



The Valley Flyer



November/December 2012

AMA Charter Club #152

Celebrating 62 years

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Upcoming Events

Tuesday November 27th
VF General Meeting

Sunday December 9th
Toys for Tots Fun Fly

Sunday December 9th
VF Holiday Party

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

We would like your feedback. If you have ideas for improving the newsletter, or would like to submit articles/ideas, contact: emayer@pacbell.net. Ted Mayer, Newsletter editor

2012 YEAR END EVENT OFFICIALS DRAWING



November 27th will feature the year end drawing for members that supported the club this year in events and field main-

tenance activities. There was an eblast on October 31st listing the officials for 2012. There will be another copy of the 'officials list for 2012' at the November meeting. 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 (or I made a mistake). If you know you will be 'unable' to attend the November 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, will be denied the privilege of selecting/taking a gift for that person! I will announce who the proxies are at the beginning of the prize selection. The only exceptions to this are 'family' members. i.e. wives, husbands, daughters and sons.

I will be the default proxy for members that have NOT notified me of their scheduled absence!

Good luck!

Sincerely, Bob Smith

NOVEMBER GIVEAWAY

AT THE TUESDAY NOV 27TH CLUB MEETING



Chipmunk by Great Planes

This month we'll feature the electric Chipmunk by Great Planes!

Aircraft requires:

Servos: Four micro (2-aileron, 1-rudder, and 1-elevator-

Brushless Motor: i.e. Rimfire 400 28-30-950kV

ESC: 25A brushless.

SPECS: Wingspan: 38" - Wing Area: 242 sq in -
Length: 28" - Airfoil: Flat bottom.

Please bring some extra cash for the give away!

Good Luck,
Bob Smith

Please help support your club by purchasing some give away tickets!

Club Members Hungry- Go to Chinese Restaurant to Meet!



Rumor has it that almost 60 members of the San Fernando Valley Flyers R/C Club are going to meet at the Mandarin King Restaurant on Devonshire Street in Northridge on December 9th for the annual holiday party. Ricc Bieber, current Hospitality Director, has confirmed this date and time of 6:00 PM for the festivities to commence. Included in the \$20.00 per person fee will be appetizer, soup, a number of entrees, and maybe even desert! Sounds like a bunch of people are going to have a great time!

Make sure to send in you money to Ricc, or bring cash or check to the November meeting to get in on the fun. See you there!

(It's really strange putting together something in the third person, by the way!)

Please come out to the November meeting also for the Officials Raffle, and club

nominations and elections. What a night! Swag, election of officers, and who knows what other mayhem could ensue? Come on down!

It's been an great year and the club is in good shape. Let's make it continue.

See you there!

Flaps up!

Ricc Bieber

Membership Report November 2012

As of 11/3/2012, we stand at 362 members for the year. I have already processed numerous renewals for 2013 and they continue to come in nearly every day. I have not yet received the artwork for the membership card, but

when that is installed, I will start printing cards so we are already ahead of last year.

In case many of you have not heard, although I have been nominated for re-election as the Membership Director, I do not plan on serving and do not wish to be elected so please vote for whoever runs against me. I thank you for the patience that you have showed me over the last 7+ years as Membership Director. When I started as Membership Director we had a paid membership of between 70 – 80 members. Today we stand at 362 members for this year and have a database of 965 people.

Gary Stevens
Membership Director



This is our new membership card for 2013. It features Randy Mytar's Cub watercolor.

Valley Flyers Field Support Information and Runway Repair Fund

Contact: Chuck Thompson : chuckthompson@mac.com

Checks should be made out to:
Valley Flyers Foundation



Has it been two years already? Time really does fly! As we approach the end of 2012, I'm completing my term as President. I'll still be around to help the new Board of Directors that will be formed with the upcoming elections at the November meeting. I would like to thank you all for giving me this opportunity.

