



The Valley Flyer

2014

APRIL



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Upcoming Events

Saturday April 5th
Fun Fly & swap Meet

Tuesday April 22nd
VF General Meeting

April 11, 12, 13th
George Finch Memorial Races



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

A Message from our President

Here's to a great SUCCESS!



The 2014 LA3D Classic Heli Fun Fly was an absolute success. A big thanks to all participants, pilots, coordinators, staff and directors. This year's event dates were

March 15th 2014. We hope to achieve this same level of success again next year and are already in the planning stages for LA3D 2015! So stay tuned! Next year we plan on doing things even bigger and better. If you would like to be part of the action, Email the staff at pirofli-prc@hotmail.com Or bennyel@att.net. for more information.

We will be working to provide "media packs" at an early stage to drive attendance.

We will start making preparations for the next event at an early stage, in order for pilots, vendors and All participants to properly plan their attendance.

If you do not have your membership card by now, please contact membership director

Barbara Brace:

babz2008@gmail.com

ADDENDUM TO RULES AND REGULATIONS



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- 8) When working on your planes, make sure some one is helping you, I've seen too many times propeller cuts to the pilot or bystander.



RENEWED YET?

*Sign up and get the new
MEMBERSHIP CARD*

Contact: Barbara Brace
(Membership Director)
babz2008@gmail.com

Valley Flyers Field Support Information and Runway Repair Fund

Contact: Chuck Thompson : chuckthompson@mac.com

Checks should be made out to: Valley Flyers Foundation PO Box 2055 North Hills, CA 91393



MARCH RAFFLE

AT THE TUESDAY APRIL 22ND CLUB MEETING



SIG 4 STAR 54

This month we'll feature the SIG 4 STAR 54 EG/40 size ARF. SIG has updated the 4 STAR series to enable electric or nitro power sources.

The following are the specs for this ARF

SPECIFICATIONS:

Wing Span: 54 in. 1372 mm

Wing Area: 585 sq in 37.7 dm²

Length: 47.5 in. 1206 mm

Flying Weight: 5 - 5.5 lbs. 2268 - 2495 g

Wing Loading: 19.7 - 21.7 oz./ sq ft 60 - 66 g/dm²

Radio Required: (not included) 4-Channel w/ 5 Standard Servos (glow)

4-Channel w/ 4 Standard Servos (electric)

Glow Power: (not included) 2-Stroke .40 - .46 cu. in. (6.5 - 7.5 cc)

4-Stroke .40 - .54 cu. in. (6.5 - 8.8 cc)

Electric Power: (not included) 500 - 800 watt Brushless Motor (800-1000 kv)

60-75A Speed Control (ESC)

3-4S 3000 - 5000 mAh Lipo Battery Pack

Please help the club by supporting the raffle, thank you.

VALLEY FLYERS MARCH 26TH DEPOSITS

FEB/MARCH DRAWING PROCEEDS	214.00
MEMBERSHIPS	160.00
HELI NET FOOD	443.000
HELI ENTRY FEES	720.00
DEPOSITS TODAY	1,537.00
CHECKING ACCT BALANCE	3,660.93
PAYPAL	1,167.79
TOTAL FUNDS	\$4,828.72

Bob Smith, Treasurer

Please help support your club by purchasing some raffle tickets!

March 10th Heli Fun Fly



LA HELICOPTERS 2014
Fun Fly
 Saturday
 March 15th
 Flying begins at 8am

Factory Demos
 Advanced
 Intermediate
 Novice Flyers Welcome
 Entry fee for 1 day: \$15
 (AMA Membership required)

For more information contact
 Sergio mai
 piroliprc@ho
 or
 Benny Eli
 bennyel@work
 website:la

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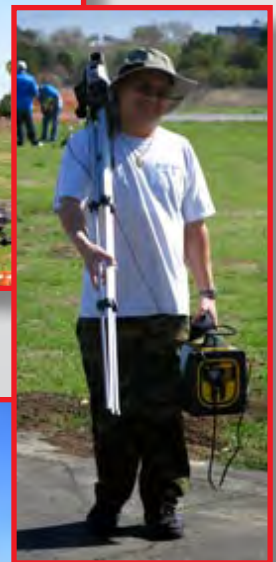
Photos courtesy Bob Tarlau and Athena Aguila

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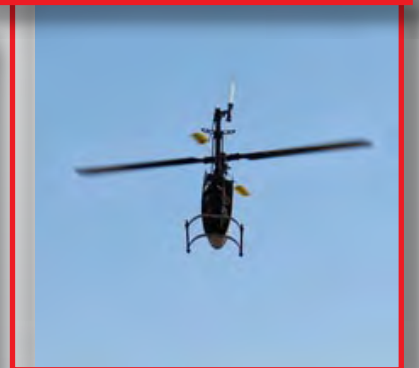
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A Message from our Heli Director

“Sergio and I want to thank all the participants that came out and made the event worth having.

