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

Well the club's first annual "Scale Un-contest" is now history. To bad that most of the club members missed it. There were twenty three entries, and from what I could gather it was a fun day for all that entered. There were some notables in attendance, such as Garland Hamilton and his fantastic F6F Hellcat; (Which won best scale trophy.) and Carl Goldberg with his prototype of a new plane that will probably be kitted within the next six months. Also there was Jack Strickland and his beautiful Laser 200. What a flying machine!!! Jack won the trophy for most impressive scale flight. The flying was relaxed and the weather was perfect, unfortunately there were a few low landings-Sonny Myers Laser 200, Tony Maclanes Citabria and Colby Evetts B- 25. I dont think any of them were a total write-off, but then any crash is heart breaking. A special thanks to member Deneen Gleghorn, who just dropped by but left a ten dollar donation. Jack Strickland won the raffle prize, a Coverite Gee Bee, and then very graciously donated it back to the club to be raffled off at one of the club meetings. Thank you Jack. Also many thanks to all those that helped. It couldnt have happened without you. Pete and Betty Olsen, Marv and Phylis Zauss, Bob and Candy Adams, Marty Mallow and Ken Tyler and Chuck Siegle on the desk. Also thank you to Walt Clark for suppling the trans, impound trailer and frequency control boards, (again). If there is anyone I've forgotten, my sincere appologies.

As you should know by now there will be no official meeting for October. Instead we will be holding our first " Swap Meet ". So bring your jun-- er good stuff to sell or your good money to buy the jun-- er good stuff. There was an error made in the flyer that annouces the swap meet. So remind everone that the swap meet is on TUESDAY THE 25th not the 24th. Rember that sellers enter thru the back or parking lot door and buyers enter thru the front or Balboa st. door. Lets make this a big event on this the first year of the swap meet.

Things to remember:

The election of six board members at the November meeting.

The pattern contest on November the 19th and 20th.

The club picnic and fun fly on November the 6th.

The annual Christmas Dinner on December the 15th.

It's time to give up again as this tired old typewriter is misspelling agian.

Ken Turner Vice President

Special thanks to all you Quarter Scalers that showed up at the Un- Contest.

Meeting called to order at 7:45 p.m. by Phil Mosko who led the Club in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Meeting began with Phil announcing that there is someone passing himself off as a Valley Flyer who is charging for flying lessons. Phil reminded the Club that there is no charge for flying lessons, and requested the Club provide the name of the individual (if known) so that he could be removed from the Club roster.

Marv Zauss requested assistance from the Club in helping to finish a sign that he is making which will be displayed at the field entrance.

Ken Turner reminded the Club that there is a fun Uncontest Fly-in on Oct. 2, and all are invited to bring their plane for the event. There will be a \$5.00 fee for entry.

Conversation took place concerning altitude restrictions, and all were given to understand that there are very rigid restrictions in order that we do not interfere with aircraft out of Van Nuys Airport. Swap night will be Oct. 25, and the manner in which it will be run was discussed.

Vic Martin announced that the Christmas party tickets are now on sale.

Chuck Siegle addressed the club and personally thanked all who helped at the recent Quickie 500. We then had an informative talk by Bob Palmer of Lockheed who discussed wind tunnel model building. John Marino who recently was involved with an RC event in Costa Rica also discussed the success of RC in that country.

We had our Goof Bowl award go to Ralph Council for arriving at his flying site with the wrong transmitter. There was a good Show 'n' Tell program with entries by Walt Clark, Marv Zauss, Bob Smith, Rob Mawer, and Jim Hall. Winners were Walt Clark and Bob Smith.

Well, three positions of your present Board are due for election: President, Secretary, and Vice President. They had been filled by Phil Mosko, Marty Mallow, and Ken Turner. Nominations for six positions were in order, and the following names were submitted for consideration:

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| Chuck Siegle | Ken Turner | Walt Clark | Bob Schmitz |
| Marty Mallow | Bob Neithart | Dennis Hardgrove | |
| Bob Adlen | Vic Martin | Dick Hager | Marv Zauss |
| Bob Scheurman | Pete Olsen | | |

Ballots will be provided for your selection at the November meeting.

Winners of the raffle were: Joe Brassner, Mel Gifis, Ron Plomer, Frank Dewey, Pete Olsen, and Trung Nguyen.

Meeting adjourned at 9:50 p.m.

