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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

Mixed emotions are words that all of us have used from time to time, but those words sure do fit this occasion. This is my last column as your outgoing president, and it will seem strange sitting out front looking up at our new president for the 1986-87 time frame. Looking back at our achievements makes me proud that I was part of a team of people dedicated to a demanding hobby. Our field speaks for itself with grassed infields, and cemented areas. The flag pole and the covers for the picnic tables are in place, but best of all, our relationships with the Parks Department are at an all time high. On the drawing board is our new building which is a real possibility for the future. Imagine, our own snack bar and storage area. I've seen our club become a foundation where tax-free donations make it possible to raise resources needed for all the things we want to do.

Your new president will have his work cut out for him. He will be faced with bickering, differences of opinion, seemingly impossible hurdles, but he will be associated with some of the finest people who have adopted this hobby. Where has the last four years gone?

I wish the new board the very best.

Marty Mallow President

### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING - NOV. 12, 1985**

The meeting was held at the home of Pete Chagares. Those in attendance were: Marty Mallow, Ken Tyler, Marv Zauss, Pete and Betty Olson, Larry Laulom, Vick Martin and Pat Baner.

Pete Olson reported that his scale uncontest Nov. 3 was a success with a nice turnout by scale flyers. It was suggested that the membership ought to be reminded that this is the time of the year to think about donations to the foundation. Its tax deductible and we are sure that some members can use this write off.

Larry Laulom announced events for 1986:

Formula I - March 15,16 Quickie 500 - April Giant Scale - May 3,4 Quickie 500 June 8 Picnic - June 29 Formula I - Sept 27,28 Scale - Nov. 2

Pat Baner made a spectacular announcement that the Parks Department has budgeted over a quarter of a million dollars for additional field improvements. Thats our flying field we are talking about. That includes paving of the road. This is a real tribute to the efforts of the Valley Flyers who have contributed to our hobby which includes safe flying, and attention to imposed restrictions. Congratulations to all club members. You have made this possible.

Our Christmas Party is only a short time off. Lets get behind the club and get tickets sold. Remember Dec. 6 — Its your party.

Finally, remember our November meeting. Its time to nominate and vote for your board candidate. Show your support for their efforts. GET OUT AND VOTE — Nov. 26.

Marty Mallow, Acting Secretary

## HAPPY HOLIDAYS

### PROGRAMS

Hello there!

Well, the time is rapidly approaching for our annual Christmas Dinner. Get your tickets NOW; don't wait till it's too late. See me at this month's meeting for them, they are only \$10.00 each. If you can't make it to the meeting, ticketss will be available for a short time at several of the hobby shops in the San Fernando Valley.

This month's guest speaker will be from Craft Air. It should be interesting. Let's have a good turnout. There will be no meeting in December. Larry Laulom will be doing one of his fabulous "How To's" in January.

Happy Flying.

Pete Chagares,
Program Chairman

NEXT MEETING: November 26th. Encino Community Center. Speaker from Craft Air and election of board members. See you there!

Editors Note: Three of our active members have been ill. Bob Adams is in the hospital awaiting tests to see if surgery is necessary; Vick Martin had a stroke and was in the hospital for a time, but is now home recuperating and Reed Packard (Our club photographer) has been under the weather. We wish them all a speedy recovery. (If I have inadvertently missed anyone, it is because I haven't heard about anyone elsesorry!) It would be nice if one of your board members was notified when there is an illness or death in our families, otherwise we sometimes are not aware of the situation.

### **CLUB INSTRUCTORS**

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

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

PARKS DEPARTMENT COMMITTED TO SPEND \$287,000 IN FISCAL 1985-86

Those of you who have been at the Field recently have no doubt noticed that four of the Sun shades have now been constructed and roofed over the cement pads. Four more will eventually be constructed as soon as the steel becomes available. A special thanks to member Joe Brassner, who secured the metal for us, and who has promised the steel for the additional shades.

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We are delighted to pass on to you a statement by Rick Sessinghouse of the Parks and Recreation Department. At a recent meeting the sum of \$287,000 was pledged to the Flying Field alone. This money must be spent by June 30, 1986. It will go for paving the road to the flying field, for paving the parking lot, for bringing in electric power and for lighting.

We are sure that the committment by the Parks Department has been influenced by the activity shown by Valley Flyers in trying to improve conditions at the Field. We will still need to collect and spend money for things like the snack stand and storage shed. If you are thinking about a little financial support, why not make a contribution to the Valley Flyers Foundation? It't tax deductible, and the money will go into field improvements.

KEN TYLER VICE PRESIDENT



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