Also we want to thank all the valley flyers who helped out with the jobs necessary to put on such an event.

Bob Tarlau for his expert work on the mic and announcing the event, and for some great pictures. **Benny** for letting us do the event in the first place and for his expertise is cd-ing the event. **Athena** and her mom **Tena** for

the pictures and videos, also **Winston brown** who captured much of the action on video. **Mike Stoner** for the cooking, along with **Shawn Keermann, KC, Athena** and others who also helped at the BBQ. Thanks to **Rusty Cook** for setting up, and **Barbra Brace** running sign up. Mario sweet for field safety. I know I had a blast and can't wait for the next one.

And I want to personally thank **Sergio** from Piro-flip rc as it was his work and association with

all the heli pilots that made the event work and brought in such a great attendance, and made us all look good.”

Mark Selkirk
Heli director

(Editors note: all Heli Fun fly photos can be viewed at:

Model, Model, Who's Got the Model?

First, I hope those who attended last month's meeting had a great time listening to **Dee Lewis** and **Mort**

Rosenthal. Dee represented Van Nuys Airport in a way that I found enlightening, to say the least. To say we have a valley heritage is an understatement! And Mort—what can I say? What an achievement to put together an aircraft like that Corsair with all them bells and whistles!

It was mentioned at the meeting, but bears repeating; our Safety Director, **Mario Sweet**, has become the Chairperson for the Friends of Van Nuys Airport! He was elected by the general membership of that group for a reason—he's got it going on! This also gives us, as a club, an ear at the airport, and makes it easier for us to work with the airport, as well. Congrats, Mario!

This month at the general meet-

ing, we will have **Dave Wooten** from Smith Brothers' Hobby Centers in Northridge. (**Tony Nacarrato** may help him along!) As many of you know, this is one of the great hobby shops we have here in the San Fernando Valley, always well stocked, well-versed folks to answer your questions, and they're nice guys, too! I know I'm looking forward to what's going on in the hobby, and I'm pretty sure that Dave will be able to let us know just that.

We also need a lot more projects to share at 'show and tell' at the end of the meeting. Did we mention that you get a raffle ticket for your efforts? Who knows—you could win another plane or other neat goodies that Bob Smith always finds for us.

I'm sure that you've all heard about **Willie Gardner** and his recent travails, but if not, I had a chance to speak with him and his wife Leta at the hospital on March 22nd, and at the time he was expecting to be home in a couple of days. He is one tough old bird, and we all wish him a

speedy recovery. Heck, who else can keep **Dave Sweeney** in line?

(Editors Note: Willie is now home and actually made the March 18th meeting!!)

Fair Warning! May Meeting is Indoor Olympics! Categories are: Micro-Quad, Mini-Vapor, mini-heli, and open class. Ladies and gentlemen, start your practicing now, and be prepared to make this annual event a great one!

Are you a Contest Director (CD)? Let us know so we can use your talents for upcoming events!

As always, if you have an idea for an upcoming meeting, I am ready and willing to make it happen! Programs are being formed for June, July is our annual meeting at the field, August is coming.

So, bring your projects to share and we'll see you at the meeting!

Flaps Up!

Ricc Bieber
Programs

APRIL'S EVENTS**COMING UP SATURDAY!****April 5 VF Fun Fly & Swap Meet**

Benny Elkouby – CD | benyel@att.net

This coming

Saturday brings a traditional Valley Flyers Fun & Swap Meet. Flying starts about 9am... and is free to Valley Flyers members. It's \$10 for non-members, who will be asked to show proof of current AMA membership. The swap meet portion – as always – begins first thing in the morning. There's usually plenty of sellers on hand by 7am, often earlier.

George Finch Memorial Race

Fri Apr 11 (half day) Sat Apr 12 – Sun Apr 13 Q40/Q500

Travis Flynn – CD | flynnracer@aol.com

Bob Smith provides the latest updates on the Finch memorial event:

1) The EF1 class has been dropped from this event due to a conflict between an EF1 designer and the NMPRA getting it approved for the class. Under threat of a lawsuit from the designer, if we conduct the race, we have eliminated it for this event. Hopefully this will be resolved before the June race.

2) We will have a Hobby People \$100 gift card drawing at the end of the event for event officials. For each day you officiate, you will be entered with two drawing tickets. For half a day's work you get 1 ticket. And of course, you will be entered into the year-end drawing for 'members' if you work the event. Free lunch and drinks as always for officials.

If you have questions, email me at bobthesmith2003@yahoo.com or call at 661-298-2614. You can obtain a copy of the latest event flyer and pre-registration form at the NMPRA site <http://www.nmpira.org/> under the George Finch link of scheduled events. This is the direct link to the updated flyer and registration form.

Hope to see you there, April 11th through the 13th.