I would also like to sincerely thank our 2012 Board of Directors. You have no idea just

how hard your Board works for the club. We've been very fortunate to have so much talent, support and help.

I'll be looking forward to more time for building, flying and relaxing! We've got some major model building projects going on at my house, including my 1/3 scale Sopwith Pup and Taylor's Top Flite P-39 kit. I've included a few of photos of our work in progress.

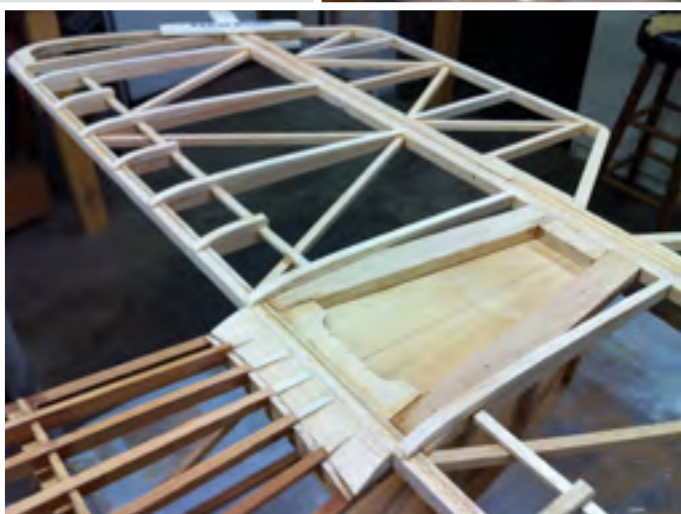
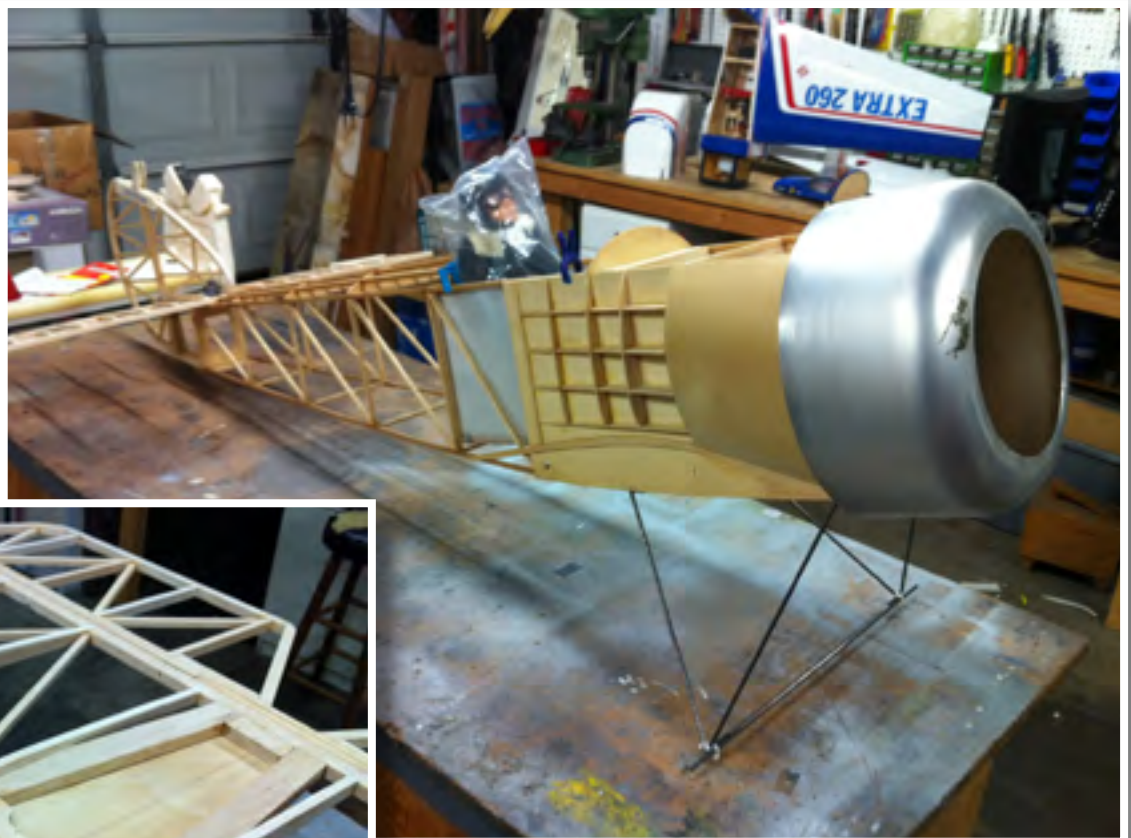
The club has one more busy Sunday coming up on December 9th. It's a marathon modeling day starting off with our annual Toys for Tots

