

THE VALLEY FLYER

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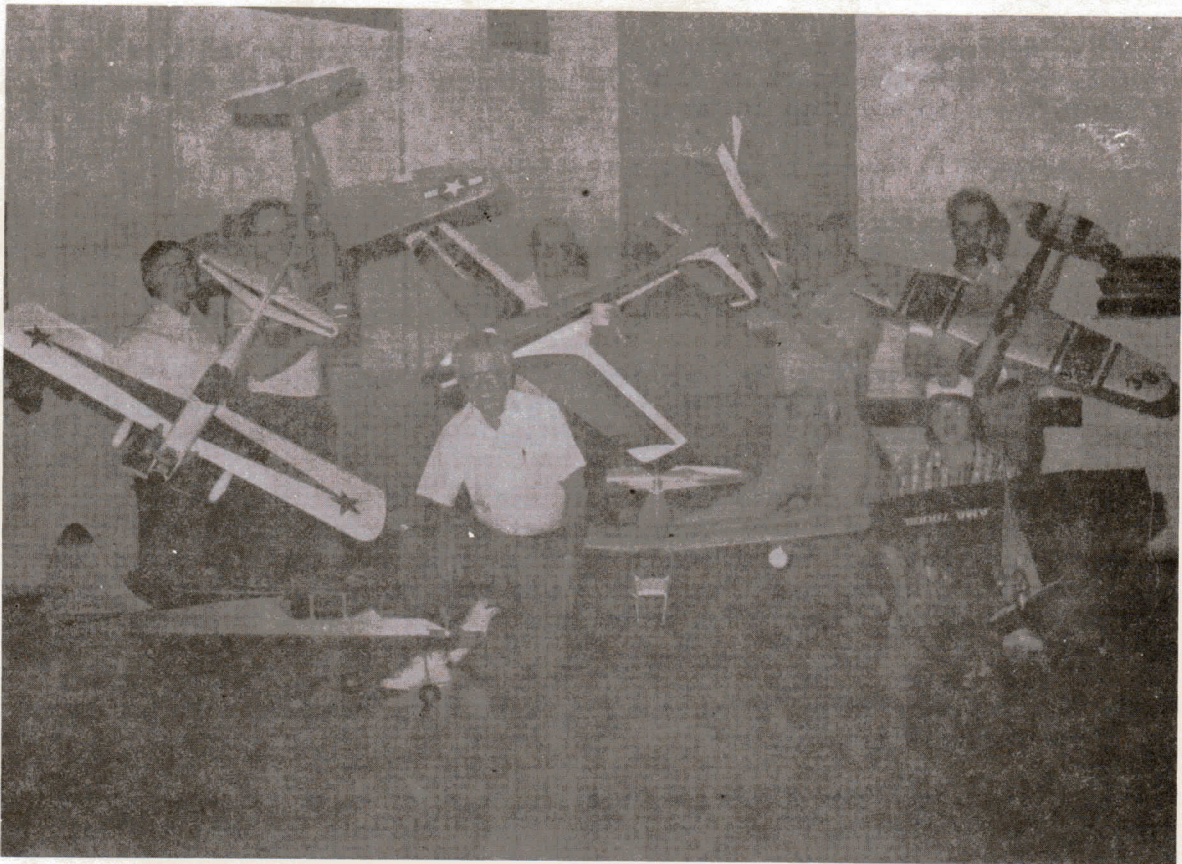


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VALLEY FLYERS REGULAR MEETING:

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

BOARD MEETING - FEBRUARY 11, 1986

The President, Ken Tyler, called the meeting to order at 7:36 p.m. Attending were Larry Laulom, Art Pelka, Pete Chagares, Bob Adams, Pat Baner, Ron McClave, Vic Martin, J. W. Hedden and Marv Zauss.

Ken reported that he had spoken with the City Parks & Recreation Department and was told that improvements to the flying field will be delayed until November, 1986. Their current budget allows them to pave the entrance road and parking lot and to add field lights. Fencing will be added later under a different budget.

It was moved, seconded and passed to have Pat Baner post a sign designating the Helicopter flying area. This sign will also have the endorsement of the City Parks & Recreation Department. Also, the main sign listing the flying field rules will be redone to add the following:

1. Helicopters will be flown only in the designated posted area.
2. All take-offs will be from the north end of the field unless the arrow on the wind pole points north.

Larry Laulom will have the new signs painted.

Vic Martin suggested the club print up a newsletter called "The Valley Basin Flying Field Newsletter" for distribution to non club members. It was moved by Pete Chagares and seconded by Pat Baner that this quarterly non-member newsletter be issued. Motion carried.

It was moved by Pete Chagares and seconded by Bob Adams that a flyer explaining the current field rules be printed and given to the hobby shops. Motion passed. Pete will handle the printing and distribution of the flyer.

