



# The Valley Flyer



AMA Charter Club #152 Celebrating 60 years

September 2010



**Michael Lipsey**  
Newsletter Editor

Welcome to the September Newsletter!

This month's meeting is going to be quite fun so don't miss it. We are going to do another round of the 'Micro Helicopter Olympics'. The planned events will again include pylon racing of Coaxial and Fixed Pitch Helicopters and if there are enough entrants with indoor airplanes we will have a round of those around the pylons too. We will also have a round of the obstacle course with a few changes to the rules. I was surprised during the last event at how good some of you guys really are. So the rules will have to adapt a bit, we also had a little problem with time so that is driving the rules changes as well. First and foremost the time for each contestant will be 2 minutes instead of 3. Next instead of being able to pretty much choose the obstacles you want to attempt—you will be required to attempt them all in order. Points will be given for each obstacle—the pilot with the highest points value will win.

Something new has been introduced into the micro helicopter scene this month and it looks really flipping sweet. Horizon has introduced some combat

systems onto their Coax Micro helis. These birds are nice looking, I was at PCH hobbies today looking at them and they did a demo for me. I had to buy one...

Attached is a picture of the blue one. The transmitter even makes gun noises. There is also a review in the latest Fly RC Magazine.

The next time we hold a micro helicopter Olympics event we will include a combat event so pick one up at your local hobby store.

We have a few events coming up that will really need some volunteers for including the LA 3D Helicopter event which is big three day deal the week-end of October 8th—10th. We also have the Try & Fly public open house on October 17th and the BSS will be holding their all electric Fun Fly on October 24th. Again, I'm sure that volunteers are needed for all of these events so check the schedule and get with the CDs of each one and see if you can help.

I wanted to provide an update to the incident I mentioned last month about the giant scale 3d airplane that was involved with a full scale biplane but there do not appear to be any new details—maybe next month though.

Ballots have been mailed by the AMA for our district representation. Make your voice heard and follow the instructions on the ballot to send it in so that it is counted.

Finally, it is with regret that I announce the passing of Fred Burgdorf. The Valley Flyers and the model racing community lost a friend to cancer

this month, Fred Burgdorf. Fred sponsored many Valley Flyer racing events, particularly FAI trials over the last decade.



Our condolences go to Fred's family.

See you at the field,

-Mike Lipsey

### **Upcoming Events**

- **October 8th—10th**—LA 3D Helicopters
- **October 17th** —Try & Fly Public open house
- **October 24th** —BSS All Electric Fun Fly

We need volunteers for each of these events! Remember, your participation brings with it credit toward the year end raffle!

## AUGUST FUN FLY HIGHLIGHTS

These are a few shots in the newsletter of Billy Edward's heli at the August Fun Fly, courtesy Ken Simmons. By the way, there were 35 entries in the event, mostly Valley Flyers! Some info on the heli, in Billy's own words;

It is a Mongoose mechanics from a local company hear in Moorpark called Airstar.

It is powered by a Zenoah 26 motor with a big bore kit punched out to 29cc. The body is a scale MD500e.

I made all the detail by using glue drops for rivets and flight metal (metal tape) for the hatches. I painted it in automotive grade 2 stage paints. Paint scheme is the Los Angeles County Sher-

iff The body produced also from Airstar.



for up to 30 minutes. I also have an on board generator which keeps my batteries charged and runs two cooling fans. It was my first real attempt at a scale heli project. I can honestly say that I am now hooked on helis.

Take care,  
Billy Edwards

Thanks to the event officials who made this event possible; Jason Pakfar, Bob Smith, Mario Sweet, Bob & Candy Adams, Ricc Bieber, Frank Miller, Dave Sweany and Gary Stevens. If I omitted anyone, let me know.

Regards, Bob Smith

I have a working spot light and an infrared camera (which was made out of a ping pong ball). Both of these scale accessories are sold by Airstar. The heli runs off gasoline and can stay in the air



TREASURY REPORT SEPTEMBER 2010

We have \$11,751.11 on deposit in the checking account and \$1,887.33 in the PAY PAL account.



## Secretary's Report Part I

### Scott Ramos, Secretary

Board Meeting Minutes, September 7, 2010

Members Present: Jason Pakfar, Chuck Thompson, Bob Smith, Scott Ramos, Gary Stevens, Mario Sweet, Tony di Leo, Ricc Bieber, Dave Sweany, Benny Elkouby

Members Absent: Adam Gelbart, Bert Magbanua, Michael Lipsey, Sam Gengo

Jason Pakfar

Corporation status. Jason hired a person to fill out the paperwork and discovery for retaining our 95 number. We are set for the State.

