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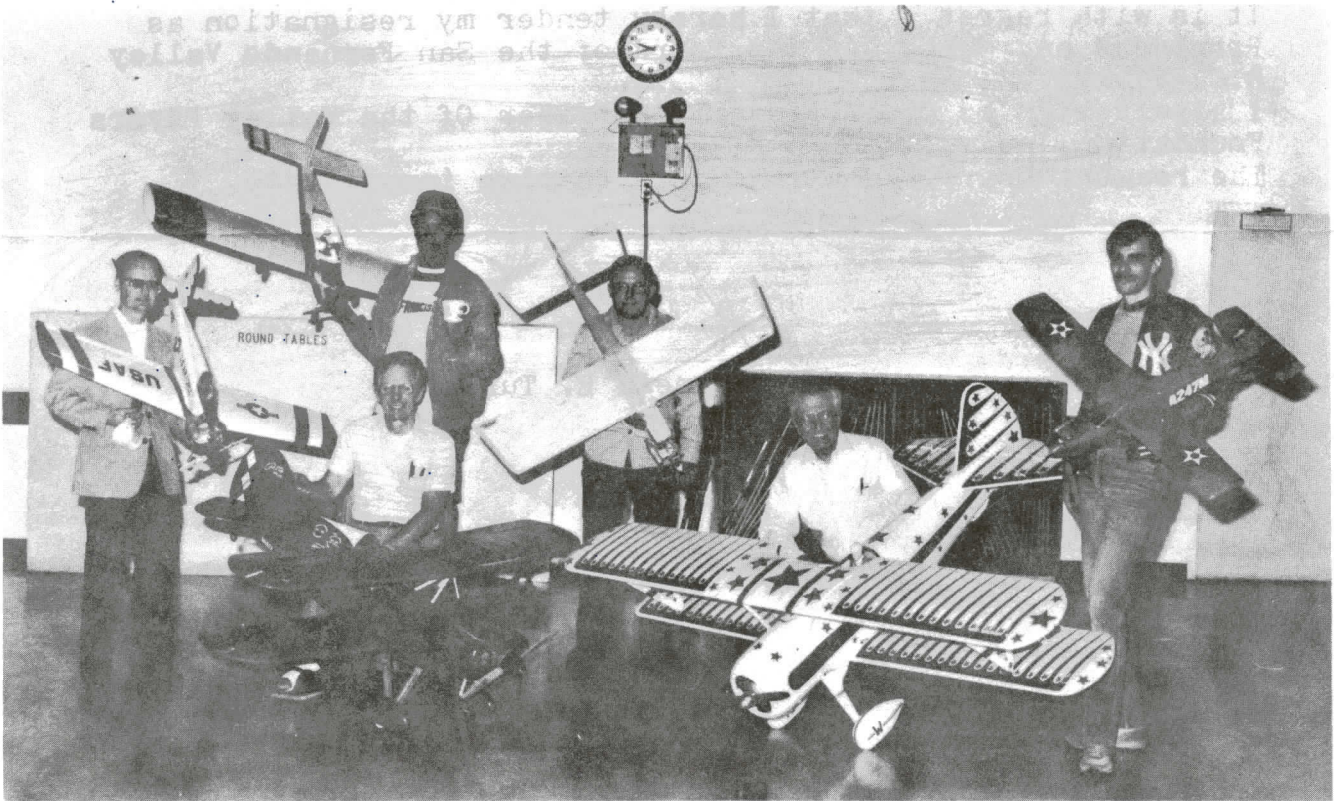


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May 9, 1984



Fellow Board Member :

It is with regret, that I hereby tender my resignation as President and Member of the Board of the San Fernando Valley R.C. Flyers.

I also resign as Chief Financial Officer Of the Valley Flyers Foundation Inc.

The reasons are personal and is effective immediately.



Kenneth E. Turner

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Vice President's Report

Who says you have to be philosophical every time you lose an airplane. I don't know about you, but I get mad. . . . but if you fly, sooner or later your going to crash. So you wind up with a bunch of unused parts, and its back to the drawing board and another kit. We are in a kind of hobby that requires patience, and no one knows it better than I. Sure there have been times I've said to myself, "are you sure your enjoying yourself?" But when I finish a kit, and get out to the field and meet with friends, I know the answer to that question. Sure I'm having a good time, and with people who have a common interest, from all walks of life, and talking the same subject, "love of flying." Make no mistake, you have a skill to learn, but your only competitor is yourself. Each time you fly, you get better, and soon your in command not only of your airplane, but of yourself.

