Website of the Month

In a previous issue of this newsletter, I listed RC Bearings.com as the website of the month. However, some CVA members prefer the bearings available at Boca Bearing. Their slogan is "Miniature bearings for industry, hobby, and recreation". Here is the link:

http://www.bocabearings.com/default.aspx

Do you have a favorite website? If so, let me know and I will put it in the newsletter. Favorite online store, how to build, how to fly, etc- send me the link! My email address:

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FLUTTER!

A few weeks ago at the field, one CVA member had the misfortune of experiencing flutter with his airplane. In this case, the elevator on his plane started to vibrate violently. I found an article on the internet that does a good job explaining flutter, its causes, and how to prevent it. Further, there is a movie showing an A-10 with gas turbine engines experiencing wing flutter. Here is the link:

http://www.rcuniverse.com/magazine/article_display.cfm?article_id=1289

Here is another article on flutter:

http://rcaircraft.blogspot.com/2006/06/flutter.html

See you at the field.

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