The Valley Flyers has made good money, but our end of year balance has been about 7-8k. If you go over 25k, you have to pay taxes. The new law requires filing of the IRS form even if under 25K. The law actually was supposed to start in 07. The filing fee is about 800 for both vf and foundation.

We have 2 events coming up. The Fun-Fly, Bob handled all the paperwork. Next weeks Giant event and the BBQ event have been submitted for permits with the R&P.

We were supposed to draft a calendar. Jason asked Sam to do a preliminary calendar. We spoke about having a 3D event about the time of the SAE events.

Jason used to pull permits for camping. This is a problem for parks. If we can be more careful on when we pull overnight permits, it will help out with P&R. Overnight parking is ok. We have 5 events after the BBQ. Jason is working on all permits.

We need to get rid of the old tables in the Heli area. Ben and Dave have done a great job on the tables. There is still the question of table tops. Jason spoke to the Club in Indio. They took 1/8" plywood covered with fiberglass. There is a product that Jason found that would be a cap that can be placed directly over the 4x8 tables. Jason will have more info in a couple of days. Mike Lipsey will not be able to run the

Micro Heli event. We will need to get a feel of the number of participants.

If we have volunteers for youth events, we should do a background check on all participants. Jason will ask for input from the Board on member of the month

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14, foundation

Dave

Dave spoke with Marty. The heli guys are wanting a charging station. There are some guys who want access to the shed. If there is someone doing a project, a board member should be present. Jason suggests re-keying the Heli trailer, and issuing a key to a heli member. Dave suggests installing the charging stations in phases. Dave estimates about 1,000 to get charging stations there going. Jason says you can work on it except the regulator. There are other projects that need to be completed. Gene needs to be contacted for a solar driven switch for the batteries. The shed also needs vents.

Chuck asked about other projects such as the old charging stations, and rearranging the sheds. Once the pf benches are done, the electric area needs new charging stations too.

We need a pressure washer.

Sam

Sam will put out an email for the Giant scale event. Sam will work on 2011 schedule with a 2day3d event. Sam will also send out a bbq email too. Jason will put a pre-register on the web tonight. Cliff will make a 10 minute video for the BBQ. Chuck suggests that we do a club photo. Sam asked about publishing the newsletter earlier. Jason would like to see it out a week earlier. We need to get the 2 events in Oct. manned.

Two suggestions came in this weekend. Someone suggested that a gate be added so that vehicles would not be needed to cross the pf runway. There is a question of having grass maintained for a runway. Ricc suggests a runway mat. Jason thinks that an asphalt runway.

Another possibility is astro turf. The Lipo battery box needs to be emptied.

Chuck

Chuck will make updates to all posters for the rest of the year.

Ricc

Ricc will be doing hot dogs for the Giant Scale event. Ricc will have photos and an article for the Fly Morning with the YMCA summer camp.

Tony

There are two trainers that need to be built. Chuck suggests a separate person to maintain the trainers. Jason thinks it might be difficult to find someone to do it. We only have 4 transmitters. Jason needs a list of batteries that are needed. We need a list of what will be needed to build the two trainers, and Jason will have someone build them. Jason would like to try and find 3 more used DX7s for about \$120 each.

Gary

Current membership is 275

Someone asked about mailed newsletters. It appears there are none being mailed.

Robert Burn

Robert will be the new Events Director. Jason will be introducing Robert to Parks & Recs.

Benny

The tables are almost done. There are board members using the shed and leaving mess. Ben has been cleaning the worktable in the shed all the time. Be sure to clean after yourself.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30

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## Secretary's Report Part I

### Scott Ramos, Secretary

Board Meeting Minutes, August 3, 2010

Jason Pakfar, Chuck Thompson, Bob Smith, Scott Ramos, Gary Stevens, Mario Sweet, Tony di Leo, Ricc Bieber, Dave Sweany, Benny Elkouby, Adam Gelbart

Bert Magbanua, Mike Caminiti, Michael Lipsey, Sam Gengo

Jason Pakfar

There is a new law that all non profit organizations must file a form with the IRS every year. Jason has all the forms and will ask for a tax person to fill out them out. Before. Organizations which made \$25,000 or less were exempt. This is no longer the case. We will need to provide a list of board members and copies of minutes to the Secretary of State and pay a fee.

The permit for the scale event has been pulled. There will be no overnight camping on Thursday, only Friday and Saturday. An electronic version of the permit has been sent to Bob Smith.

