

# TYPICALLY HIGHVELD 30 JULY

*Johannesburg Model Aircraft Club (JOMAC)*



**JOMAC is one of the oldest clubs in Gauteng and recently had to move to make way for a housing development. The new club facilities are still in their infancy but a magnificent runway with covered pits and an entertainment lapa is all that one needs for a successful pattern competition.**

With 11 pilots entered and 11 pilots showing up on the day everything was going to have to run to schedule to make sure that the JOMAC members could have access to their facilities after 2pm. The morning was a typical crisp Highveld morning. Clear skies and windless conditions made the cold air bearable.

Sportsman class was hotly contested by Neil Twomey and Matthew Deutschmann with Neil managing to hold on to first place by a slender margin of 10 normalised points.

For Advanced class we had the pleasure of hosting an international pilot in the form and person of PJ Norden. PJ used to stay in Limpopo province and regularly

join us for competitions in Gauteng until he joined Cathay Pacific. He now stays in Hong Kong. He competed in the advanced class and gave Hadri Lombaard a run for his money with a solid 65% score. Masters class had 5 competitors with Joshua Twomey making his debut with a win, pipping Chris O'Connell on normalised scores despite Chris having a slightly better percentage score.

The F3A class was a little thin with Andre' out of town and Roston otherwise occupied. Grant and Clinton battled it out with Clinton taking the day with a strong 77%.

It was a successful day with all pilots achieving Master's Invitational qualifying scores.

MAASA Gauteng would like to thank JOMAC and its members for the use of their facilities. With a little bit of rain in the coming spring the grass and indigenous trees that have been planted will compliment the amazing runway and pits area. If anyone is looking for a club in the Fourways/Midrand area then JOMAC is within easy access. You can contact the committee using [jomacadmin@gmail.com](mailto:jomacadmin@gmail.com) for details.

**TWOMEY MAKING HIS DEBUT IN MASTERS CLASS AND WITH A WIN**

	FINAL
<b>SPORTSMAN</b>	
Neil Twomey	2000 / 64.80
Matthew Deutschmann	1990 / 65.73
<b>ADVANCED</b>	
Hadri Lombaard	2000 / 71.45
PJ Norden (Visitor)	1800 / 64.28
<b>MASTERS</b>	
Joshua Twomey	2000 / 66.56
Chris O'Connell	1978 / 66.86
Pieter Botha	1826 / 60.64
Dereck Butow	1809 / 61.14
Lee Bonney	1782 / 60.22
<b>F3A</b>	
Clinton Carter-Brown	2000 / 77.31
Grant Brook	1943 / 74.03

“THE THIRD AND FINAL LEAGUE EVENT IN GAUTENG WAS HELD AT THE NEW JOMAC VENUE ON SUNDAY 30 JULY”