GENERAL MEETING - APRIL 24, 1984

The meeting was called to order by President Ken Turner at 7:30 p.m. There was a great turnout!!

The president announced there were name badges to be given free of charge to all members.

The treasurer's report was given.

Walt Clark and Ken Tyler both talked about the raffle to be held at the MAC Show, April 28th and 29th. There will be a Box Fly 20, radio and engine raffled off at the show with the proceeds going to the Valley Flyers Foundation to be used to further the interest in the hobby of flying.

Ken Tyler announced that there is a brochure of the Valley Flyers Foundation explaining the purpose, etc. to be used for fund appeals and for those who are interested in finding out about the Foundation.

Dick Hager emphasized that the newsletter is where part of your membership fee goes, so be sure that your name is on the list and you are receiving yours. If you have any ideas or comments about our newsletter, please let the editor know.

The goof ball award was won by Walt Clark for crashing someone else's plane, while trying to help fly it. Congratulations!!

Phil Mosko announced that a seal coating was going on the field. The field is looking better and better, but we do need some help with pulling weeds.

Marty Mallow has hats, jackets and large patches for sale.

Those participating in the Model of the Month were: Gerry Dyer - Lucky Stick; Lloyd Brewer - Cougar; Walt Clark - Super Stearmen; Dick Hager - Byron Pitts; Bob Lofton - Goldberg Sky Tiger; and Byron Petrides - Sig Clipper. Lloyd Brewer won for Sport; Walt Clark won for Scale; and Bob Lofton won a prize for giving a good presentation (as usual).

Mel Gifis announced the Giant Scale Fun Fly to be held on May 6th & 7th. June 3rd will be a one day only 1/2 Midget Race. Another Fun Fly will be held on June 24th.

Our president encouraged flyers to fly a pattern contest. He feels there is a lot of encouragement & help from those participating and it is a good experience.

It was announced that Bob Palmer built the plane to be raffled off at the MAC Show.

The club instructors were introduced for the benefit of the new members.

Dennis Hargrove, our Program Chairman, introduced Cliff Rosen of Condor Hobbies and John Bernbrock who is a sport flyer. Cliff gave us some information on light weight ignition systems and John gave us a very informative and humorous demonstration of 4 stroke engines. It was a good program and appreciated by the club, as was evident by the response.

Ken Turner announced that if anyone wishes to attend a Board of Directors meeting, to please let him know ahead of time as they can only accommodate an extra 6 persons at a meeting.

The raffle was held and those winning prizes were: Clay Bayloff, Marv Zauss, Mark Sutter, Ken Turner, Ralph Council, Larry Clickenger and George Lane.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:35 p.m.

Lois Hager
Acting secretary

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING - MAY 8, 1984

The meeting was called to order at 7:45 by President Ken Turner.

Those in attendance were: Phil Mosko, Marv Zauss, Dick Hager, Marty Mallow, Bob Adams, Dennis Hargrove, Ken Tyler, Ken Turner, Bob Neithart, Pete Olson and Walt Clark.

Phil Mosko has a discussion about the health permit needed for the Snack Stand. As of now, the Snack Stand is closed due to the, hopefully temporary, inability to get a health permit.

Cat Design & Castle Neckware, Inc. donated \$500 total to the Flyers Foundation. Thanks!!

Marty Mallow will purchase 12 shirts for the club. If everyone likes them, we will buy more.

Ken Tyler has stickers for your car. Ken also gave me the new insurance policy for the Snack Stand.

Ken Turner made a motion, which was passed, to make Reed Packard a Life Member of the Valley Flyers. He has put in a lot of time in taking pictures for our club. Thanks Reed!

Phil Mosko made a motion that no expenditures, with the exception of normal operating costs and usual customary expenses, over \$50.00 be made without a majority vote from the board. Ken Tyler seconded the motion & it was carried.

Phil Mosko made a motion that we use Bic Mac Paving to put a slurry coat on the runway as soon as possible at a cost of \$4980.00. Ken Turner seconded the motion and is carried. The field will be closed for 48 hours while the work is being done.

