

THE VALLEY FLYER



AUGUST

1983



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Vice President: KEN TURNER

Secretary: MARTY MALLOW

Treasurer: KEN TYLER

News Editor: CINDY RICE

Contest Director: MEL GIFIS

Presidents Message

Flying at the basin on the weekends has been very light the past few weeks. If you can take the heat you can get in a lot of Flying!

There will be some new signs at the field restricting flying while the improvements are being made. Please pay attention to the signs and remember that they only apply to weekdays not weekends.

See you at the meeting on the 23rd. at 7:30 p.m..

Phil Mosko
President

EDITORS NOTES

CINDY RICE WENT TO HER CLASS REUNION IN REDDING SO I WAS ASKED TO PUT THE NEWSLETTER TOGETHER SO IF YOU DON'T LIKE IT BLAME HER! IF YOU DO LIKE IT, SHE GETS THE CREDIT FOR HAVING THE GOOD SENSE TO HAVE ME DO IT.

IN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS THE MEMBERSHIP WILL DECIDE THE COURSE THE CLUB WILL TAKE. AS ELECTION TIME COMES AROUND AGAIN, BOARD MEMBERS MUST BE ELECTED FOR A TWO YEAR TERM. THIS BOARD WOULD LIKE TO ENLIST 'NEW' BLOOD TO PARTICIPATE.

THINK ABOUT RUNNING FOR A BOARD POSITION, REMEMBER THE ELECTED BOARD MEMBERS SELECT THE OFFICES TO BE HELD BY EACH PERSON. MAYBE YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE A COMPLETE NEW BOARD OR MAYBE JUST A SMALL CHANGE. WE NEED YOUR INPUT.

A GOOD WAY TO BECOME INVOLVED IS TO ATTEND A BOARD MEETING. THEY ARE HELD ON THE SECOND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND, ASK ANY BOARD MEMBER FOR THE LOCATION OF THE NEXT ONE.

WE RECEIVED A NOTICE FROM THE PARKS DEPT. STATING THE TIME & USE OF THE COMMUNITY CENTER. IT SPECIFICALLY STATES THAT THE AUDITORIUM MUST BE LEFT CLEAN & ORDERLY. PLEASE CONTINUE TO CLEAN UP AFTER EACH MEETING AS WE WOULD NOT LIKE TO LOSE THE USE OF THIS BUILDING.

MEL GIFUS

VICE PRESIDENTS REPORTAUGUST 1983**HOME FIELD****SEPULVEDA BASIN MODEL AIRPORT**

First , lets begin with the raffle prizes for August. They will be:

An O.S. 40 Max FSR ABC Engine. - A real hot engine for super power.

A Breiten music wire bender. - A very useful tool, ask anyone who has one.

A seven foot wing span Quaker. - For you old time fans.

A Great Planes Sportster Bipe 40. - A real sporty biplane.

And finally - Carl Goldberg's new Sky Tiger. - It looks like Carl has a winner in this one.

Bits And Pieces:

Its time to start thinking about who to nominate for next years board. At septembers meeting we will be accepting nominations to replace Phil Mosko, Mary Mallow and Ken Turner. These board members are completing thier first term of office. Also depending on the vote of the membership this month there may be additional board members to nominate. (there will be a motion put before the general membership to expand the board by an additional 3 members.)

According to the latest information from the city, the field improvements should begin before the end of the month.

Ralph Council has been elected to be Telephone Commitee Chairman. Please help him when he calls on your assistance.

We will be having a "Swap Meet" during the October meeting, instead of the auction we've had in previous years. More details to come.

We need helpers for the Formula 1 races August 27 and 28th also for the Quickie race on September 11th. Wont you please help out?

Good news - the Valley Flyers Foundation is now officially approved as a charitable organization. Thanks to Ken Tylers dedication and hard work.

The Christmas party will be December the 15th, with music for your dancing pleasure, and one door prize for the gals and one for the guys. Cost will be 10 dollars each (subsidized by the club) and will be at the Valley Hilton.

Sometime this fall there will be a picnic/barbeque held at the field and will be FREE to all members!!

Thats all for now folks--safe and happy flying and for gosh sakes get involved.

