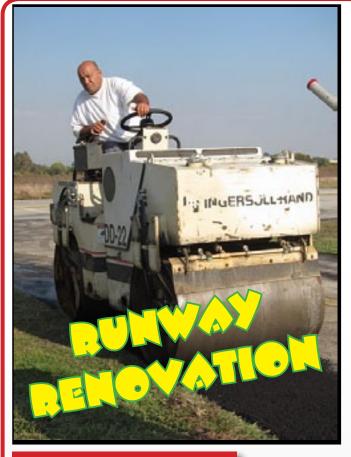


# AMA Charter Club #152 Celebrating 61 years

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# A Note from our President

I can't believe how quickly this year has flown by. The last couple of months are a blur.

I've been at the field over the last three mornings (on my way to work) and the runway repairs are progressing nicely. When I became President, I had been thinking that this work would need to be done in the next couple of years, but the floods caused this to become one of the biggest issues for us to deal with this year. It took us 8 months to raise \$15,000 to get the job done and it has really been a major focal point for the year. This work could not have taken place without the hard work and donations from so many of you. Thanks again to everyone contributed who when we needed it the most!

The real tipping point for us getting the work done this year was the incredible donation from **Dave Hendrex.** Dave is a lifetime mod-

eler and long-time club member who loves the Valley Flyers. The sale of some of the items from Dave's collection gave us the capital to complete this project and more. Thank you Dave! I would like to the people who have worked so hard to get this done, with special thanks to **Bob Tarlau**, who was really the catalyst in moving forward with the repairs. Thanks also to **Benny Elkouby, Dave Sweany, Randy Mytar, Adam Gelbart, Willie Gardener, Jason Pak-**

# Ted Mayer Newsletter Editor

Welcome to the Valley Flyers	November
newsletter. Here are some highlig	hts:
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We would like your feedback. If you have ideas for improving the newsletter, or would like to submit articles/ideas, contact me at:

emayer@pacbell.net.

# Upcoming Events

Tue Nov 22nd General Meeting at Encino Community Center

> Event Nov 27th La Jets Event

Dec 11th Toys for Tots Event

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

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far, Danny Ziliak and the rest of the Board of Directors. Special thanks also to *Mike Billick*, who stepped up after the flood to help lead the cleanup efforts, obtain quotes from many companies and found the contractor who eventually did the repairs. Looking back over the last decade, the Valley Flyers Foundation has spent an average of over \$10,000 a year, just to maintain the paved R/C areas at Apollo XI Field. This is not counting any other maintenance and improvements. With that in mind, we should start planning now for a complete resurface in a few years. We will probably need it.

Even though the end of theyear is guickly approaching, we still have lots of activities coming up. This Saturday, we have our first open house at our new Glendale field. We would like to invite everyone to come out and see the new site. No flying will be taking place, since there's lots of work to be done, before the field can be opened. This is a chance, for those who are interested in using this facility, to have a look at the current situation and have some input on what improvements we should tackle first.

Our next General Meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 22nd will include voting for open Board positions and will feature our annual Workers Giveaway. November 27th is our fall LA Jets event. Saturday, December 10th is our annual holiday party and we hope everyone will join us for a night of food and fun. We've also got our annual Toys for Tots event coming up on Sunday, December 11th, and we hope that everyone will show up and contribute an unwrapped toy, so that needy children can have a happier holiday season.

Thanks to everyone for your membership in the Valley Flyers. Your membership fees help to support everything we do. Yes, we fly at a public park, but as you can see, additional contributions are needed to maintain our field and keep our club strong. None of this would be possible without our growing membership, over 375 members this year!

If you're reading this and enjoying our timely emails, photos, videos and other media and you are not a club member, I hope that you will consider joining the club and supporting our efforts in 2012.

I would like to thank our strong board of directors for all their hard work. There's no way we could have accomplished what we have in the last year without their hard work.

Happy holidays and I hope the 2012 is a wonderful and prosperous year for all of you.