Bob Smith, Treasurer

MAY'S EVENTS**Pizza Fun Fly** – Sat May 10

Bob Smith CD

bobthesmith2003@yahoo.com
(See Event Flyer page13)

LA JETS Spring – 2 Days

Sat May 24 & Sun May 25

Matt Carroll – CD matt@mattcarroll.com

(See Event Flyer page15)

Indoor Olympics – Tue May 27

Meeting. Details are to come on this first of two Indoor Olympics micro heli and plane competition evenings. The venue (as usual) will be the Encino Community Center.

(See Event Flyer page14)

Heli Fun Fly Video & Photos

Winston Brown has posted a pair of videos on our successful Heli Fun Fly held March 15. We had about 75 pilots, great weather, some super flying and lots of fun. Hats off to CD Benny Elkouby, and event co-directors Mark Selkirk and Sergio Marachilian. Thanks as well to all our volunteers.

VIDEO: Here are Winston's video links:

<http://youtu.be/bipOASTPwP4>
14 min video

<http://youtu.be/jKhcoVdlrSE>
5 min version

PHOTOS: You will find 133 still photos taken by Bob Tarlau and Athena Aguila at <http://tinyurl.com/ojsp29h>

ALL THE LATEST PHOTOS:

Mar 15 Heli Fun Fly

Feb 16 Fun Fly & Swap Meet

Feb 2 Fun Scale Event

Jan 28 Club Meeting

CLUB PHOTOS

Dating Back to 2005 are at:

<https://picasaweb.google.com/valleyflyers>

Please Renew

Your Membership

Club President Benny Elkouby reports we now have more than 225 members. We'd like to reach 350 by year's end. If you are a new member, welcome – AND A REMINDER that you need to e-mail Barbara with your new AMA number. She cannot send you a card without your AMA number on it. If you have membership questions please e-mail Barbara at babz2008@gmail.com. It's easy to join or renew through our website. This is the link.

2014 Apollo 11 Field Schedule(
(See page 23 .)

Happy Landings!

BOB TARLAU

Public Relations Director

San Fernando Valley R/C Flyers
Academy of Model Aeronautics -
Charter Club #152

www.valleyflyers.com

e-mail: bob@valleyflyers.com

VALLEY FLYERS FUN FLY

SATURDAY APRIL 5TH 2014

**AMA Membership
required.**

*(proof of membership
is required)*

\$10 for non members

(free to club members)

Flying starts 9am.

Contact: Benny Elkouby CD

bennyel@att.net

To help with the event and for more
information visit: www.valleyflyers.com



Apollo XI Field



DESIGN BY TED MAYER

George Finch Memorial PYLON RACES

APRIL 11th - 13th

2014

Friday 11th
Practice

Saturday 12th
426 (Short)
422 (long)

Sunday 13th
424, 426 (short)
422 (long)

Pre-registration entry \$25
Event Weekend registration \$30

FOR PRE-REGISTRATION FORM
VISIT WEB SITE: WWW.VALLEYFLYERS.COM



Apollo Xi Field

CD's

Travis Flynn 818-209-0971
flynnracer@aol.com

Dave Gavin 909-730-5166
dgavin9448@aol.com

Doug Killebrew 661-400-5636
douglaskillebrew@att.net



Design: Ted Mayer

www.valleyflyers.com



George Finch Memorial PYLON RACES

APRIL 11, 12, & 13 PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

MUST BE RECEIVED BY APRIL 8TH
(please print)

NAME _____

AMA NUMBER: _____

ALL EVENTS ONE DAY; \$25 FEE FOR EACH CLASS EACH DAY YOU RACE

CLASS (circle); 422 (SAT) 422 (SUN) 424 (SUN) 426 (SAT) 426 (SUN)

FREQ; _____ / _____ (class)

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FREQ; _____ / _____ (class)

CONTACT EMAIL OR PHONE; _____

TEAM/CALLER NAME; _____ / _____ (class)

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MAIL ENTRY AND FEE PAYABLE TO 'VALLEY FLYERS' TO;

DAVID GAVIN
10244 Golden YARROW INN.
RANCHO CUCAMONGA CA, 91701

Valley Flyers

PIZZA FUN FLY

MAY 10th SATURDAY

8:00 A.M. TO 5:00 P.M.

\$10 Entry Fee for non-members
Includes Pizza Lunch
FREE to VF Members

Field setup at 7:30 a.m.
Must have AMAmembership**

Answer session following each seminar

Everyone is Welcome



www.valleyflyers.com



CD Bob Smith - bobthesmith2003@yahoo.com

**AMA & Valley Flyers Signup Sheets available



APOLLO XI FIELD

LAJETS **Spring** 2014

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY MAY 24TH, 25TH

**HIGH
PERFORMANCE
ELECTRIC
AND
TURBINE JETS**

**FREE TO SPECTATORS
Landing fee - \$25**

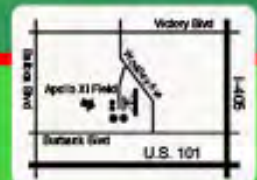


Apollo XI Field

(2013 Turbine waiver required for turbines)