A Fun BBQ will be held on June 10th. Marv Zauss is in charge and will look into the cost, etc.

Dick Hager purchased a printing press for the newsletter at a cost of \$750 plus tax. It will pay for itself in a fairly short period of time.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:15.

Bob Neithart
Secretary

PROGRAM DIRECTOR'S REPORT

We've scheduled a trio of speakers for our May meeting. Did you ever wonder why we have those 200' maximum altitude markers painted on our runway? Our first guest, Dean Cooper will tell you why. Dean is an official at Van Nuys Airport, and we've invited him to share that airport's policies relating to our flying field.

Bob Schmitz will talk about the HB-21. Bob's address will be in rebuttal to some less-than-favorable reports made at last month's meeting about the little four-stroke.

Finally, we expect a visit from Joe Bridi. Joe will talk about a variety of subjects and he said that he will accept many questions and comments from the audience.

We've received an early conformation of our June speaker. This will be Mr. Brian Curry of Irvine. In case you missed him at the MAC Show, Brian has a collection of radio equipment that spans three decades. He's going to load up his "mini-museum" and bring it to our June meeting for display and discussion.

In appreciation of Brian's effort, I invite all you Valley Flyers to bring any old or unusual piece of radio equipment that you're not using, and contribute it to Brian's museum. Thank you, and I'm looking forward to seeing you at the next meeting.

Dennis Hargrove
Program Chairman

SNACK BAR REPORT

We had our Snack Stand open for the Quarter Scale Event, May 5th and 6th. It was a very successful event, as we took in over \$1400.00. Thanks, once again, to our hard working ladies, Betty Olson, Betty Eyman, Candy Adams and our new helping hand Maxine Broughton from Ojai. They really wroked their tails off!! There was hardly a minute to take a break!! Bob Kinne was a great help also, as was Pete Olson, as usual. Thanks to Pete Chagares for the donuts & ice, and to Betty Balof for the delicious home baked banana loaves. Patti & Ed (Eyeman's daughter & son-in-law) helped alot by bringing us badly needed ice, as did Candy & Bob Adams, Patti & Betty Olson and Marty Mallow.

Marv & Phyllis Zauss

***Thanks especially to Bob Neithart for his delicious dogs which are the backbone of our stand!!!!

Editors Note: Our apologies to JAYHAWK Little Aircraft Company. In last month's newsletter they were inadvertently called Jay Mar Models. Please accept our apology.

CLUB INSTRUCTORS

Students wishing to participate in this training program please call one of the following instructors for an appointment.

Walter Clark	345-3910	Weekends
Phillip Mosko	645-2957	Weekends
Ralph Rosen	472-7723	Weekdays
Bob Schmitz	340-4353	Weekdays
Chuck Siegle	347-3182	Weekends
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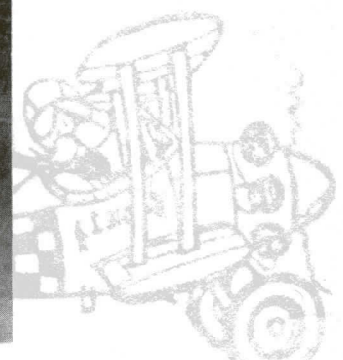


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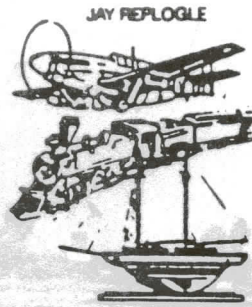
Marv Zauss has been taking photos of members at the field, meetings, etc. with their aircraft. If you would like your picture taken, please notify Marv. He will be happy to do so!! We appreciate Marv's interest and help in this project.

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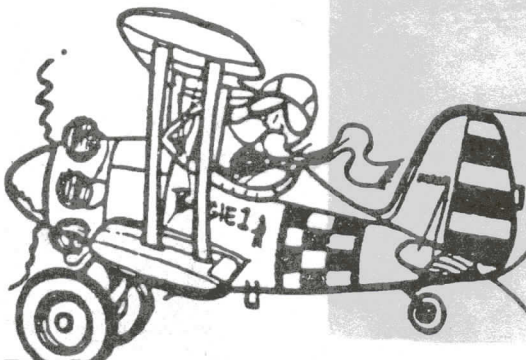
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