Ken Turner - Vice President

Meeting July 26, 1983

Meeting called to order at 7:45 p.m. by Phil Mosko. Cindy Rice's daughters led the club in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Phil Mosko announced that we had fun at the Quickie 500 on July 24, and the Devonshire Fair on July 23rd.. The city announced they would like to get an additional \$2000.00 from the club. They are however going to except their original request for \$6000.00. Ken Tyler indicated that the new by-laws are available to new members.

Ken Turner called the names of people who helped out on Sunday at the Quickie 500. He then gave some accounts of what took place.

Marty Mallow addressed the club and really asked what is it that you would like the club to do for you?

We got one request for an instructor....at last.

Vic Martin requested help and got two volunteers on his committee to establish a date for our Christmas party.

Walt Clark gave a brief description of what took place on Saturday during the Devonshire Fair.

Our guest this evening was Keith Smith of Pacific Sailplanes. His two exhibits were outstanding examples of sailplanes.

Walt Clark got the goof bowl for almost taking off without extending his antenna. Mel Gifis saw him and saved him from crashing.

Vote was taken to see if we want to change the raffle to gift certificates. (Was Defeated).

Model of the month entires were Vic Martin, Phil Mosko, J. Vilardo and Colby Evett.

Winner were Colby for his B-25 scale, Vilardo for Sport.

Raffle winners were Mark Sutter (2 gifts), Victor Martin, Dick Tregulis, Bob Loftin, Ron Polmer, Loyd Brewer and Vince Taylor.

Meeting adjourned 9:40 p.m..

MEETING AT HOME OF KEN TYLER 8-16-83.

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TREASURER'S REPORT

JULY 1983

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SEPULVEDA BASIN MODEL AIRPORT

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AUGUST 27 AND 28, 1983

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PRESENTS - SEPTEMBER 11, 1983

SEPULVEDA BASIN

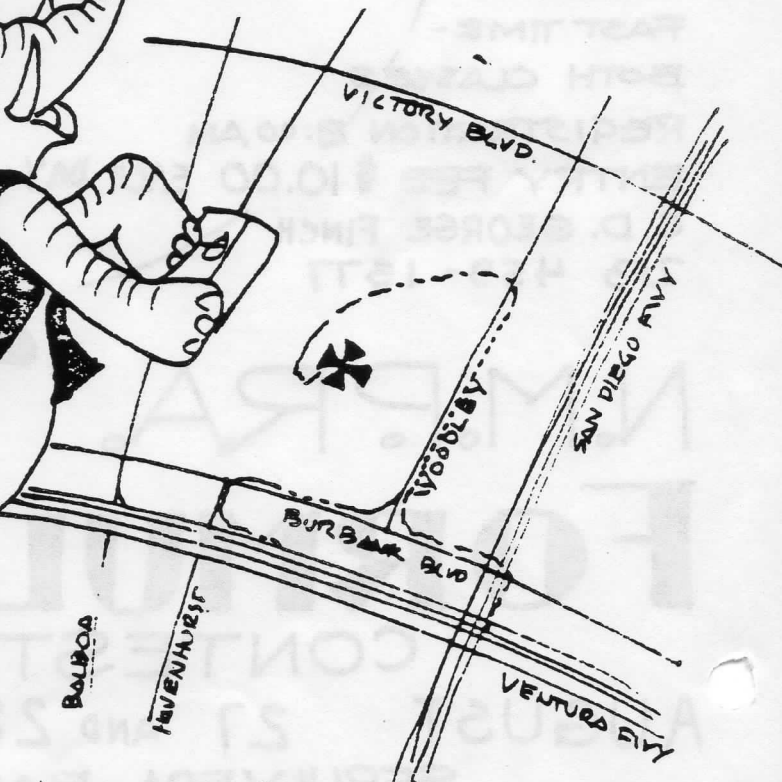
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SECRETARY'S CORNER

DEVONSHIRE FAIR JULY 23, 1983

It was a hot one - temperatures were soaring, and so were the Valley Flyers. The football field was the flying site, and we had a static display in front of the grand stand. The pilots were Phil Mosko, Ken Turner, Walt Clark, Paul Pennington (Giant Scale) and Larry Laulom. There were two helicopter pilots as well, names unknown. Ken Turner put on his Precision Exhibition, Walt Clark flew his slow but graceful Delair, Paul Pennington surprised everyone with his Quter Scale, then Larry Laulom thrilled everyone with an exhibition of speed and precision. His upside down passes were a sight to behold. Finally, Phil Mosko put on a stunting exhibition which really got the crowd applauding. It was a gala day, and RC was indeed a hobby we can all be proud of.