CD: Greg Fullingham greggdeb@ca.rr.com
Matt Carol matt@mattcaroll.com

To help with the event and for more information visit: www.lajets.org
Design by Ted Mayer



INDOOR OLYMPICS I 2014



**Tuesday
May 27th**

Flying Starts 7:30PM

OPEN PYLON RACES : Open to any flying object

MICRO PLANE PYLON RACES: Park Zone and Ember classes

HELICOPTER OBSTACLE COURSE : Any 'Micro Co Axial'

Event Director Bob Smith bobthesmith2003@yahoo.com

• AMA Membership Required • www.valleyflyers.com

Encino Community Center • Free Entry/Admission • Guests and Spectators Welcome !





64 YEARS OF SERVICE

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 2014 the club will enjoy its 64th year! 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.
- RC eNews – Timely and informative email messages about upcoming events, field closure notices and more.
- The Valley Flyer – 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® at www.valleyflyers.com online.

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

Barbara Brace, Membership Director
babz2008@gmail.com
 818-310-1874

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 4th 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.

2014 Club Meeting Schedule			
January	28th	July	22 nd
February	25th	August	26 th
March	25th	September	23 rd
April	22 nd	October	28 th
May	27 th	November	25th – Annual Workers Raffle
June	24 th	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.

2014 BOARD MEMBERS

President	Benny Elkouby	bennyel@.att.net	818-235-9098
Vice president	Mike Stoner	mstonero6@gmail.com	818-448-6422
Treasurer	Bob Smith	bobthesmith2003@yahoo.com	661-298-2614
Secretary	Tena Homme	tena.aguila@gmail.com	818-358-3881
Membership Dir.	Barbara Brace	babz2008@gmail.com	818-310-1874
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Event Director	Position open		
Webmaster	Tony Aguila	taguila@yahoo.com	510-421-3906
Hospitality	Dan Ziliak	diverdan3234@yahoo.com	818-363-5885
Giant Scale Dir.	Adam Gelbart	Adam.gelbart@verizon.net	310-441-9408
Helicopter Director	Mark Selkirk	marks@instanet.com	818-340-0696
Field Manager	Dave Sweany	demflyer@msn.com	818-447-4510
Turbine Director	Matt Carroll	matt@mattcarroll.com.	805-907-4462
Media Director	Athena Aguila	athena.e.aguila@gmail.com	818-299-04334

Support the hobby shops that support your club

HF Hobby People Find A Store: 1-866-HOBBY4U hobbypeople.net   

eHobbies TOYS WITHOUT LIMIT. M-F, 8am-4:30pm PST at 877-eHobbies (346-2243)
14325 Alondra Blvd La Mirada www.ehobbies.com/info.html

63 Years Evetts MODEL SHOP Mon-Sat 11-5.30 pm Sun- 10-1pm
1636 Ocean Park Blvd. Santa Monica 310-452-2720

Robins Hobby Mon-Sat 10-7 pm Sun- 12-4pm
1844 W, Glenoaks Blvd. Glendale 818-240-2093

Marty's Hobbies Mon-Thur 10-8 pm, Fri 10-9pm, Sat 10-6pm, Sun- 10-5pm
1728 Moorpark Rd. Thousand Oaks 805-497-3664