Best regards,

Chuck



DAY 1

APOLLO XI FIELD WILL BE CLOSED For **RUNWAY REPAIRS** Monday Nov. 14 - Friday Nov. 18 Areas Include Main Runway Taxiways Pit Area Park Flyer Area

Yoar Cooperation and Understanding is Appreciated. Adverse weather could postpone the work. See wearabythym.com doing down for organing spleter reporting west schedule auf finit reporting

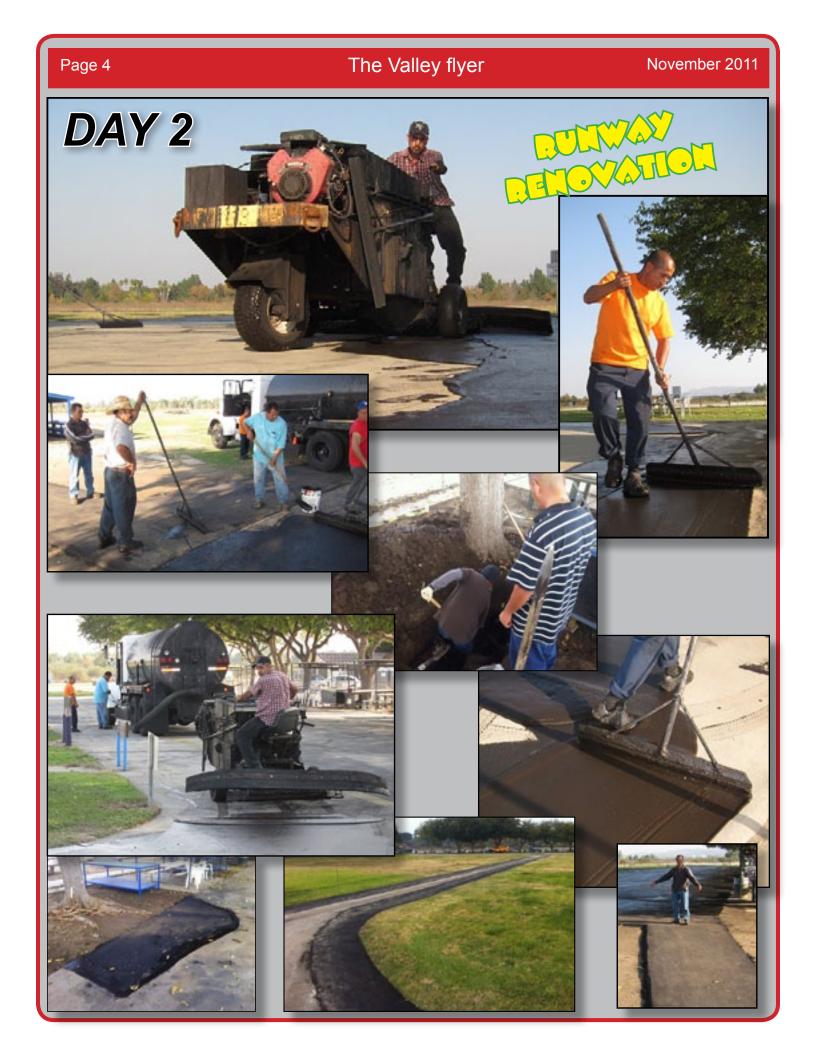
Our runway/taxiway/pit area repairs and resurfacing is underway. We'll have day by day photo coverage. These shots taken by Chuck Thompson, Bob Tarlau and Benny Elkouby show you the work that was accomplished on Day 1.