ENTERTAINMENT - CONTEST CALANDER

Our meeting this month is on the 23rd.. We will be voting on an important proposal, that being to increase the number of Board Members. The current Board feels that there is more than enough work to warrant the increase. What do you think?

Larry Laulom will do his "Annual" Engine Night. Don't miss this part of the meeting as it has become somewhat of a tradition and it promises as always to be informative and interesting.

We have a Formula I Contest on August 27th. and 28th.. Marv asks that everyone bring Ice and Baked Goods (YUM). Also we need workers. Its a good way to help out and make new friends.

On September 11th. we have a Q500 Contest at the basin. Chuck Siegle has agreed to be the CD. He will appreciate all the help he can get.

See you on Tuesday 7:30 p.m..

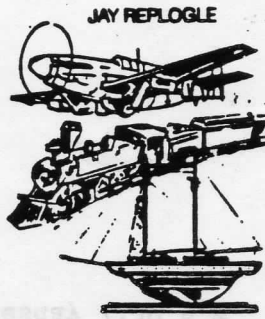
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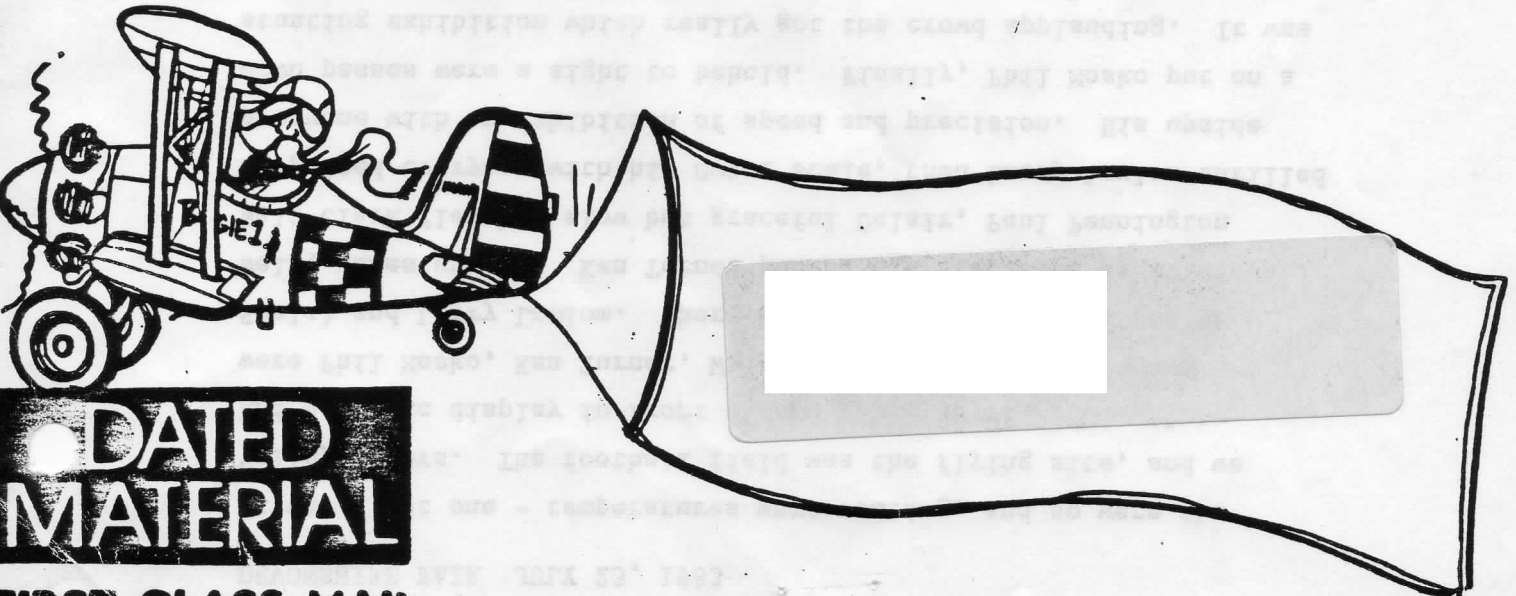
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