E Hobby House  17721 Vanowen Street, Reseda 818-609-1968

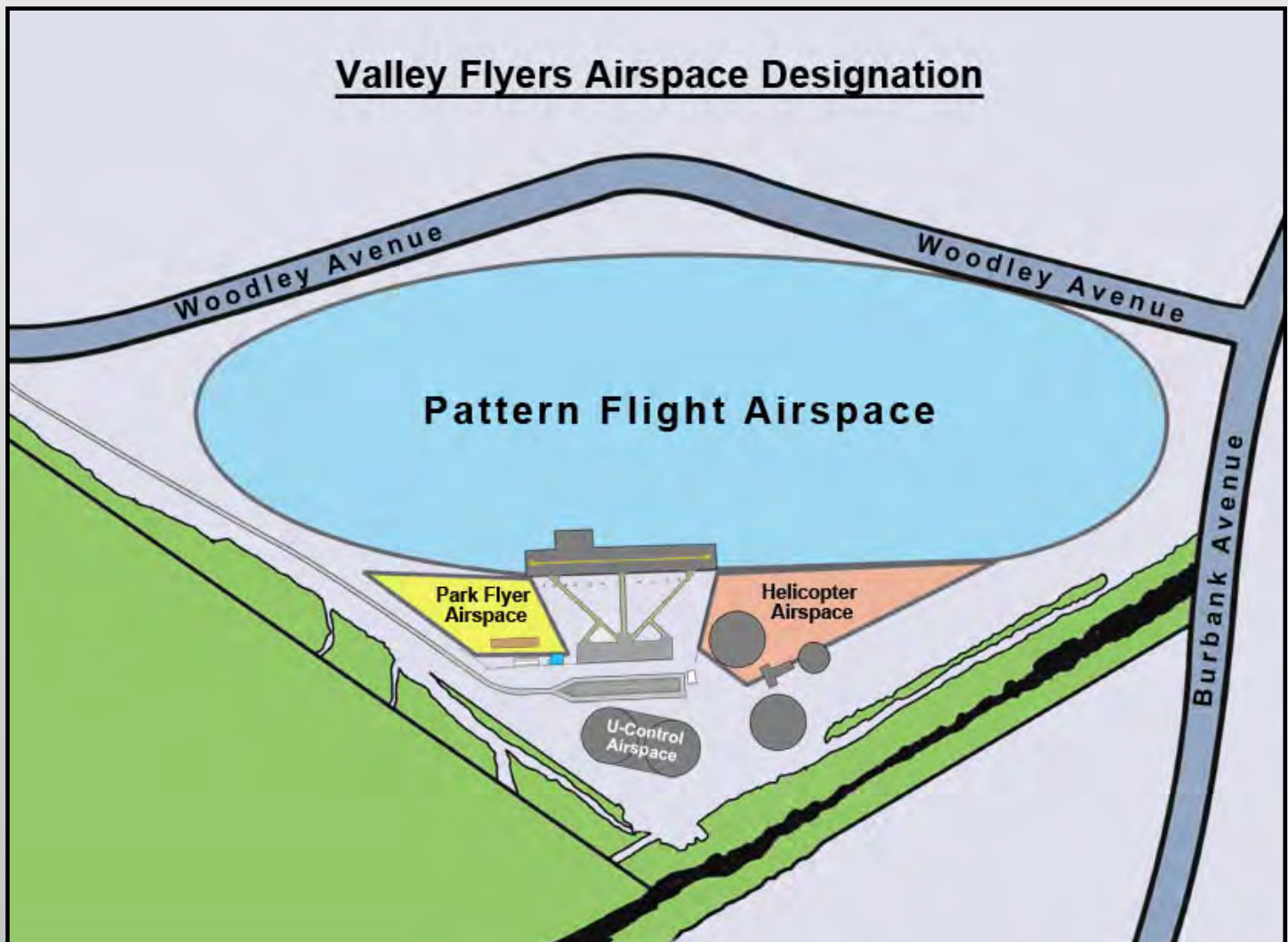
Smith Brothers Mon-Sat 10-7 pm, Sun- 10-5pm
8941 Reseda Blvd, Northridge 818-885-8636

Apollo XI Field Flying Regulations

This facility is designed to accommodate four general types of powered remotely controlled aircraft in separate areas of the park.

1. Radio controlled heavier than one pound on the main runway.
2. Radio controlled one pound or less & R/C gliders North of the pit area.
3. Radio controlled helicopters South of the pit area
4. Control line flight in the designated Control line circles

This facility does **NOT** accommodate free flight aircraft, Kites, rocketry of any kind: R/C cars or R/C trucks.



Radio Control Flight Rules

1. All pilots must fly from one of the designated pilot stands.
2. The frequency board will be used at all times and pilots must post their frequency usage with a card or I.D that contains their name or picture I.D.
3. Open flying is restricted during scheduled events.
4. No take offs and landings from the pit area, taxiways, or grass.
5. 400 feet maximum flying altitude.
6. Take-off and landings to be in the same direction according to the wind.
7. Down-wind passes over the runway are prohibited when other aircraft are flying.
8. Some sort of fuel recovery system must be used when fueling planes to avoid spillage.
9. All pilots will follow taxiways directions as posted.
10. Pilots will call out their intentions (landing, take-off, etc) and clear the runway quickly.
11. There shall be no flying during facility mowing operations
12. Flying over the Golf course, access roads or public roads is prohibited.
13. Each type of aircraft must fly and pit within the area designated on the map for that type of vehicle. Fixed wing aircraft will have a standard left or right pattern depending on the wind.

