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## Fellow P&DARCS Members

Warm greetings to one and all. It would have been great to be able to announce some improvement in our access to the field this week, but that is not the case. As all Victorians would know, this lock down has been a tough one and there are no positive signs in the next week or two. But we will all get through this and with some spring weather starting to appear and lift the mood, we hope that it won't be too much longer before we can enjoy our sport once again.

The good news is that our Field Manager Craig Fitzsimons has a clean bill of health after his recent stay in hospital and has returned home. He has also been cleared to return to his workplace. I'm certain everyone in the club will welcome that news.

The P&DARCS facility is in good shape with a couple of committee members and other club members attending over the past few weeks to carry out essential maintenance on the property. With the recent heavy rain, the runways have been cut to help minimize the weed growth as well as some spraying operations. There is ongoing activity with regards to an insurance claim from wind damage and this will be covered in detail by Norm Morrish in the next club newsletter.

If you have projects that are keeping you busy, make sure you post some photos up on the P&DARCS Facebook page and keep us all in the loop. It's always good to see what other aeromodellers are up to and the workshop is a good place to keep us occupied right now.

We will give everyone another update when there is something to report but in the meantime some words from Chuck Yeager. It sure sounds like a great idea, perhaps a little harder to put into practice at the moment.....

***"The best pilots fly more than others. That's why they are the best."***

Stay safe and stay happy.

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