Jason will be out of town Aug 21st – 28th. Chuck will head the General Meeting. Mr. Tougas will be coming to make his presentation at the General Meeting on the 24<sup>th</sup>.

As far as outstanding balances, Jason has about \$1,200 in outstanding bills and Dave needs to expense about \$1,500. Fox is holding out on a payment for use of the field. Jason has started a small claims suit against the three companies involved. The parties will be served by the Marshals next Thursday. The contract that was signed allows for suits of \$5,000 for non payment, so the suit is for \$5,000. Jason hopes that it will not go as far as court, but is prepared to if needed. There will be an additional \$350 coming from King Tech for a turbine auctioned at the LAJets.

Jason will be asking current board members to return next year or to find a replacement for their position

Dave Sweany

Willy and Dave have been working on the shed. They are making cages for the roof vents and reinforcing the roof on the interi-

or. Benny helped out with the welding tasks. An alarm system has been installed. Dave will be ordering the metal for the park flyer benches. We are considering the type of table tops. We will look into fiberglass tabletops. Dave motioned that we could start up a fund raiser for an AED. The motioned passed. There are still some legal questions that need to be asked. We will contact the AMA and the Red Cross for more information.

Bob Smith

We have sanctions for this weekend

Treasury balances are as follows:

\$9,954.59 in checking

\$1,158.65 pending deposits

\$1,863.36 in PayPal

Total balance \$12,976.60

Scott Ramos

Scott asked about the status of the demonstration for the Point Huenueme air show on the 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> and 9th. Jason is still in discussions with the event coordinator. If the event is a go, Jason already has pilots lined up.

Sam Sandweiss General Member

Sam is proposing that next year in late spring or early summer having a two day 3D Funfly event. The concern that Jason has is that the proposed timeframe is pretty full. There is the date in late March that normally used for the SAE event. Sam let us know that there is an annual event in March. The event moves from location to location.

Jason, there is a lot more 3d north of Bakersfield.

This also brings up the issue of making next year's event schedule. The event will be scheduled if possible. We really need to fill the event director position.

Ricc Bieber

Ricc has injured his knee and is having trouble walking. The concession made about \$600 at LAJets and \$150 at the Funfly. Ricc will ask Danny for running the concession. Jason suggests that we find another person

on standby for the Sept. event. Mike Lipsey needs articles by the 12<sup>th</sup>.

Adam Gelbart

Everything is set up for this weekend. Adam has workers lined up for Saturday and Sunday. Trophies are ordered. There will be phantom judges picked on the event days. It is a bit too late to organize a raffle. The cost of admission is \$15 for 1 day, or \$25 for the weekend. Anyone with a current AMA membership and is a current member of any RC club, will receive a discount. Adam will contact Tony Naccarado and Sam Wright about Announcing. Adam is looking for some halftime shows. There will be a Peoples Choice competition too.

Gary Stevens

Current membership is 261.

Chuck Thompson

Chuck posted Bob Adam's scrapbook and more of the archived newsletters. Chuck showed Mike Lipsey how to post the newsletter online.

During the Jet Rally, on Sunday, there was no CD and only 1 or two jets. The PA was up, as if the event was still going but there was regular flying going on. It looked as if the CD did not breakdown and shut the event properly.

Tony di Leo

Jason picked up the last two electric trainers from Common Sense. Tony will be repairing a couple and put together the two new ones.

Benny Elkouby

Benny will start on the table construction as soon as the materials arrive. Ricc suggests we may need to change the design a little based on the tabletop we end up using.

The last club meeting at the field, someone left a red toolbox. If anyone knows about it, please contact Benny.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30