- Fun Fly event. Bring a gift-wrapped toy or \$10 entry fee. Later that evening, don't miss our annual Holiday Party. This year's new venue (Mandarin King) reportedly has excellent food and it's economical as well. I hope that you'll join us for the fun!

We'll have a booth again this year at the AMA Expo, January 11-13th. Come out and support the AMA and the Valley Flyers by renewing your memberships for 2013.

Happy Holidays,

Chuck







New Club Video and Photos

There's a new video and lots of fresh photos to enjoy--covering the most recent Valley Flyer events. The newest video features the **QM40 National Miniature Pylon Racing Association Race** held at Apollo 11 Field on Nov 3-4. It runs 13 minutes -- and explains not only what this top class of pylon racing is all about... but also provides advice from some of the nation's top pilots about how to get into their sport. [Here's the link -- so enjoy!!](#)

Media Director Tony Aguila and his family have taken and uploaded some fine stills of the race weekend and you can [link to them here](#)... and he also has very good coverage of the [Nov 11 LA Jets event here](#).

Older videos and still are also online for your enjoyment:

* ***The October 14 Try-and-Fly Event*** -- which drew about 200 children and parents. [This is the link to the video](#) -- and you will find stills by [Mark Miller here](#) and shots from [Tony Aguila here](#).

* There's also the [video of the *All-Scale Fun Fly*](#) (August) here... [a video on the basics of pylon racing](#) (with emphasis on the new EF-1 class here... and the May [LA Jets Rally here](#).

* And -- as always -- a reminder that you can view the past decade in photos of Valley Flyers events [by using this link](#)... and then selecting individual albums.

A year end thanks for all the cooperation that you've given to Tony, Tena, Mark and myself as we capture the club's events. Enjoy the Valley Flyers on show! My best wishes for a very happy holiday season--and let's have another banner Valley Flyers year in 2013!

By BOB TARLAU
PR Director

*The following is a document recently issued by the AMA regarding
First Person View Aircraft*

Academy of Model Aeronautics AMA Document # 550

“AMA Advanced Flight Systems Committee”

amaflightsystems@gmail.com

**Radio Controlled Model Aircraft Operation
Utilizing “First Person View” Systems**

1. DEFINITIONS:

- a) **FIRST PERSON VIEW (FPV)** refers to the operation of a radio controlled (R/C) model aircraft using an onboard camera’s cockpit view to orient and control the aircraft.
- b) **FPV AIRCRAFT** is an RC model aircraft equipped with a video transmitter to send real-time video images from an onboard camera to a ground based receiver for display on a pilot’s video monitor/goggles. *(FPV model aircraft types include: Fixed Wing, Rotary Wing, and Multi-Rotor Platform)*
- c) **VISUAL LINE OF SIGHT (VLOS)** is the distance at which the pilot is able to maintain visual contact with the aircraft and determine its orientation without enhancements other than corrective lenses
- d) **FPV SPOTTER** is an experienced AMA RC pilot who has been briefed by the FPV pilot on the tasks, responsibilities and procedures involved in being a spotter; is capable and mature enough to perform the duties and is able to assume conventional VLOS control of the aircraft.
- e) **FPV NOVICE PILOT** is an AMA member learning to fly FPV utilizing a buddy-box system with an experienced AMA RC pilot operating the master transmitter and serving as the FPV spotter.
- f) **AMA FPV PILOT** is an AMA member who is capable of maintaining control of stability and orientation of FPV model aircraft when flown FPV without losing control or having a collision.