Marv Zauss received a telephone call from Burdie Nuffy of the Van Nuys Airport Pilots Asso. informing him of their association meeting on March 4 at the California Air National Guard Auditorium where the pilots will discuss the noise complaints being voiced by surrounding home owners. She requested the attendance of Valley Flyers Club membership to show support of the Pilots Association.

Member Jay Replogle of Hobby House will speak at the February club meeting about new products at his store.

Pat Baner requested that club members police each other about adhering to safety rules at the field. He will also request this at the next meeting.

Ron McClave gave the financial report.

It was moved by Pat Baner and seconded by Larry Laulom that MK Model Products hobby store sponsor a 4-cycle Fun Fly with the club running the snack bar. Motion passed.

Pat Baner will investigate the purchase of a trailer for the snack stand.

Bob Adams, membership chairman, reported there are 80 paid club members.

BOARD MEETING - FEBRUARY 11, 1986 (con't)

The March Board meeting will be held at the home of Pete Chagares.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:03 p.m.

GENERAL MEETING - FEBRUARY 25, 1986

The meeting was called order by Ken Tyler at 7:40 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Ken introduced the guests and new members: Bob Edwards, Bob Lough, Mike Ignelzi, Milford Kaplan, and Oscar Kane. The club members extended a warm welcome to them.

Ron McClave, Treasurer, gave the February financial report. Check book balance at end of February is \$5,344.00.

The memorial fund for Reed Packard went over the \$500 mark.

Vic Martin requested help for the next Formula 1 Race being held at the field. Although several members volunteered, more will be needed. Contact Vic if you can lend a hand.

Pat Baner, Field Manager, announced that the covering over the remaining picnic bench areas are ready to go up.

The club wants to purchase a 16 to 18 ft. trailer to be used as a concession booth at the field for the events. It will be kept at the City Parks equipment yard. In return for storing it, the City will use it on special occasions. Pat Baner requested the members help at the field in maintaining order in his absence.

Jay Replogle was our guest speaker. He introduced some of the new hobby products on the market.

The Goof Bowl was won by Bobby Edwards for stepping on his stabilizer. Jay Replogle was nominated for the award for taking his helicopter off in the pit area.

The Show and Tell entries were:

Piper Cherokee	Bob Lough	Formula 1 DeKnife	Leonard Leon
Pattern Plane	Ken Turner	Super Sportster	Ron Plomer
Top Flight Smokester	John Dwyer	Quaker (Rebuilt)	Walt Clark
Pietenpol Air Camper	Walt Clark	Quaker (New)	Walt Clark
P39 Cobra	Bob Sideman		

GENERAL MEETING - FEBRUARY 25, 1986 (con't)

The winners by category were:

Scale	Piper Cherokee	Bob Lough
Competition	Formula 1 Deknife	Leonard Leon
Pattern	Pattern Plane	Ken Turner
Sport	Super Sportster	Ron Plomer

Congratulations to all!!!

March 10 to March 14 the field will be closed for the filming of a movie in which 1/2 scale models will be used.

A committee was appointed which will try to resolve the problem of radio interference. This is a serious on-going problem. Committee members are Marv Zauss, Vic Martin and Ralph Rosen.

The raffle winners were Joe Buckley, Ralph Council, Earl Richards, Clarence or, and John Rice.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:55 p.m.

MARCH RAFFLE

HOBBY PRODUCTS 48" RULER AND STRAIGHT EDGE

HP 21 VT 4/STROKE

SIX SHOOTER FUEL PUMP

12 VOLT GEL CELL STARTING BATTERY

HIGH QUALITY KIT

This raffle is for you. Give me some input as to what you would like in it.

Vick

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

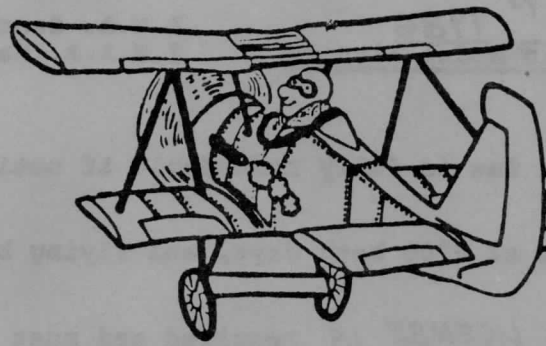
SAN FERNANDO VALLEY GIANT SCALE SQUADRON

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Flying Starts: 9:00 AM - Sat. & Sun.