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<b>FEBRUARY</b>			
6	SAT	VF	Numb Thumb Night Fly
21	SUN	VF	FREE VF Members Fun Fly Jason Pakfar (818) 206-5777 jason@saturnis.net
<b>MARCH</b>			
5 – 7	FRI – SUN	VF	Aero Design West – Collegiate Weight Lifting Contest Sam Gengo (310) 702-1049 thevalleyflyer@yahoo.com
TBD	SUN	BSS	Electric Control-line Fun Fly Tony Naccarato (818) 842-3693 <b>Runway not affected.</b>
21	SUN	VFGSS	Giant Scale Fly In
<b>APRIL</b>			
9	FRI ½ Day	VF	George Finch Memorial Race Q40/Q500 Travis Flynn (818) 843-4107 flynnracer@aol.com
10 – 11	SAT & SUN	VF	George Finch Memorial Race Q40/Q500 Travis Flynn (818) 843-4107 flynnracer@aol.com
24	SAT	BSS	All Electric Fun-Fly Tony Naccarato (818) 842-3693
<b>MAY</b>			
1	SAT	VF	Pizza Fun Fly / Engine Clinic Dave Hendrex (323) 758-2935
TBD	SUN	VCB	C/L Stunt Clinic – 2 circles J. Silver <b>Runway not affected.</b>
22 – 23	SAT & SUN	VF	LA JETS Spring 2010 – 2 Days Jason Pakfar (818) 206-5777 jason@saturnis.net
<b>JUNE</b>			
4	FRIDAY	VF	Western States 3-Day Electric Fun Fly Benny Elkouby (818) 235-9098 bennyel@worldnet.att.net
5 – 6	SAT & SUN	VF	Western States 3-Day Electric Fun Fly Benny Elkouby (818) 235-9098 bennyel@worldnet.att.net
25	FRI ½ Day	VF	Howard Reed Memorial Race Q40/Q500 Western Championship Series Travis Flynn (818) 843-4107 flynnracer@aol.com
26 – 27	SAT & SUN	VF	Howard Reed Memorial Race Q40/Q500 Western Championship Series Travis Flynn (818) 843-4107 flynnracer@aol.com
<b>JULY</b>			
11	SUN	VF	FREE Valley Flyers 60th Year Celebration Members Fun Fly Jason Pakfar (818) 206-5777 jason@saturnis.net
23 – 25	FRI – SUN	VF	LA JETS – Summer – 3 Days Joe Castelao (310) 831-0074 f16lc@aol.com
27	TUE	VF	Club Meeting at Field 7:30 PM Jason Pakfar (818) 206-5777 jason@saturnis.net
<b>AUGUST</b>			
6 – 8	FRI – SUN	VFGSS	All Scale Event
TBD	SAT & SUN	VCB	Hi Johnson Memorial C/L Stunt Contest – 4 Circles J. Silver No Heli Flying
29	SUN	VF	VF Fun Fly & Swap Meet Jason Pakfar (818) 206-5777 jason@saturnis.net
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>			
12	SUN	VFGSS	Giant Scale Fly In Jay Replogle (818) 901-8453 hobbyhouse@roadrunner.com
26	SUN	VF	Valley Flyers Fun Fly / BBQ Bob Smith (661) 298-2614 flynbs@social.r.com
<b>OCTOBER</b>			
TBD	SAT & SUN	VCB	Hi Johnson Memorial C/L Stunt Contest – 4 Circles J. Silver No Heli Flying
8	FRIDAY	VF	LA 3-D Helicopters Bert Magbanua (805) 857-5751 piroflip@gmail.com
9 – 10	SAT & SUN	VF	LA 3-D Helicopters Bert Magbanua (805) 857-5751 piroflip@gmail.com
17	SUN	VF	Try&Fly: Public Open House Chuck Thompson (818) 359-3976 chuckthompson@mac.com
24	SUN	BSS	All Electric Fun Fly Tony Naccarato (818) 842-3693
<b>NOVEMBER</b>			
6	Sat Eve	VF	November Fun Fly & Night Fly Jason Pakfar (818) 206-5777 jason@saturnis.net
28	SUN	VF	LA JETS – Fall 2010 – 1 Day Jason Pakfar (818) 206-5777 jason@saturnis.net
<b>DECEMBER</b>			
12	SUN	VFGSS	Toys-for-Tots: Open to all sizes Darrell Martin (818) 368-1488 dmartin168@aol.com

**½ Day:** Although the schedule states ½ day for the first day of a multi day event, the field may be closed before noon if a significant number of event participants are present and ready to fly. The exception to this is Pylon Racing in which the field will always be open for sport flying during the practice day morning.

<b>AMA</b>	Academy of Model Aeronautics	Official national body for model aviation in the United States
<b>BSS</b>	Black Sheep Squadron	Peanut scale, miniature, electric, and indoor aircraft
<b>VFGSS</b>	VF Giant Scale Squadron	Giant Scale Squadron of the Valley Flyers
<b>VCB</b>	Valley Circle Burners	Control Line (C/L) flying club – Some events may affect runway maneuvers.
<b>VF</b>	Valley Flyers	San Fernando Valley R/C Flyers flying club

Apollo 11 Field Schedule 2010 – Rev-G

Schedule may CHANGE! Check monthly newsletter or [valleyflyers.com](http://valleyflyers.com) for updates!