## Mon Nov 14.

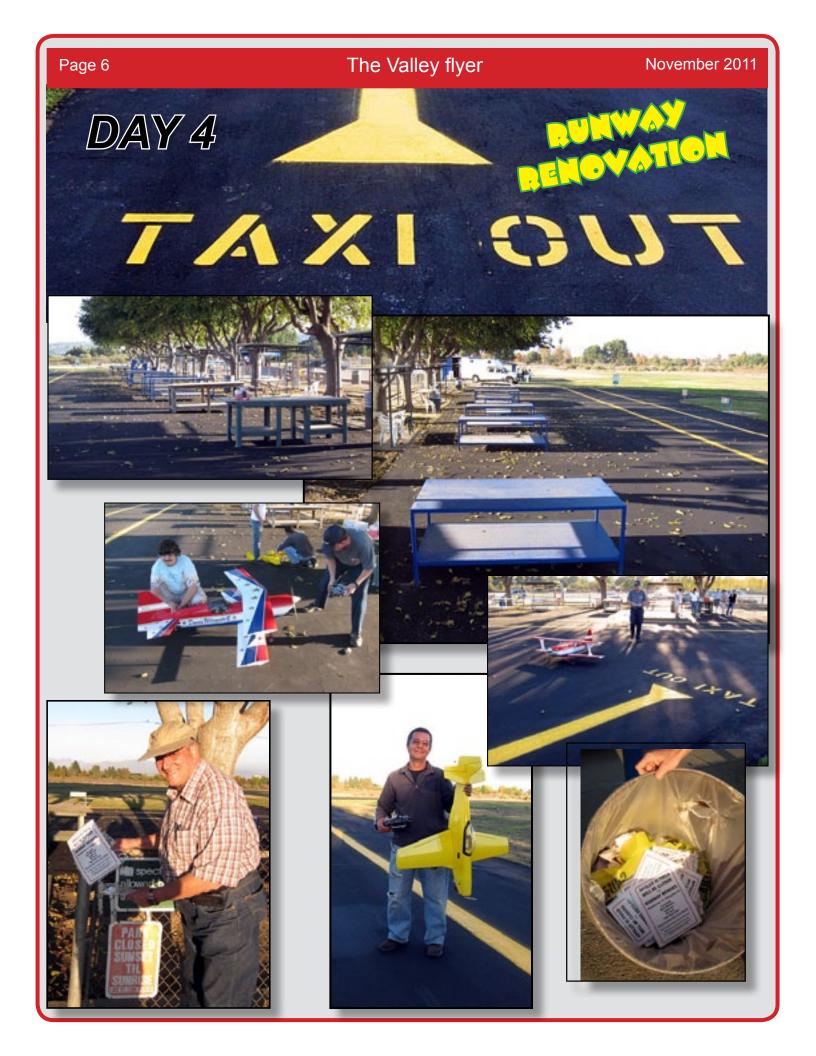
In the first group of photos by Chuck, you can see the extent of the flood damage and widening cracks.

In the later photos, from Bob and Benny, you will see the crack repair and leveling work Asphalt Care, Inc. did today on the taxiways and pit areas.









# NOVEMBER MONTHLY DRAWING

So you might be wondering what's behind this month's choice? It's not a coincidence that back in the late 70's and early eighties, I obtained my private pilot's license in this little bird, so it has sentimental value to me.

Once licensed. I accumulated some hours in the Cessna 152 and 172 Skyhawk. Cessna 152s produced between 1977 and 1982 were equipped with Lycoming O-235-L2C engines producing 110 hp. This was 10 horse power more than a 150 Continental, which usually had many overhauls under its belt. My first takeoff in a 152 was such a thrill! That Lycoming engine made the 152 just pop of the ground with so much more buoyancy than the 150. Those were some good times! All it takes is one ticket to take this baby home!

Best Regards,

# **Bob Smith**

Treasurer and Raffle Procurer



# Horizon Cessna 150 Aerobat 250 ARF

This month will feature Horizon's new Cessna 150 electric ARF. This is not a foam aircraft but is 'constructed' of wood.

Wingspan:
Overall Length:
Wing Area:
Flying Weight:
Motor Size:
Radio:
Servos:
Trim Scheme Colors:
Prop Size:
Spinner Size:
Speed Control :
<b>Recommended Battery</b>

## Features

37.9 in (962mm) 27.2 in (690mm) 196 sq in (12.65 sq dm) 12.0-13.7 oz (340-388 g) 250- to 280 Brushless Outrunner 4 channels minimum 4 super sub-micro servos required White, Orange, and True Red 7 x 3.5 1.00 in 10-Amp 2S 430mAh - 3S 450mAh Li-Po

Authentic scale outline, lightweight UltraCote® ParkLite<sup>™</sup> trimscheme. Balsa construction with fiberglass cowl and wheel pants. Laser-cut engineered to be as light as possible. Magnetically secured plug-in wings and cowl. Clear front, rear, side and skylight windows, pre-hinged ailerons and rudder controls. Easily assembles in a single evening. Easy access hatch with spring-loaded latch. Quick release struts. E-flite aluminum spinner available separately (EFLSP100)

Please support the club and participate in the giveaway.