Giant Scale FUN-FLY



Refreshments

Spectator Bleachers

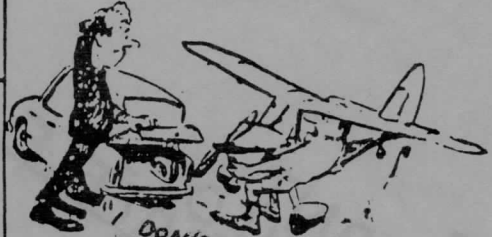
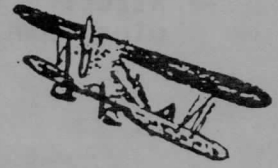
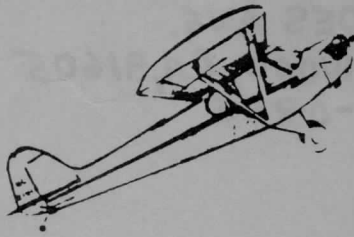
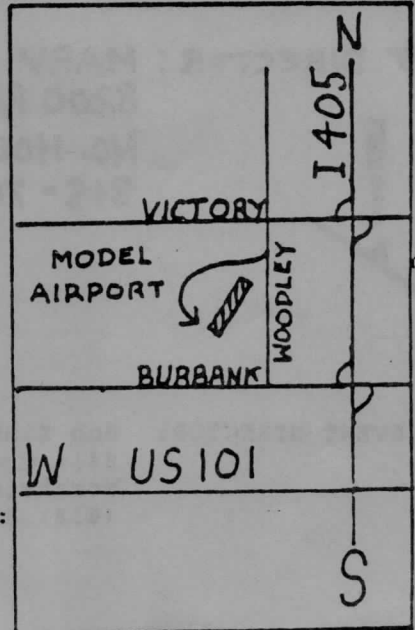
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Giant Scale FUN-FLY

Date: May 3RD and 4TH 1986
Place: Sepulveda Basin Model Airport
Van Nuys, CA

A.M.A. Sanction
I.M.A.A. Sanctioned

Entry Fee: \$10.00

Pre-registration fee is fully refundable if notified prior to April 30,

- * Registration begins at 0700 both days, and flying begins at 0900.
- * Current A.M.A. LICENSE is required and must be presented at registration. This includes appropriate 6 meter license!
- * Aircraft must conform to 1986 AMA Rules requirements.
- * All models must have been flown prior to this "fun-fly". No test flights on site please.
- * A safety inspection will be made on all aircraft prior to flying. Any flying over spectators will result in immediate grounding.
- * All transmitters will be checked into the Transmitter Impound prior to each day's flying. You must have a frequency control pin before your transmitter will be released to you.
- * Aircraft size: Monoplane 80 inch wing span, Biplane 60 inch wing span, or true 1/4 scale.

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FREE GIANT PILOTS RAFFLE!

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IN MEMORIAM
E. REED PACKARD

E. Reed Packard was born in Minneapolis, Minnesota on August 16, 1916 and passed away December 15, 1986. Reed was a professional photographer, with his studio located in Burbank, for the past 33 years.

On occasion, Reed would tell of his school days and, especially, about his Manual Arts Class. One assignment was to bring in a design and so it was only natural he would bring one of a plane. His design was something similar to the well known swept wing. His instructor made fun of it and tore up Reed's plans. This was the last of Reed's designing. He turned his ingenuity to his profession and to modeling.

Reed was one of the founding members of the San Fernando Valley Flyers and served as the club Photographer for over 25 years. He was also a member of IMAA, QSAA, and SFV Giant Scale Squadron, although he had not yet built a "Big is Beautiful" plane.

In reminiscing with his friends and those close to Reed, Vicky Hudson recalls, "He never had a bad word to say about anyone, no matter how he was treated by that person or anyone else." Bob Palmer recalls Reed was always a gentleman. They used to fly Reed's plane together and Bob designed and made a cowl for a scale model Reed was building. Vick Martin remarked about Reed's wonderful way with people and, especially, his patience when taking pictures at the meetings. 1963 was when the Valley Flyers Club was just getting started, and Willie Gardner recalls that he, Reed, Darryl Yonder and others were involved and Reed was always there to help. Walt Clark agrees. Reed was always there to help in the pit after flying. And last, but not least, our current Valley Flyers President, Ken Tyler, remarks how much Reed enjoyed the club and went about his business very quietly and unassuming and was such a staunch supporter all the while.

The Flyers is changing the name of their Member of the Year Award to the Reed Packard Award, to be given each year to the person who has contributed the most to the club and who displays fine qualities as a human being.

Goodbye, Reed. We miss you.

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Smith Brother's Hobby Centers	#1. 8941 Reseda Blvd., Northridge, CA #2. 16217 Victory, Van Nuys, CA #3. 1223 W. Avenue I, Lancaster, CA	(818) 885-8636 (818) 786-6583 (805) 942-6984
Chuck's Hobby Hanger Chuck Siegle	22718 Ventura Blvd. Woodland Hills, CA	(818) 347-3182
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., Glen Dale, CA	(818) 240-2093
MK Model Products Dave	12420 Burbank Blvd., N. Hollywood, CA	(818) 506-7564
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