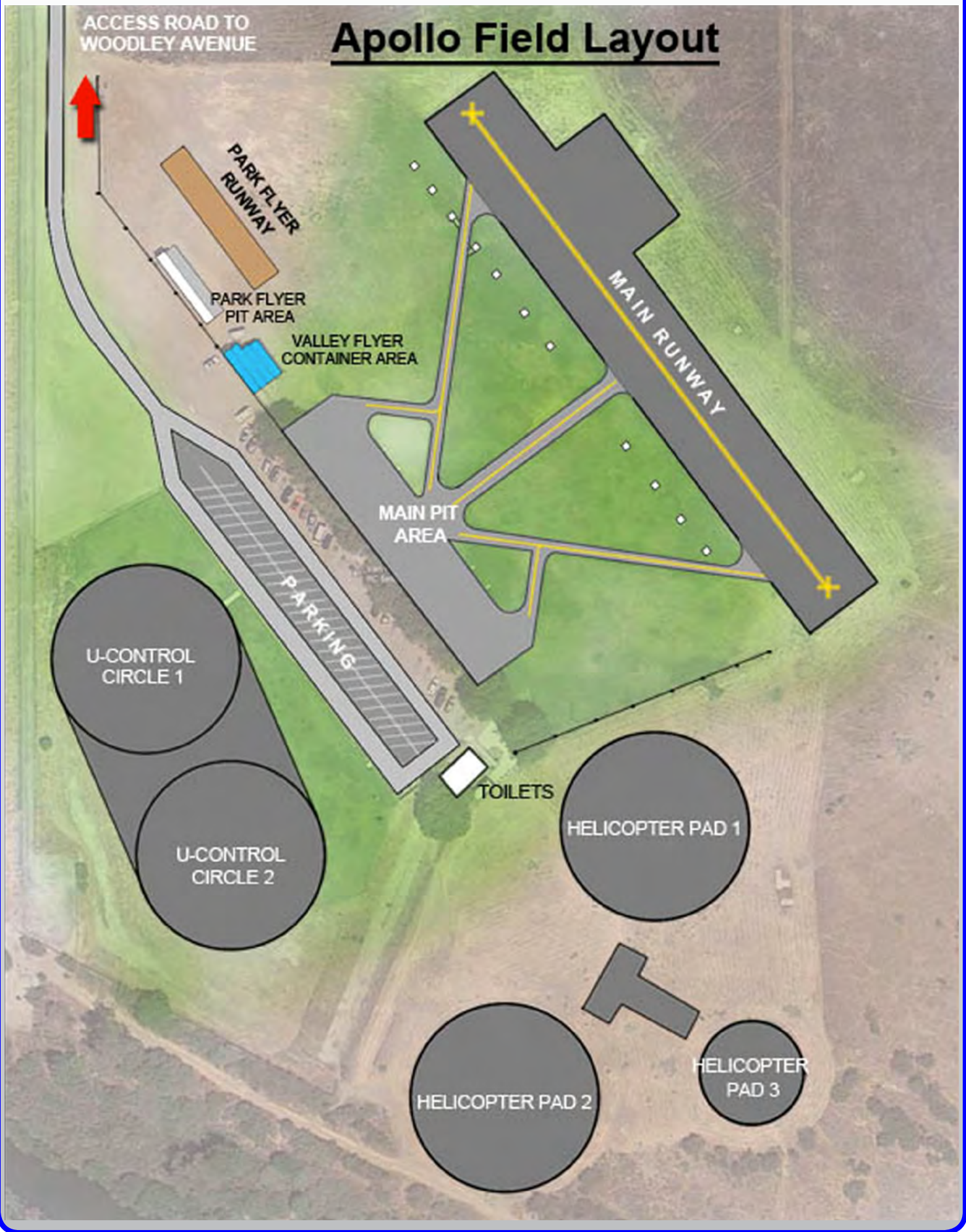
Failure to comply with these regulations may result in a citation, loss of flying privilege or both.

*****Pilots please note, the Field is closed to open flying during all Valley Flyers Events.***

Pilots must check-in to participate. A valid VF Club membership and/or AMA membership is required.
Become a member, visit www.Valleyflyers.com for more information. 2/2013

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Apollo 11 Facility Schedule – 2014

Organized Events Provide Field Improvements for Everyone!