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# 2011 EVENT OFFICIALS NOTES and DONATIONS

The Valley Flyer Foundation thanks the Pearlstein family for their \$75.00 donation.

Elsewhere in the newsletter and on the Valley Flyer web site you will find details and a set of instructions on this year's drawing. Nothing really new there for old members. However, this year's drawing is comprised of and actually made possible by a large donation of ARF's by **Dave Hendrex**. On behalf of the Valley Flyer's, thank you Dave for helping this year's give away possible.

Jason Pakfar also donated a nice Great Planes ZLIN ARF. It's a nice flying aircraft. Thanks Jason.

Good luck to all those that made officiated at this year's events!

# 2011 YEAR END EVENT OF-FICIAL'S DRAWING

The November 22nd meeting will feature the year end drawing for members that supported the club this year in events as event officials and field maintenance activities. The list is on the far right column . There is also a link to a spreadsheet on our website for this year legitimate officials. If you were an event official this year and are not on the list, it means you are not a paid member in the club in 2011. You can reference the October newsletter for the 2011 membership list. For those members that had friends or relatives help you during an event, you are getting extra credit for their support. I will have a report at the meeting of all event officials during 2011, whether you are a member or not.

If you know you will be 'unable' to attend the November 22nd meeting, email me at flynbs@ socal.rr.com or call me @ 661-298-2614 and advise me of who will select prizes for you (be your proxy).

If you do not advise me of whom your proxy is, you cannot have another member select for you without advising me that they are your proxy!

Any member stating they are picking for someone that is not present and the non-present person has not advised me that they have a proxy, they will be denied the privilege of selecting a gift for that person! I will announce who the proxies are at the beginning of the selection process at the meeting. The only exceptions to this are 'family' members. i.e. wives, husbands, daughters and sons.

I'm available for proxy duty if you so wish. Good luck!

Best Regards, Bob Smith

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	Elkouby	Benny
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# A note from our Hospitality Director

# Jingle Bells, Batman smells, Robin layed and egg.....

In case you haven't heard, it's that time of year again. Turkey Day is coming up, Xmas decorations are already going up (Yikes!), it's getting colder, and the days are shorter. Winter in California! Heck, we even have rain!

That means that it's time for the Annual Holiday Party. If you have email, you already know when and where and the rest. If you don't, and are just getting' the cows back in the shed, here's a reminder:

December 10, 2011, 6PM, Presidente Restaurant, 18441 Devonshire Street, Northridge. No-Host bar, Mexican Buffet, gift exchange, some awards and a bunch of camaraderie. Bring the spouse, bring the kids! SEND YOUR CHECK TO: Ricc Bieber, P. O. Box 280212, Northridge, CA 91328. Make the check out to Ricc Bieber. Do it now!

On a more somber note, I just learned, as of this writing, that an old club member passed away a couple of weeks ago. Some of you may remember Paige Dunlap flying at the field or showing up for meetings a few years back. She passed away from health issues at the age of 66. Too young.

On to another issue that has come up from time to time. Even though I am not the safety officer, I see stuff go on at the field that shouldn't happen, especially when the safety officer is not there. I want to be very clear on this issue. Just like driving on the road, safety on the field is everybody's responsibility. There is no room for any member to abrogate interest when a safety issue comes up. As a Valley Flyer member and AMA member, safety is your responsibility as well as your neighbor's. If you read the AMA monthly mag, you already know what we are up against. and a slip can cost us dearly. It' OK to step up. If you have ever worked in a group environment, you have seen the sign on the wall.

# "SAFETY IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY" .Words to live by.

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See you at the meeting!

