome* on an A8 and his brother Jonathan flew the *Chrome Dome* on a C6.





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