

*[AstroWings](#) of Wisconsin and [SoarMilwaukee](#) welcomes slopers to;*

# The 1st Annual Midwest WeaselFest

## A “Weasel-centric” Sloping Fun Fly!



**Saturday, April 19th and Sunday, April 20th, 2008**

Open to all AMA member pilots.

A Radio Controlled Slope Flying party at The Omega Hills Slope  
outside of Milwaukee in Germantown, Wisconsin.

“What’s a Weasel?” [see here.](#)

Details, details, details...!

### **When:**

April 19th, 2008, Saturday-9 a.m. to dusk PLUS  
night flying!  
April 20th, 2008, Sunday-9 a.m. until dusk.

### **Where:**

Site location- [Omega Hills, Germantown, WI.](#)  
[Flight report with pics](#) from Omega Hills on  
[SoarMilwaukee.com.](#)

### **Events**

Flying Saturday and Sunday will include loosely organized Weasel events and will also include flying times for all slope planes. Saturday evening there will be night flying for LED equipped foamie slopers.

If the wind is uncooperative, AstroWings has a first rate flying field for powered flight and DLG. If it rains there will be indoor rc car racing with cars available for your use!

We will have a dinner meeting place near the hill on Saturday evening.  
Sunday those interested can meet us for breakfast and we will caravan to the hill after.

Local accommodations- [see Google map.](#)

Hotels in the Brookfield, Waukesha, even downtown Milwaukee are all within 10-20 minutes from the hill.

To register: Send an email to Michael, [wingbeat@wi.rr.com](mailto:wingbeat@wi.rr.com)

## ***And more details!***

***The focus of our event is slope flying, fun, camaraderie, fun, and... fun! So we can have as much of all that as possible, please read through the following.***

### ***Site and event rules:***

1. All pilots must be current AMA Members and follow AMA safety rules.
  2. All pilots must sign a waiver on arrival.
  3. All pilots must check the frequency board before turning on any radio equipment.
  4. All pilots are responsible for any damage to the site.
  5. This site is for unpowered flight only.
  6. We may, under no circumstances, enter the active portion of the landfill south of County Line Rd. If a plane ends up there we will have to contact the site personnel to recover it.
  7. It is an official AMA field, no alcohol.
  8. This site requires AstroWings membership for use **except for this event.**
- **Access.** This flying site is gated. Registered pilots will be provided with a special gate access code.
  - **Parking.** There's some parking near the top of the hill, and only a short walk to the flying area. If parking fills up, we have ample parking near the bottom of the hill. You'll be asked to drive up with your gear, drop it off, and park at the base. We'll shuttle you back up the hill.
  - **Stuff to bring.** Bring food, beverages, and the usual folding chairs, blankets, whatever you need at the hill. (NO alcohol at the hill.) There's no shade, no running water, but there is a porta-john. Mid-April daytime temps average in the upper 40s to lower 50s, but recently we've seen 60s and even low 70s. Hardy Midwesterners won't be fazed, we'll fly as long as there's wind! Be prepared with the right clothes to enjoy the event.
  - We're organizing a spot for the group to gather and meet for dinner on Sat. eve.- indoors. Same with Sunday breakfast - we'll have a meeting place, and then caravan to the hill. Pack a lunch, or we'll make a sandwich run either day.
  - *Although there is no registration fee, or pre-paid event fee we'll be asking for a donation at the site for the club,. We're organizing places to meet for food, etc., but we're not charging for, or providing food.*
  - **Local weather for the hill site.** The hill is flyable in most wind directions. Some are more favorable than others but we rarely have no-wind days, sunny days generate great thermals and the hill even generates a bit of its own heat!

***Last but not least,2008 WeaselFest T-shirts can be ordered [HERE!](#)***



*Weasel lovers will recognize the above logo- The Axis of Weasels! Our Midwest WeaselFest event will run concurrent with the Original Annual WeaselFest held out in California. For pics and information on the West Coast Fest, see the thread on RCGroups- [here](#). Check out the reports and pics from 2007 WeaselFest - [here](#)- to see what the hubbub is all about!*

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