Flaps Up! Ricc Bieber, Hospitality

# Board Meeting Minutes-November 1st 2011

#### Members Present

Chuck Thompson Randy Mytar Bob Smith Bob Tarlau Dave Sweany Stephen Fine Mario Sweet Ricc Bieber Robert Burn Tony Aguila Scott Ramos Members Absent Tony di Leo Ben Elkouby Adam Gelbart Ted Mayer

#### Chuck Thompson

Recap of the events from last month we has 65 kids at the Try and Fly. We did over 40 flights we went through 120 gliders. We netted \$530 – \$176. Next year we will have the Y Guides back. We had 30 workers for the event.

## Dave Tarlau

We had 22 pilots on Saturday for LA3D. Sunday the event was turned into an open fun fly. The pilots who did attend said they enjoyed the event and planned to be back.

Heli Freak had 154 pilots but

Valley Flyers Field Support Information and Runway Repair Fund Contact: Chuck Thompson : chuckthompson@mac.com Checks should be made out to: Valley Flyers Foundation

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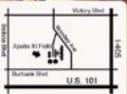
# IDDAY DEC. MITS

Pilots please bring: a \$10 or greater value unwrapped toy or donation to fly

> Pilot Meeting 8:45am Flying Starts at 9:00

All aircraft welcom AMA Membership Required

**Ki Field** 



t Director: Derrell Martin mrtin 168@aol.com

No racing type airplanesWaiver required for turbines

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they had camping. Other items that affected attendance were having two other helicopter events before ours, and the change of date. If we do it again, we need to be organized earlier. We need a Helicopter Director. We need to review the date of the event. David did a great job, but his college studies prevent him from accepting the Helicopter Director position. Jason looks back at the amount of money that we have put into the field and is troubled to see that we are having difficulty finding a Helicopter Director and that there were no local helicopter pilots who showed up to work or attend the event. Stephen expressed that since helicopter flying is a part of RC, we should still support it for the club.

Chuck thinks that if we do another event that we need to move it off of October. Jason thinks that the event still has the potential to bring in lots of pilots. A motion was made to cancel LA3D event for the usual October dates. The motion was seconded and passed. We will reconsider the event if we can get a Helicopter Director. Jason thinks that we should publish that if we don't have participation, the event will be cancelled. Tena Aguila may have a person who would be interested in becoming the Helicopter Director. At this time, we will leave the date open. Jason thinks that we should still put the event on the calendar, but list it as tentative.

Fun Fly/Swap Meet is this Saturday. Benny will CD the night fly. LAJets is on Nov. 27. Bob Willcox will CD LAJets and Darrel Martin will CD Toys for Tots on Dec.11. All is set for the Holiday Party. Bob will be sending out an eblast. Chuck booked the space for the AMA Convention on Jan. 6 - 8.

The new bench tops are done. Thanks to everyone who volunteered.

Runway repair updates. Chuck contacted the contractor to find out if we could do the taxiways and pit area. The contractor placed a bit for \$15000 to fill cracks and slurry the runway, a top coat of the taxiways and pit area, re-striping the runway, taxiways, and pits. The Foundation has accepted the bid. The date has been set for Nov. 14. At this time, there is still a question of the specific days that flying will be affected. At the last meeting with Parks it was suggested that we do not post a notice at the field at this time.

With the extended cost of the pits and taxiways, we cannot tackle the electric runway at this time.

Jason Pakfar

**Glendale Field** 

We have the keys, now what? At the earliest possible time, we need to have an open house. Tentative date will be Nov. 12, from 9am to 12:pm

We need clear some brush and trash. We need to get a dumpster and a tractor. We need to get a container and pave a pit area. We need to look at the AMA guidelines so that we can come up with a layout that meets the guidelines. The permit allows for the use of cars. Jason suggests adding a car track if it can fit under the AMA guidelines. Jason thinks that it could bring lots of new members. Scott will look into the AMA field guidelines. We need to look into the AMA field improvement program.

Jason suggest we contact Barry from King Tech Turbines about becoming the Turbine Director.

We still need a new membership card design.

Bob Smith motioned \$1200 for prizes that go to all workers. The motion was seconded and passed. We have a list of close to 90 workers.

# TREASURY REPORT NOVEMBER 2011

On deposit in checking \$ 7,815.53. PAYPAL balance \$2,315.72. Total both accounts \$10,131.25.

