

# THE

# VALLEY FLYER

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VALLEY FLYERS REGULAR MEETING:

4TH TUES. OF EVERY MONTH - 7:30 P.M.  
ENCINO COMMUNITY CENTER  
4935 BALBOA BLVD., ENCINO, CA

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Just returned from a business trip which took me to Orlando, Florida. Having a weekend to explore the area, I decided to visit RC World. There I met with <sup>B</sup>~~Bill~~ Sharpe and Lee Painter. I was taken on a tour of the facility which is really developing. I was pleasantly surprised at the condominiums which were one and two bedroom set-ups. In addition, each condominium has an approximate 9 X 9 room which was totally screened so that you could turn on your radio without worrying about shooting somebody down who is flying nearby. The facility is probably two years from completion. Most of the condominiums have already been sold. I will circulate some pictures I have taken which will better describe what I've seen. That part of the facility which will contain the single family dwellings has not been started. The flight field has a 450 ft. runway adjacent to a clubhouse on top of which is a control tower. Having been a controller, the tower was particularly interesting to me, but discussions disclosed that the only real use it has is to use it as an announcer stand.

Anyone interested in additional information can peruse through the material I've brought back with me. It really looks like a great way to spend your life, surrounded by people with one common interest. I have also been told that two more RC communities are being contemplated elsewhere in the country, but the planners are watching this RC development to see how it works out.

Incidentally, radios and aircraft have been donated by various manufacturers to RC World who will allow visitors to fly them at their field.

Welcome new members;

Christ Fast

Earl Foltz

Milt Morris

and a new lady to our group;

Evelyn Pennak

SAN FERNANDO VALLEY R.C. FLYERS

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING

JULY 23, 1985

The meeting opened at 7:35 PM with the pledge of allegiance led by club Vice President Ken Tyler. President Marty Mallow was away on business. Former President Ken Turner was acting secretary in the absence of Lois Hager.

After the introduction of new members and guests by Vice President Tyler, Vic Martin, President of the Valley Flyers Foundation gave a brief report on proposed improvements at the field. At its last meeting, the board of directors of the club approved the construction of sun shades for the eight cement pads at the field, to be paid for by the foundation. Steel for these pads has been donated to the foundation by member Joe Brassner. Thanks a million, Joe.

The board also approved construction of a cement block snack bar and storage room, to be placed where the present snack bar stands. This structure, too, would be built by the Foundation. Ken Tyler reported on his discussions with the Parks and Recreation Department regarding these two projects. He met with Mr. Walt Morgan, who is the principal Grounds Maintenance Supervisor for the entire Valley area. Mr. Morgan referred him to the Architect for the Parks Department, Mr. Walter Shigahara, downtown Los Angeles. Mr. Shigahara stated that the Department had no objection in principle to these constructions, but that proper Architectural drawings properly engineered, would have to be submitted to the Department through Mr. Morgan. The concern of the Department is that water sometimes fills the area, and they wouldn't want the structures to wind up against the face of the Sepulveda Dam in the event of rain. Ken Tyler obtained a plot plan of the area from Mr. Shigahara to facilitate drawing of the plans, which, incidentally, will also have to be submitted to the Corps of Engineers, who have final say over anything constructed in the basin. At this point, Mr. Pat Baner, who is a General Contractor and a new member of the club, volunteered to get the drawings done, and Ken Tyler is meeting with him

sometime in the next week to make the necessary arrangements.

Ken Tyler also reported on the Field Maintenance charge the Department of Parks has been making for the last year. The Foundation had agreed through Phil Mosko to pay \$75 per month to the Department for grass cutting, etc at the field. None of the money was paid for the past year, so the Foundation owed the Parks Department \$900 for the past year. When Ken met with Mr. Morgan, he offered to pay up for the past year. Morgan proposed the the Foundation make a one-time donation to the Parks Department of \$2000, for some blowers, and the Parks Department would agree to maintain the field in perpetuity without any further charge to the club or the foundation. This proposal will be considered by the Board at the next meeting.

The Goof Bowl was won by J.W. Hadon, who used one prop for each landing 10 times in a row.