2. GENERAL:

- a) FPV flying of radio control model aircraft by AMA members is allowed only for noncommercial purposes as a hobby/recreational and/or competition activity.
- b) All FPV flights must be conducted in accordance with AMA’s current National Model Aircraft Safety Code and any additional rules specific to the flying site/location.

3. OPERATIONS – REQUIREMENTS - LIMITATIONS:

- a) AMA FPV novice pilots must use a buddy-box system with an FPV spotter while learning to fly FPV.
- b) All FPV flights require an AMA FPV pilot to have an AMA FPV spotter next to him/her maintaining VLOS with the FPV aircraft throughout its flight. c) The FPV pilot must brief the FPV spotter on the FPV spotter’s duties, communications and hand-over control procedures before FPV flight.
- d) The AMA FPV spotter must communicate with the FPV pilot to ensure the FPV aircraft remains within VLOS, warning the FPV pilot of approaching aircraft, and when avoidance techniques are necessary.
- e) The FPV spotter may at any time during an FPV flight acquire the transmitter from the FPV pilot and assume VLOS control of the aircraft.

- f)** If the FPV pilot experiences a problem due to a loss of video link, orientation, or is unable to safely fly, he/she must abandon FPV mode and fly VLOS or pass the RC transmitter to the FPV spotter to assume VLOS control of the aircraft.
- g)** Before initial FPV flight and after any flight system changes or repairs, FPV model aircraft must be test flown by conventional VLOS to determine that flight systems are working properly.
- h)** FPV model aircraft must use frequencies approved by the FCC for both the RC system and the wireless video system. Pilots must meet applicable FCC licensing requirements if they choose to operate the RC flight control system or the wireless video system on Amateur Band frequencies

4. RANGE - ALTITUDE - WEIGHT - SPEED:

- a)** One of the requirements in Federal Law (Public Law 112-95 Sec 336 (c) (2) February 14, 2012) for model aircraft to be excluded from FAA regulations is that model aircraft be flown within VLOS of the operator.
- b)** Model aircraft flown using FPV must remain at or below 400 feet AGL when within 3 miles of an airport as specified in the AMA Safety Code.
- c)** Model aircraft flown FPV are limited to a weight (including fuel, batteries, and onboard FPV equipment) of 15lbs. and a speed of 70mph.

5. RECOMMENDATIONS & INFORMATION:

- a)** AMA FPV novice pilots should consider using a cockpit view flight simulator to become accustomed to FPV flight.
- b)** AMA FPV pilots should consider using a programmable autopilot (AMA Document #560) with a failsafe "return to launch point" feature that will maintain control of the aircraft in the event of signal loss.
- c)** An onboard camera equipped with a pan and tilt mount that is positioned by "head tracking" goggles, will improve the FPV pilot's situational awareness of the airspace surrounding the FPV aircraft during flight, but does not replace the requirement for an AMA FPV spotter.
- d)** When purchasing FPV operational systems, always try to select quality equipment, verify its compatibility, install components for interference rejection, and determine that signal range is adequate for maximum VLOS range.

6. PRIVACY PROTECTION SAFEGUARDS:

- a)** The use of imaging technology on radio control model aircraft with the capability of obtaining high-resolution photographs and/or video, or using any types of sensors, for the collection, retention, or dissemination of aerial surveillance data/information on individuals, homes, businesses or property, is strictly prohibited by the AMA unless expressed written permission is obtained from the individuals, property owners or managers.