Next General meeting will be the workers raffle and elections. We need to start thinking about the Reed Packard award.

#### Mario Sweet

A cherry picker was driven over the runway which caused a pilot loose his plane.

We need to contact the Fire Dept./ about a controlled burn. Mario will talk to the FD about scheduling a controlled burn. The Parks gave us permission to cut the large bushes down.

Tony di Leo did a test video of the General meeting but it turned out a bit dry. It was decided that we would not do further video recording of the General Meeting.

Scott will do a flier for the Glendale open house.

Meeting adjourned.

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# General Meeting Minutes Oct. 25, 2011

#### New members

Welcome Bob Rice is our newest member. Bob is returning to RC from a break from the hobby since the 70s.

We have Adam Kalamaro attending the General Meeting for the first time. Welcome Adam. Events

#### Adam Gelbart

We had a giant scale event that was a 2 day event in August that was lots of fun. We made about \$700.00. There were a few 3D pilots that we will need to better coordinate use of the runway with next year.



#### Dave Tarlau

LA3D is back! It will be this weekend.

Dave has been talking to pilots and there will be Arizona and California flyers and vendors. Dave will need help with setup also repainted the tables in front of the shed

The Fall Fun fly and Swap Meet on the 5th of November followed by LAJets on November 27th. The last event of the year is the Toys for Tots on December 11.

This Saturday, the Encino Community Center will be having an event for kids and are asking for help.



Dave Hendrics is now in Newport beach. The biggest issue he is dealing with is his eyesite. Besides that, he is doing well The newsletter looks awesome. Thank you Ted! It has 23 pages of content and the official publication of the membership roster The AMA Convention booth has been booked. We will have the usual space and location. We will be hosting the SAE event where college students



#### Chuck Thompson

The Try and Fly event went really well. The event is for youth where they learn about how a plane flys, build rubber powered planes, fly on a simulator and then fly a club trainer on a buddy box.

New link on homepage to the Picasa site where all the Valley Flyers photos are displayed.

and take down of the field on both Saturday and Sunday.

#### Chuck Thompson

Dave Sweany and volunteers have been working on the tables. The tables have been moved and anchored to the ground, with new table tops. We will be adding 8 new tables in the future. Please keep them clean and no epoxy mixing. We

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compete in a weight lifting contest with participation from colleges from around the world. The event will be on March 16th, 17th and 18th. Many of the teams come with no pilots. If you are interested in being a pilot for a team, contact Chuck Thompson.



Of those that have attended, volunteered, or piloted in the past, all agree that the SAE event is the most fun event held at the field.

#### **Ricc Bieber**

The annual Holiday party will be on December 10th at El Presidente in Northridge on Devonshire Ave. at Reseda Ave. Please send a check made out to Ricc Bieber for \$25 per person. The event is from 6:00 to 9:30 PM. There will be a no host bar for the first hour, then a



dinner buffet. We will have activities and a video highlight of the year's events.

#### Randy Mytar

At the try and fly, after watching many flying, Randy was wondering if perhaps we could have a trainer with just rudder control rather than aileron control for turns. Randy thinks it may make for a better introduction to flying. The Turbine Director position is open.

Gary Stevens will be stepping down as Membership Director. The position is open.

The idea behind the nominations is that each year, half the members terms expires.

Benny Elcouby was nominated and seconded for Electric Di-



This evening we have a number of items from Dave Hs donation. So far his donation has brought in \$6000 which will be used for the runway repairs.

#### Break

Board member positions are coming up for nominations. The elections will be at the next meeting. This meeting we are taking nominations

Safety officer Nominees are Mario Sweet and Mike Stoner Tony di Leo was nominated and second for Training Coordinator Dave Sweany was nominated and seconded for Field Manager

The Helicopter Director position is open.

rector.

Important news about the new Glendale field.

There will be no turbines at the Glendale field. Today Jason completed all the work for the Glendale field and has received the key. Annual fees are, Fire Permit is \$148, Use Permit \$250, and there is a \$75 key deposit. The total field fees are



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\$398. We will talk to the paving contractor we hired for the runway repairs about a bid for the pit area.