Date	Time	Event	Contest Director (CD)
FEBRUARY			
2	SUN	8a-7p Fun Scale Event Fun Fly & Swap Meet	Randy Mytar 818-789-7719 rmytar@gmail.com
16	SUN	8a-7p FREE For VF Members	Sam Gengo thevalleyflyer@yahoo.com
MARCH			
15	SAT	8a-7p Heli Fun Fly	Sergio marachilian 818-406-3844 pirofliprc@hotmail.com NO RC Airplane FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
APRIL			
5	SAT	7a-7p Fun Fly	Benny Elkouby 818-235-9098 bennyel@att.net flynnracer@aol.com
11-12-13	FRI ½ Day SAT & SUN	7a-7p George Finch Memorial Race Q40/ Q500	Travis Flynn 818-843-4107 NO HELICOPTER FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES NO ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
MAY			
10	SAT	8a-7p Pizza Fun Fly / Engine Clinic FREE For VF Members	Bob Smith 661-298-2614 bobthesmith2003@yahoo.com
24-25	SAT & SUN	8a-7p LA JETS Spring - 2 Days	Matt Carroll 805-907-4462 NO HELICOPTER FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES NO ELECTRIC PROP FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
JUNE			
6	FRI ½ Day		flynnracer@aol.com
7-8	SAT & SUN	7a-7p 7a-7p Q40/Q500 Race	Travis Flynn 818-843-4107 NO HELICOPTER FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES NO ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
21-22	SAT & SUN	7a-7p 7a-7p Western States 2 Day Electric Fun Fly	Randy Mytar 818-789-7719 rmytar@gmail.com Benny Elkouby 818-235-9098 bennyel@att.net
JULY			
6	SUN	8a-7p Fun Fly & Swap Meet FREE For VF Members	Chuck Thompson – VF 818-359-3976 chuckthompson@mac.com
19	SAT	8a-7p LA JETS – Summer – 1 Day	Matt Carrol 805-907-4462 NO HELICOPTER FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES NO ELECTRIC PROP ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
22	TUE	7p-dusk Club Meeting at Field 7:30 PM	Benny Elkouby 818-235-9098 bennyel@att.net
AUGUST			
2-3	SAT & SUN	8a-7p All Scale Event	Adam Gelbart 310-441-9408 adam.gelbart@verizon.net
16	SAT	8a-7p VF Fun Fly & Swap Meet	Scott Ramos 818-407-1180 saramos@earthlink.net
SEPTEMBER			
7	SUN	8a-7p All Electric Fun-Fly	Randy Mytar 818-789-7719 rmytar@gmail.com
21	SUN	8a-dusk VF Fun Fly / Member's BBQ FREE For VF Members	Bob Smith 661-298-2614 bobthesmith2003@yahoo.com
OCTOBER			
12	SUN	8a-7p Try & Fly : Public Open House	Chuck Thompson 818-359-3976 chuckthompson@mac.com
NOVEMBER			
1	SAT	8a-7p VF Fun Fly & Swap Meet	Benny Elkouby 818-235-9098 bennyel@att.net bob.w@jetcatusa.com
9	SUN	8a-7p LA JETS – Fall 1 Day	Bob Wilcox 818-203-4923 NO HELICOPTER FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES NO ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
DECEMBER			
7	SUN	8a-7p Toys-for-Tots: Open to all Sizes	Darrell Martin 818-368-1488 dmartin168@aol.com

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AMA	Academy of Model Aeronautics	Official national body for model aviation in the United States
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VFSS	VF Giant Scale Squadron	Giant Scale Squadron of the Valley Flyers
VCS	Valley Circle Burners	Control Line (CL) flying club – Some events may affect runway maneuvers.
VF	Valley Flyers	San Fernando Valley R/C Flyers flying club

Schedule may CHANGE! Check monthly newsletter or valleyflyers.com for updates!



2014 CALENDAR - R/C FLYING EVENTS



(VENTURA COUNTY & AROUND By: Ron Scott as of 1-17-14)

April

5 Fun Fly - Valley Flyers Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com–

5 Simi Valley Flyers – Electric only - Fun Fly, BBQ, & Swap Meet
www.simivalleyflyers.com

5 Spring Swap meet – Menifee Valley Flyers (near Perris) www.mvfclub.com

?4-6 Warbirds over LasVegas–William Bennett Field-Bill Hope 410-533-3405
www.lvcc.com

25-27 Float Fly – Lake Cachuma – SBRCM club, No Charge, no BBQ or raffle
WWW.SBRCM.ORG

11-13 EF1/424/426/Q40 pylon racing – Apollo Field - Valley Flyers
www.valleyflyers.com

12-13 Float Fly @ Lake Casitas – Ventura County Comets

12-13 Pattern Contest at Riverside (Steve Hanna; shannah956@yahoo.com)

19 Electric Fly (indoor) @ Simi Valley Rec Center 5005 LA Ave. @ 7:30 PM

20 Easter Sunday

?20-21 SC Scale Masters Event at Hemet Model Masters

www.hemetmodelmasters.org

27 Warbird Day – Camarillo Flying Circus - <http://webefier.com/drupal/>

25-27 Pattern Contest at Arvin (3 days; Chip Hyde; chipf3a@yahoo.com)

?26-28 24th Annual Gathering of the Giants event @ Condor field –

WWW.CICONDORS.COM

May

?4 IMAC flying competition @ Bakersfield - www.mini-iac.com

10 Fun Fly – Apollo Field - Valley Flyers www.valleyflyers.com

10 Scale Fun Fly - Canyon Crosswinds www.canyoncrosswinds.com

11 Mothers Day

17 Funtest & Fun Fly, BBQ, Simi Valley Flyers (SVFlyers only)

www.simivalleyflyers.com

17-18 RCX – Model Airplane Expo @ Orange County Event Center - Costa Mesa 55/73, www.rcx.com

17 Pattern Contest at Sacramento (1 day; SAM; Don Atwood; atwooddon@aol.com)

17 Electric Fun-Fly & Glowpower $\leq .15"$. + BBQ @ Comets Field –

www.vccomets.com

17 Electric Fly (indoor) @ Simi Valley Rec Center 5005 LA Ave. @ 7:30 PM

18 Fun Fly & BBQ – Camarillo Flying Circus - <http://webefier.com/drupal/>

?18 Quickie 500 Pylon races – San Gabriel RC League – Whittier Narrows Rec. Park
818-554-3517