AMA is not and will not be responsible for model aircraft operations conducted outside of AMA's safety program and will not be held responsible for the actions of these non-participating pilots.

Dont forget to vote for the open positions for our Board of Directors at the November 27th meeting

Upcoming Open Positions for the 2013 Board of Directors

President

Open

Program Director

Open

Vice President

Open

Hospitality Director

Open

Treasurer

Open for nominations,
Bob Smith would like to run for another term

Helicopter Director

Open

Turbine Director

Open

Secretary

Open

Electric Director

Open

Membership Director

Open

Web Master

Open

Public Relations

Open for nominations,
Bob Tarlau would like to run for another term

Event Director

Open for nominations,
Robert Burn would like to run for another term

Randy Mytar would like to stay on the BOD, but would like to establish a Director of Promotions position to promote the club and events.

RENEWED YET?
Sign up and get the new MEMBERSHIP CARD

Contact: Gary Stevens
glstevens@verizon.net



Members Present

Chuck Thompson • President

Randy Mytar • Vice President

Bob Smith • Treasurer

Bob Tarlau • Public Relations

David Tarlau

Ricc Bieber • Hospitality Director

Mario Sweet • Event Safety Officer

Tony di Leo • Flight Instructor

Ted Mayer • Newsletter Editor

Steven Fine • Program Director

Gary Stevens • Membership Director

Tony Aguila • Media Director

Robert Burn • Event Director

Mike Stoner • Field Safety Officer

Jason Pakfar

Bob Tarlau presented videos of the Try and Fly Event during last club meeting. NPRA Event generated \$1260 total of 18 Entries. Club had enough workers for events.

The next upcoming event at the field is LA Jets this Sunday. **Sam Dafatta** CD. \$25 per pilots entry fee. The expected number of pilots will be 25 to 30.

Next club meeting we will have the workers raffle. Elections will be done via ballot process. **Tony** will produce 100 ballots.

On Dec. 9th the holiday party will happen after Toy for Tots event. **Rick** will create an email for 20 bucks per person with vegetarian meals will be provided.

Chuck will update membership board for 2013. Member ship card will be created with a Cub image. Chuck will send Gary the art work for member ship card. New foundation donations have been received from Don Lloyd and Iran Ausley.

FPV regulations have been updated AMA. FPV have been increasing in numbers at the field. More field regulations have to be created to address this increasing problem.

Booths have been reserved for the next AMA expo. Committee will be created for this event. **Randy, Scott, Rick,** and **Mario** have volunteered to be on the committee. New backdrop material need to be replaced for next AMA expo. January 11/12/13 is the date for AMA Expo.

Last week meeting with Rec and Parks went well and our arrangement will be formalized.

Officers Update

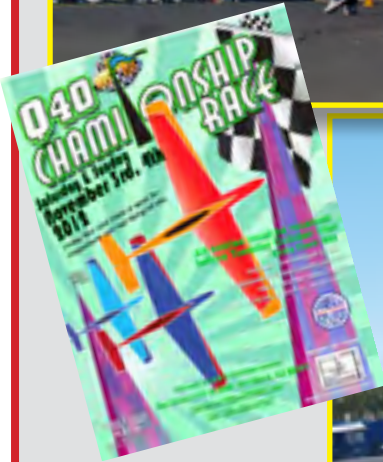
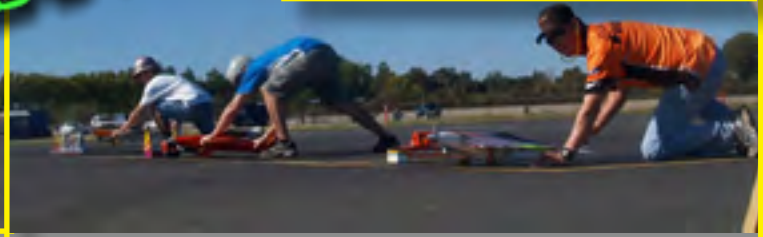
Rick / Mario: issue with Helicopter guys during the try

and fly event. The outcome is a possible new helicopter director.