# <u>Show and Tell</u>

Adam Gelbart brought in a model of the Fairey Swordfish. The plane was instrumental in the sinking of the Bismark and keeping the Italian navy at bay. It is 84" and will hopefully be powered by an Evolution radial engine, formerly Seidel. It is available from Troy Built models.

**Tony Nacarado** brought in two foam planes. One is a Russian stealth fighter. They are simple and cheap to build. Tony has already been in dynamic slope soaring. Usually you always fly on the upwind side of the slope. You can fly on the down slope where you dive and fly only 3 to 10 feet above the ground. You gain a lot of speed and at the bottom when you pull up, you get hit powerfully by the down-

the glider. Downslope gliders are the fastest RC planes and can reach speeds above 400 mph.

There is a new stabilization system for micros that will make flying small micros much more stable. Tony saw it in use on a micro GeeBee where the pilot was flying clean knife edges and smooth controlled landings indoors.

# **REMINDER:** Glendale Field Open House This Saturday

The open house at the site of our new Glendale field is this coming Sat Nov 19 - 9AM to noon. Jason lead the long effort to bring the future home of the "Glendale Flyers" to the point where it can now be developed into a fine AMA flying facility. Have a look for yourself at what needs to be done to achieve the Glendale field's potential at this "open house" for all Valley Flyers members. Again that's this coming Saturday - Nov 19... starting at 9AM.

DIRECTIONS: The field is entered by turning left (north) onto Teodora Place from Fern Lane--directly east of the 2 Glendale Freeway. Here is a link to Google Map instructions to get there from Apollo XI Field. That's using the 101+134. Once you are on North Verdugo Road and then turn on Fern Lane, be sure and watch for the signs to the "Glendale" Sports Complex". As soon as Fern Lane takes you under the 2 Freeway, there's an immediate left. That's Teodora Place (gated), which takes you to our new field. (You can change the Google Map settings if you will be coming from the 210).

draft that actually accelerates









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# AMA Membership

**required.** (proof of membership is required)

\$10 for non members (free to club members)

Flying starts 9am. Night Flying (flying to stop at 10PM)

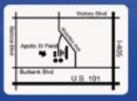




To help with the event and for more information visit: www.valleyflyers.com or contact Jason Pakfar CD Jason@saturnis.net.



**Apollo Xi Field** 



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#### 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 2012 the club will enjoy its 62nd year as a Club! 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!
- Free Annual BBQ & Club-subsidized End-of-Year Holiday Party & Award Presentation & FREE Fun Fly Events.
- Club Meetings including Show-And-Tell, Model-Related Programs & Presentations, and a Monthly Raffle.
- Up to a 10% Discount for purchases at supporting hobby shops ★
- <u>The Valley Flyer</u> The club's official newsletter.

# 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<sup>®</sup> at **www.valleyflyers.com** online. Prospective Members and Guests are always welcome and invited to Club meetings. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Membership Director

San Fernando Valley Radio Control Flyers

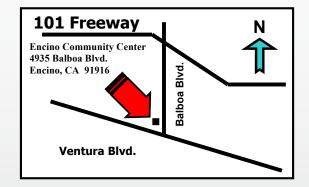
glstevens@verizon.net

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** 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.

2012 Club Meeting Schedule							
January	January 24th July 24th						
February	28th	August	28th				
March	27th	September	25th				
April	24th	October	23rd				
May	22nd	November	27th – Annual Workers Raffle				
June	26th	December	8 <sup>th</sup> 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 courte

\* Some restrictions may apply <u>call store for details</u>.

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# San Fernando Valley R/C Flyers 2012 Application for Membership

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!

Date of Application / /	
Full Name	*AMA Membership Number:
Address	* 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.
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 member I am a member in good standing with the Academy of Model Aero	
I am a certified AMA CD (Contest Director).	Yes/No
T-Shirt Size (Check one) S M L XL	XXL XXXL
As a member of San Fernando Valley Radio Control Flyers I agree to a bylaws, AMA rules, the Apollo XI Field regulations, and the normal sta	

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.

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