BOARD MEETING Oct. 11, 1983

Attendees: Phil Mosko, Ken Turner, Ken Tyler, Marty Mallow, Vic Martin,
Mel Gifis, Marv Zauss, Sackchai Youngtrakul, Ron Schorr.

Meeting called to order at 8 p.m. Ken Turner announced that Larry Laulom has agreed to turn over the Chief Instructor position to a new member named Bob Schmitz. This of course is subject to verification of Mr. Schmitz' credentials. Ken also talked about his Scale Uncontest just concluded. There was fun to be had, and yours truly was one who had fun; even though my last flight surprised me when I began to examine my plane and found the engine practically falling out. I removed the spinner and the following flight disclosed a tight installation. Vibration almost caused my engine to separate from my aircraft-- yes, the spinner was the culprit.

Because of a mistake made in one of the flyers announcing the upcoming Swap Meet, please spread the word that the event will take place Oct 25, not the 24th. To all sellers: please arrive early so we can get you set up quickly. Mel Gifis proposed that all potential Board members submit a small resume to be published prior to election so that the members can make decisions based on these writeups.

A motion was made and passed that \$100.00 be donated to the Coalition to Save the Sepulveda Basin organization.

Vic Martin gave a report on "goodies" so far that had been donated to the Christmas party.

Sakchai Youngtrakul then showed his drawings to the Board for the proposed "overhang" to be installed at our flying site. He was then asked to "cost" it out. Ron Schorr was a guest this evening and indicated that he had a meeting with Walter Morgan who is Superintendent of Construction for the Parks Dept. They will grass the other side "east" of the runway for an additional \$250.00 above monies already committed. The Board made a motion which was carried and approved to expend this additional money.

Another motion was made to make all past Presidents "Life Members" of the Club. Motion passed.

Remember, Oct. 25, 1983 - Swap Meet. Bring money for those great sales.

EVENTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

This month marks a change from previous October meetings in that George Finch will have a free evening. For those of you who don't know George, he has in the past been gracious enough to be our "auctioneer" at our annual club auctions. This year we are going to have a "swap meet" so George, if he attends on the 25th. (not the 24th. as it said in the Flyer') will be able to mull around just like the rest of us and enjoy himself. No show and Tell this month.

Next month (November) is the election of the Board of Directors, so please attend this meeting as it is vital to the direction you want your club go.

On November 19th. and 20th. the Valley Flyers will have our 2nd. pattern contest of the year, the first was very successful even though we had poor weather. The C. D. is Peter ^{CALLAS} call 242-0120. Feel free to call him or me for any information.

See you at the Encino Community Center on Tuesday, October 25th., 7:30 p.m. SHARP.



NEWS EDITOR'S NOTES

This actually is just a space filler as we seem to have an extra page in the newsletter which must be filled. I am not sure that I have anything to say but I've always been known to ramble so here goes:

I was instructed to print the names and phone numbers of the flying instructors in this issue of the newsletter -- this has proven an impossible task as I know not whom to list. (Fancy English, huh?) I understand that Bob Schmitz is now the new Chief Instructor. His phone number is 340-4353. I would guess you can call him to find out who the instructors are and how to get in touch with them.

I haven't had much time to devote to this hobby in the past few months and do not foresee having more in the near future so that is about all I have to say for now.

Cindy Rice





TREASURER'S REPORT

SEPTEMBER 1983

HOME FIELD

SEPULVEDA BASIN MODEL AIRPORT

INCOME

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| ENTRY FEES QUICKIE 500 | 660.00 |
| NEW MEMBERS | 35.00 |
| PATCH & HAT | 9.00 |
| RECEIPTS SNACK BAR Q-500 AND FORMULA 1 | 415.66 |
| RAFFLE INCOME SEPT MEETING | 181.00 |
| SNACK BAR RECEIPTS-MTG | 35.85 |
| JACKET & PATCH SALE | <u>24.50</u> |
| TOTAL | 1361.01 |