Dave: Electric area getting damaged due to people trying to retrieve planes. Dave's plane is to move tables out so they are unable to stand on tables. Two shopping cart have been removed from the shed in the field. We need to find replacement shopping carts. Pressure washer broke we need a replacement \$600 to \$700.

Bob: Lost a couple of pop up canopy from last SAE. Two short canopies for the field are still required. Checking account \$5576.39 transferred \$1000 from PayPal account \$1315.41 pending deposit \$1280. 171.95 from concession stand from **Rick and Dan**. Combine balance is \$8171.80. After the NEPR event there are still three cases of fuel available.

Q40 CHAMPIONSHIP RACE



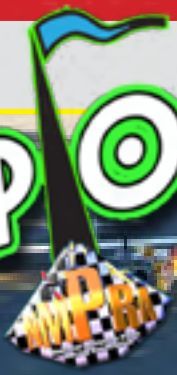
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2012 QUARTER MIDGET CHAMPIONSHIP RACE

The Valley Flyers hosted the NMPRA Championship race on November 3rd and 4th.

Here are the results;

(1st) Jim Allen 1:00.64

(2nd) Richard Verano 1:00.27

(3rd) Chuck Andraka 1:01.26 -

(4th) Lee VonDerHay 1:03.42

(5th) Rusty VanBaren 1:01.63.

Fast time went to Gary Schmidt 1:00.13.

(This event was originally scheduled to be at Speed World in Arizona but had to be relocated due to field use issues. Hopefully they can be resolved for 2013.)

We couldn't have done it without the help by way of full day support of many Valley Flyers and a 'little help' from their friends;

BOB	ADAMS
CANDY	ADAMS
TONY	AQUILA
RICC	BIEBER
BENNY	ELKOUBY
TRAVIS	FLYNN
WILLIE	GARDNER
SAM	GENGO
GIL	GREENBAUM
JERRY	JARVIS
AARON	JOHNSON
MARTA	HORVATH
FRANK	MILLER
WILL	SHEPPARD
BOB	SMITH
MIKE	STONER
DAVE	SWEANY
MARIO	SWEET
BOB	TARLAU
CHUCK	THOMPSON
DAN	ZILIAK

Thanks also goes to Dennis Moran (Asst starter), Dan Thordarson of CCW (pylon #1), Collin Black (timer), Paul Timpano (timer), Dave Gavin (score keeper), Doug Killerbrew (starter) and **Jim Allen the CD**. Drawing prize winners on Saturday; Dennis Moran, Dan Thordarson and Mike Stoner. Sunday; Jerry Jarvis, Benny Elkouby and Ricc Bieber.

Thank you everyone for your full day support and for those that officiated two days. (denoted with an *)

Sincerely, Bob Smith

JET BLAST

LAJETS 2012



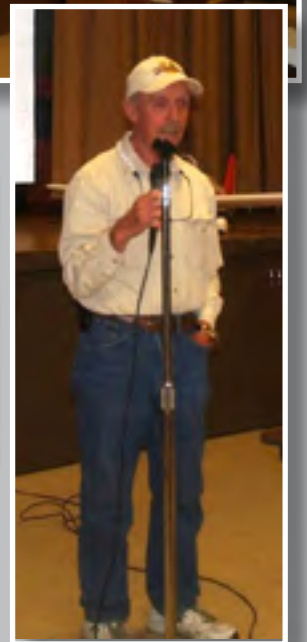
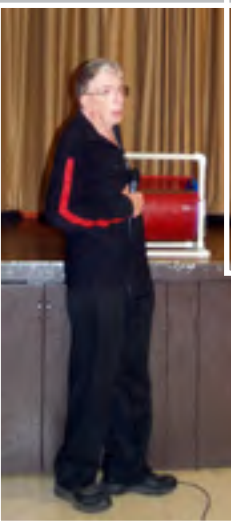
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TOYS FOR TOTS FUN FLY 2012