Joe Zingali, who makes Zinger Props and other merchandise, gave an interesting talk on the manufacture of propellers. He did an excellent job, and we want to thank him for taking his time. We also want to thank Pete Chagares for a fine program.

We had an excellent "Show & Tell" program with seven entries. Winners were Robert Adamar for a Telemaster Sr. sport, Dick Kolodziej for a Long Eze Scale, and Gene Sidwell for a Little Tony Comp.

The raffle included merchandise donated by Joe Zingali. A very successful meeting. Adjourned at 9:35 PM.

Ken Turner  
Acting Secretary

## ABOUT THE RAFFLE

Each month we raffle off a few items at the end of the meeting. One reason we have a raffle is to encourage you to attend and the reason it is held at the end of the meeting is to get you to stay. I am sure most of you new all this already, but did you know that we do not try to make a profit for the club? We just try to break even. When you hear me trying to sell a few more tickets at the end of the meeting it so we can break even.

Months that we do make a profit we will spend more the next time to make up for it.

Now as for the things that we have in the raffle. I am open for any ideas as to what you would like to see us raffle off. But don't come up to at the meeting and say that you want this or that. I have a very bad memory and will forget. Drop me a line and outline what items you want to see. If I can I will get them.

Remember this is your club, take part.

THANKS

VICK MARTIN

RAFFLE CHAIRMAN

THIS MONTH

SUPER TIGRE X61 R/C TST WITH TUNED PIPE (USED BY HANO <sup>PRETTNER</sup>~~PRENNER~~ TO  
WIN WORLD PATTERN CHAMP)

SIG KOUGAR MARK II

20Z. INSTA CURE & 20Z. INSTA CURE+ (ONE PRIZE)

SIX SHOOTER FUEL PUMP

SUPER STAND

MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING AUGUST 13, 1985

Home of Ken Tyler

Attendees:

Marty Mallow, Ken Tyler, Bob and Candy Adams, Marv and Phyllis Zauss, Phil Mosko, Pat Banes, Pete Chagaris, Vic Martin.

Well the board has established September 14 as our family picnic day. All are invited, it's a club day.

Congratulations to Vic Martin for being a committee of one to see that the field was striped. It looks great.

Ken Tyler and Pat Banes have laid the groundwork for getting our building built. A committee was formed with Ken and Pat joining with Marv Zauss and Vic Martin to decide where the building was to be situated and how best to compliment the field.

The Christmas Party was discussed with the cost \$20.00 a couple. Corsages for the ladies, cups for the men and door prizes .....

Well it's time for the membership to consider once again who wants to be on the board for 1986 - 87. We will have openings for at least 4 or 5 members. If you are interested, let us know and we would really appreciate knowing it as soon as you have decided.

We are saddened by the demise of Donald (Woody) Woodward. Our condolences to his family. Woody was a "modeler", and so far as this club is concerned, that's the best we can say of anyone.

We received our jackets back stencilled correctly, and we will have them available for the August meeting.

  
Marty Mallow

Hi:

My guest speaker for this month backed out at the last minute due to a business trip. What we would like to do at this club meeting is to go over problems that you might be having with a particular model project. So if you are stumped with any aspect of building or equipment installation, bring your model to the next meeting and we can all put our heads together and come up with a solution. Also, if you have any questions on what makes a model fly, this would be a good time to bring them up.

This is your chance to ask those questions that have been bugging you for a long time. Don't be embarrassed. No question is too stupid. We have all asked questions which is the learning process. Some of us have never progressed beyond the learning stage.

Lets try for a good turnout and an interesting discussion. Next months speaker will be from Airtronics.

Best to all of you,

Pete Chagaris

### 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
Tim Tourtillot	344-9723	Weekends
Ken Turner	340-4876	Weekends
Marvin Zauss	768-0855	Weekends

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Evet's Model Shop Colby Evett	1636 Ocean Park Blvd., Santa Monica, CA	(213) 452-2720
Robin's Hobby Service Bill Hambley	1844 West Glenoaks Blvd., Glendale, CA	(818) 240-2093
MK Model Products Dave	12420 Burbank Blvd., N. Hollywood, CA	(818) 506-7564
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