EXPENSE

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| MEL GIFIS (NEWSLETTER & TROPHIES FOR Q-500) | 161.70 |
| TROPHY MART- TROPHIES FOR FUTURE PER BOARD RESOLUTION | 157.09 |
| MIKE ATZIE-NMPRA SANCTION (FORM- ULA 1 8/27 728) | 48.00 |
| LARRY LAULOM PYLON RENTAL Q-500 | 35.00 |
| SNACK BAR EXPENSE FORM 1 & Q500 | 291.84 |
| AMA SANCTION SCALE OCT 1 | 5.00 |
| MEL GIFIS FUEL Q500 | 50.99 |
| VIC MARTIN DEP FOR MUSIC XMAS | 50.00 |
| KEN TYLER REIMB FOUNDATION EXP | 47.80 |
| MARV ZAUSS- SIGNS FOR FIELD | 32.88 |
| CINDY RICE NEWSLETTER | 92.12 |
| HAL MFG CO-JACKETS & T-SHIRTS | 150.16 |
| SMITH BROS RAFFLE PRIZES SEPT | 200.00 |
| SNACK BAR EXP SEPT MTG | <u>12.30</u> |
| TOTAL | 1334.88 |

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| BALANCE ON HAND AUGUST 31 | 3379.34 |
| INCOME FOR SEPT 1983 | <u>1361.01</u> |
| TOTAL | 4740.35 |
| EXPENSES FOR SEPT 1983 | <u>1334.88</u> |
| BALANCE ON HAND SEPT 30 | 3405.47 |
| BALANCE IN VALLEY FLYERS FOUNDATION | <u>7510.79</u> |
| TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE | \$10916.26 |

THIS WAS NOT A GREAT MONTH FOR THE CLUB FINANCIALLY. BUT, OWING TO OUR CASH-BASIS ACCOUNTING, THINGS WERE PROBABLY BETTER THAN THEY SEEMED. OUR TREASURY ONLY GAINED 63.87 OVER LAST MONTH BUT A LOT OF THE EXPENSE ACTUALLY OCCURRED IN AUGUST.

Ken Tyler
KEN TYLER TREAS.