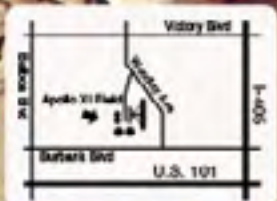
SUNDAY DEC. 9TH

**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 welcome*
AMA Membership Required**

Apollo Xi Field



www.valleyflyers.com



Contact Director: **Demell Martin**
dmarin168@aol.com

**No racing type airplanes-Waiver required for turbines*



JOIN THE VALLEY FLYERS



San Fernando Valley R/C Flyers



2013 Application for Membership

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!

Date of Application _____ / _____ / _____

Full Name _____ ***AMA** Membership Number: _____

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

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone (_____) _____

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

EMAIL ADDRESS: (Print one letter per block)

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

INITIAL

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

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

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 _____

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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Membership Year 2013		

BOARD MEMBERS

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Vice president	Randy Mytar	rmytar@gmail.com	818-789-7719
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Giant Scale Dir.	Adam Gelbart	Adam.gelbart@verizon.net	310-441-9408
Helicopter Director	Eric Baker	ehelibuff@gmail.com	661-670-0972
Field Manager	Dave Sweany	demflyer@msn.com	818-447-4510
Turbine Director	Jeff Tolomeo	jrtrc@yahoo.com	805-428-5219
Media Director	Tony Aguila	taguila@yahoo.com	510-421-3906

Support the hobby shops that support your club

eHobbies.com	14325 Alondra Blvd., La Mirada, CA 90638	(877) (346-2243)
Brian Carlevato		
Valley Flyers Online discount will be deducted in the shopping cart by using link from the Valley Flyers website.		
Evetts Model Shop	1636 Ocean Park Blvd., Santa Monica CA 90405	(310) 452-2720
Colby Evett (Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat 11-5:30); (Sun 10-1)		
eHobby House	17721 Vanowen Street, Reseda, CA	(818) 609-1968
Hobby People	5541 Balboa Blvd., Encino, CA 91316	(818) 995 1162
Chris (Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri 10-9); (Sat 10-6); (Sun 10-5)		
Hobby Zone	1617A Victory Blvd., Glendale Ca 91201	(818) 546-2291
Edwin (Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat 10-7); (Sun 1-5)		
Marty's Hobbies	1728 Moorpark Rd., Thousand Oaks, Ca. 91360	(805) 497 3664
Marty Friedman (Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu 10-8); (Fri 10-9); (Sat 10-6); (Sun 10-5)		
Robin's Hobby	1844 W. Glenoaks Blvd., Glendale, CA 91201	(818) 240-2093
Robin Hambley (Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat 10-7); (Sun 12-4)		
Smith Brothers	8941 Reseda Blvd., Northridge, CA 91325	(818) 885-8636
David (Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat 10-7); (Sun 10-5)		
TdL Model Systems CNC Foam Cutting by Appointment		(818) 652-9366
Tony di Leo www.TdLModels.com		

Organized Events Provide Field Improvements for Everyone!