# 60 Years Strong!

## Dear Model Aircraft & Radio Control Enthusiast,

Thank you for your interest in Model Aviation. The San Fernando Valley Radio Control Flyers (SFVRCF) is Academy of Model Aeronautics Charter Club #152, and in 2010 the club will celebrate its **60th Anniversary!** Joining the Valley Flyers is a great way to support the hobby while enjoying the rich, educational benefits and camaraderie that Club membership can bring.

The main emphasis of the Club is the promotion of model aviation, to maintain the Apollo XI field both physically and politically for model aviation, and to promote good fellowship and community relations. With your membership, you support the many Apollo XI field improvements and community relations projects the club is championing.

### Benefits of Membership Include:

- Free flight instruction. We use our Club trainer airplanes, radios, and fuel... You provide the enthusiasm!
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- Club Meetings including Show-And-Tell, Model-Related Programs & Presentations, and a Monthly Raffle.
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Please fill out and sign the membership application. Send the application with a check for the membership dues (make check payable to **The Valley Flyers**) to Valley Flyers Membership, PO Box 2055, North Hills, CA 91393. Alternately, you may bring your application to a Club meeting, or sign up using PayPal® at [www.valleyflyers.com](http://www.valleyflyers.com) online.

Prospective Members and Guests are always welcome and invited to Club meetings. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Gary Stevens  
Membership Director  
San Fernando Valley Radio Control Flyers  
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Along with your modest annual dues, you need to have a current membership in the **Academy of Model Aeronautics**. If you are not yet an AMA member, you can sign up by calling 765-287-1256 or visiting [www.modelaircraft.org](http://www.modelaircraft.org) online.

### SFVRCF Club Meetings

Club meetings are held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM. Refreshments will be available. Please bring a couple of extra dollars for refreshments and raffle tickets if you so desire.

2010 Club Meeting Schedule			
January	26th	July	27th
February	23rd	August	24th
March	23rd	September	28th
April	27th	October	26th
May	25th	November	23rd – Annual Workers' Raffle
June	22nd	December	TBD Holiday Party



The SFVRCF is Academy of Model Aeronautics (AMA) charter club # 152, and as a charter club all members of the SFVRCF must be members in good standing with the AMA. Failure to become an AMA member or to keep your AMA membership current will void your SFVRCF membership. Your AMA membership is verified each year when you renew your club membership. SFVRCF members are expected to abide by club bylaws, Academy of Model Aeronautics rules, Apollo XI field flying regulations, and normal standards of conduct and courtesy.

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# San Fernando Valley R/C Flyers

## 2010 Application for Membership



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Date of Application \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_ \*AMA Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Current AMA membership is required to be a SFVRCF member. Failure to supply a valid and current AMA number within 45 days of application will void SFVRCF membership.

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

"Go by" Name (Example Bob instead of Robert) \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS:  
(Print one letter per block) \_\_\_\_\_

The Club Respects Your Privacy! Email Addresses will only be used for informing members of upcoming meetings & events and will be kept confidential.

I am a member in good standing with the Academy of Model Aeronautics. INITIAL

I am a certified AMA CD (Contest Director). Yes/No

T-Shirt Size (Check one) 

S	M	L	XL	XXL	XXXL
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As a member of San Fernando Valley Radio Control Flyers I agree to abide by the San Fernando Valley Radio Control Flyers Club bylaws, AMA rules, the Apollo XI Field regulations, and the normal standards of conduct and courtesy.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Newsletter Delivery:** Please check one of the following. You may change at any time during the year.

- Yes, I wish to save the Club postage. I can get the newsletter online. I may pick up a hardcopy at Club meetings.
- Sorry, I have no internet access and wish to have a printed copy of the newsletter mailed to my address above.

Membership Type	
Check Applicable Description	
New Member **	\$25.00
Renewal	\$25.00
Additional Family Member	\$10.00
Junior	\$10.00
Other*	
* Please explain	

Interests	
Check all that apply	
Learning to fly	Electrics / Park Flyers
Learning to build	Pylon Racing
Sport Flying	Jets
Pattern	Giant Scale
Scale Models	Helicopters
R/C Combat	3D Aerobatics

I'll help with
Check all that apply
Flight Instruction
Building Instruction
Safety
Hospitality
Contests
Field Maintenance

\*\* January 1 - March 31 **\$25.00** | April 1 - June 30 **\$20.00** | July 1 - Sept. 30 **\$15.00** | October 1 - December 31 **\$10.00**

**Membership Feedback** Please give us your comments on how you feel about the club/field or other items you think can be improved:

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