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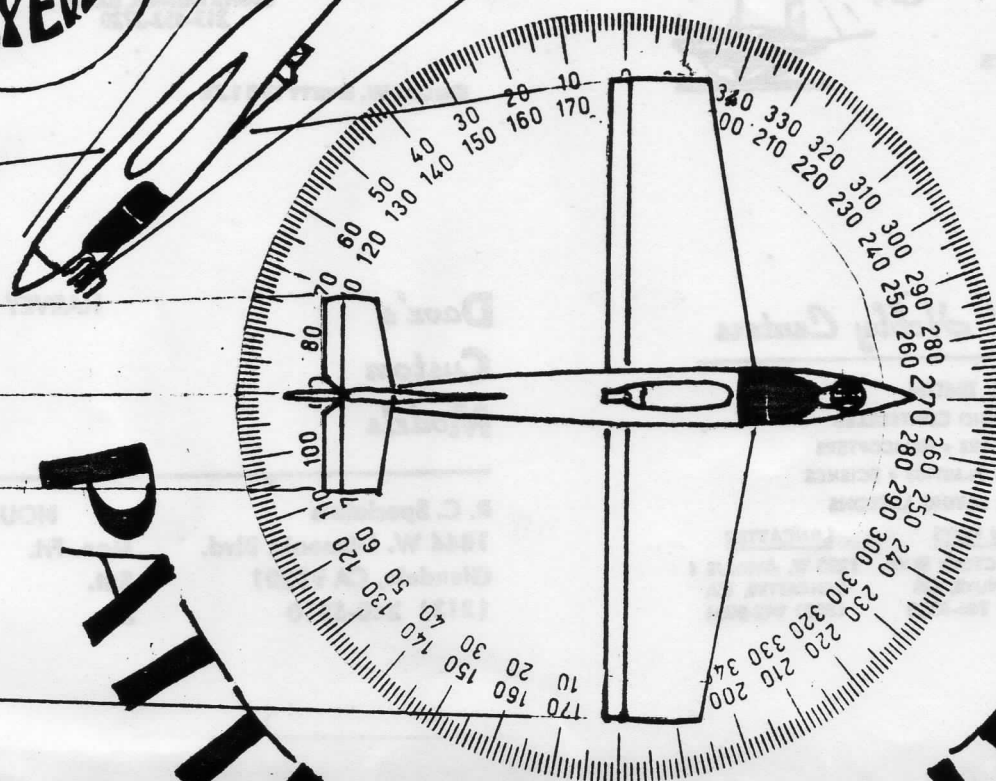
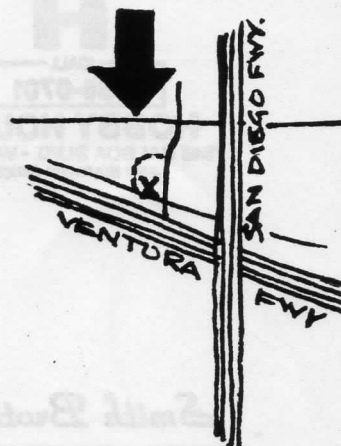
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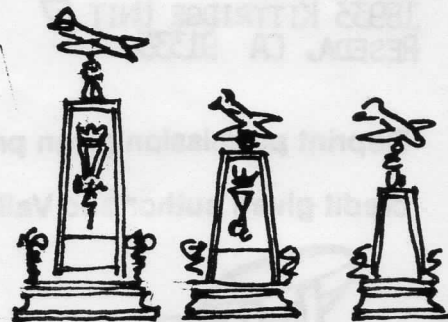
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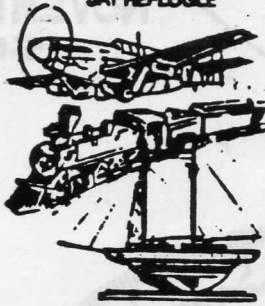
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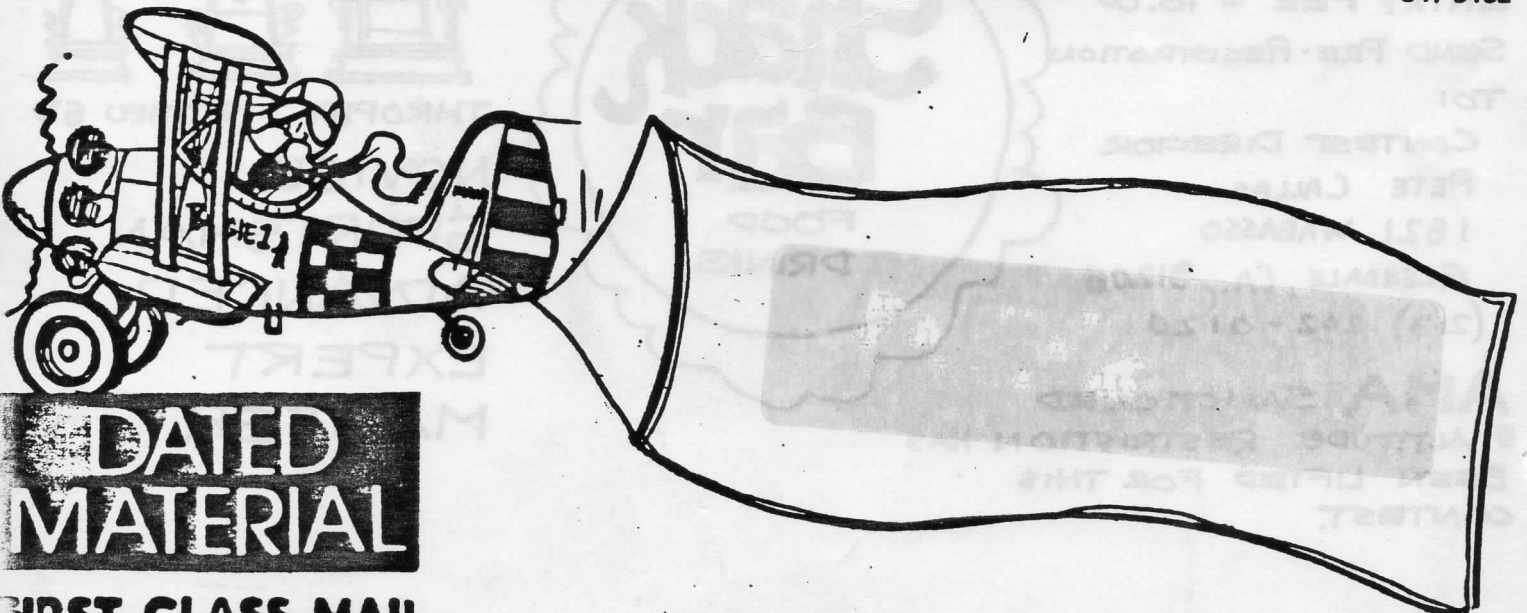


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