Date	Club	Event	Contest Director (CD)
FEBRUARY			
4	SAT eve	VF	Numb Thumb Night Fly Jason Pakfar 818-206-5777 jason@saturnis.net
19	SUN	VF	FREE VF Members Fun Fly & Swap Meet Sam Gengo 310-318-1049 thevalleyflyer@yahoo.com
MARCH			
4	SUN	BSS	Electric Control-line Fun Fly Tony Naccarato 818-842-3693 R/C Runway not affected.
16-18	FRI-SUN	VF	Aero Design West Collegiate Weight Lifting Contest/SAE Sam Gengo 310-318-1049 thevalleyflyer@yahoo.com
30	FRI ½ Day	VF	George Finch Memorial Race Q40/ Q500 Travis Flynn 818-843-4107 flynnracer@aol.com
31	SAT		
APRIL			
1	SUN	VF	George Finch Memorial Race Q40/Q500 Travis Flynn 818-843-4107 flynnracer@aol.com
29	SUN	BSS	All Electric Fun-Fly Tony Naccarato 818-842-3693
MAY			
12	SAT	VF	Pizza Fun Fly / Engine Clinic Bob Smith 661-298-2614 flynbs@socal.rr.com
12	SAT	VCB	The May Stunt Meet – 2 Circles Stan Tyler 526-423-4634 Stan.tyler@verizon.net R/C Heli Pad not affected.
19-20	SAT & SUN	VF	LA JETS Spring - 2 Days Jason Pakfar 818-206-5777 Jason@saturnis.net
JUNE			
8	FRI ½ Day	VF	Q40/Q500 Travis Flynn 818-843-4107 flynnracer@aol.com
9-10	SAT & SUN		<i>Western Championship Series</i>
22	FRI	VF	Western States 3 Day Electric Fun Fly Benny Elkouby 818-235-9098 bennyel@worldnet.att.net
23-24	SAT & SUN		
JULY			
8	SUN	VF VCB	FREE Valley Flyers Members Fun Fly & Swap Meet & VCB Teach and Fly CL Chuck Thompson – VF John Patwell - VCB 818-359-3976 – CT 661-298-9372 - JP chuckthompson@mac.com jpatwell@sbcglobal.net
21-22	SAT – SUN	VF	LA JETS – Summer – 2 Days Bob Wilcox 818-203-4923 bob.w@jetcatusa.com
24	TUE	VF	Club Meeting at Field 7:30 PM Chuck Thompson 818-359-3976 chuckthompson@mac.com
AUGUST			
4-5	SAT & SUN	VF	All Scale Event Adam Gelbart 310-441-9408 adam.gelbart@verizon.net weldit74@yahoo.com
12	SUN	VCB	Hot August Stunt Contest Scott Dinger 805-526-9074
19	SUN	VF	4 Circles VF Fun Fly & Swap Meet Scott Ramos 818-407-1180 saramos@earthlink.net No Heli Flying
SEPTEMBER			
9	SUN	VF	All Electric Fun-Fly Benny Elkouby 818-235-9098 bennyel@worldnet.att.net
23	SUN	VF	VF Fun Fly / Member's BBQ Bob Smith 661-298-2614 flynbs@socal.rr.com
OCTOBER			
6-7	SAT & SUN	VCB	Hi Johnson Memorial C/L Stunt Contest 4 Circles Bill Barber 805-241-0453 barcam@verizon.net No Heli Flying
14	SUN	VF	Try & Fly : Public Open House Chuck Thompson 818-359-3976 chuckthompson@mac.com
21	SUN	BSS	All Electric Fun Fly Tony Naccarato 818-842-3693
NOVEMBER			
3	SAT	VF	November Fun Fly & Night Fly Jason Pakfar 818-206-5777 jason@saturnis.net
11	SUN	VF	LA JETS – Fall 1 Day Bob Wilcox 818-203-4923 bob.w@jetcatusa.com
18	SUN	VCB	CL Fun Fly & Swap Meet Bill Barber 805-241-0453 barcam@verizon.net
DECEMBER			
9	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.

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BSS	Black Sheep Squadron	Peanut scale, miniature, electric, and indoor aircraft
VFGSS	VF Giant Scale Squadron	Giant Scale Squadron of the Valley Flyers
VCB	Valley Circle Burners	Control Line (C/L) flying club – Some events may affect runway maneuvers.
VF	Valley Flyers	San Fernando Valley R/C Flyers flying club

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