?18 CPGT Pattern contest @ Condor field (Per Robert Fish)

22-25 Memorial Day – Giant plane Fly-in – West Coast Festival – Castle Airport
Central CA Modelers. Contact Scott at scottmalta@comcast.net or 209-617-5789

?25 IMAC flying competition @ Prado (Chino) - www.mini-iac.com

24-25 L A Jets Spring Fly-in – Valley Flyers www.valleyflyers.com

31-1 Pattern Contest at Victorville (Greg Meierhoff; flyngreg@gmail.com)

23-25 Float Fly – Visalia Russell Pond – for directions - www.CVRCSoaring.com

June

7 Pattern Classic Meet – Riverside (Perris) www.riversidercclub.org

? 8 IMAC flying competition @ Fresno - www.mini-iac.com

6-8 Float Fly - Lake Cachuma – Santa Barbara R/C Modelers. No BBQ, or raffle

?7-9 Scale Fly-in Prado Airpark, Chino, - Randy Wilbur 949-683-9662 See
www.scaleSquadron.com

6-8 EF1/424/426/Q40 Pylon racing – Valley Flyers www.valleyflyers.com

?8 7th Annual Helicopter day @ Condor Field

?15 IMAC flying competition @ Riverside - www.mini-iac.com

15 Swap Meet – Discount Hobbies – Chula Vista Phone: (858) 560-9633

15 Fathers Day

21 Simi Valley Flyers - Fun Fly, BBQ, & Swap Meet

21 Electric Fly (indoor) @ Simi Valley Rec Center 5005 LA Ave. @ 7:30 PM

21-22 So. Cal. Scale Squadron meet – Pomona Valley RC Club www.pvmac.com

21 Helicopter and Multi-copters only day – Camarillo Flying Circus -

<http://webefier.com/drupal/>

21-22 Western States All Electric Fun Fly – Apollo Field -

www.valleyflyers.com for details.

22 Glider & Electric planes and helicopter Fun Fly Camarillo Flying Circus

<http://webefier.com/drupal/>

22 Quaker Fun Fly & Balloon drop - Comets Field - Lake Casitas

?29 Warbird day –CI Condors Field – all clubs welcome. WWW.CICONDORS.COM

?28-29 Rally of Giants, Medford Oregon – www.rogue-eagles.org

Contact Cliff Sands 541-941-0503

6 Swap Meet & Fun Fly - Valley Flyers Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com-

12 Classic Pattern at Lancaster (1 day; 13 is backup; Tony Frackowiak;

frackowiak@sbcglobal.net)

?13 Swap Meet San Diego – Don Madison

19 L A Jets – Valley Flyers – Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com

21 Electric Fly (indoor) @ Simi Valley Rec Center 5005 LA Ave. @ 7:30 PM

26 Fun Fly & RC Swap Meet at Hemet Model Masters www.hemetmodelmasters.org

27 Warbird day & BBQ + Swap Meet @ Comets Field \$10 Entry fee includes lunch

27 T-28 Races - Camarillo Flying Circus <http://webefier.com/drupal/>

?20 13th IMAC flying competition @ Camarillo – Condors field www.mini-iac.com

28 T-28 Races – Camarillo Flying Circus

August

2-3 All Scale Event – Valley Flyers - www.valleyflyers.com

?2-3 Glider – Slope racing @ Grass Mountain www.socalsloperacing.com

9 Simi Valley Flyers Electric only - Fun Fly, BBQ, & Swap Meet

9-10 Pattern Contest at Miramar, San Diego (Bill Wallace; bwallace@bandag.com)

16 Fun Fly & Swap Meet - Valley Flyers Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com-

16 Electric Fly (indoor) @ Simi Valley Rec Center 5005 LA Ave. @ 7:30 PM

22-24 Float Fly @ Lake Cachuma, No BBQ, or raffle.

- 22-23 Camarillo Air Show
- 23 Pattern Contest at Morgan Hill (1 day, Luke Peng; lsjpeng@comcast.net)
- 24 Fun Fly & BBQ – Camarillo Flying Circus

September

- ?1 Swap Meet & Dawn Patrol Contest @ Hemet Model Masters –
www.hemetmodelmasters.org
- 7 All Electric Fun Fly – Valley Flyers www.valleyflyers.com
- ?14 Big RC Swap meet @ Condors field in Camarillo open flying???
- 13-14 Pattern Contest at Hollister (Jon Carter; joncarter60@comcast.net)
- 20-21 Float Fly @ Lake Castiac Lower Lake– Canyon Crosswinds
www.canyoncrosswinds.com
- 19-21 Float Fly @ Lake Mc Swane near Merced...
- 20 Funtest - Fun Fly& BBQ, Simi Valley Flyers (SVFlyers only)
www.simivalleyflyers.com
- 20 Electric Fly (indoor) @ Simi Valley Rec Center 5005 LA Ave. @ 7:30 PM
- 21 Fun Fly, club BBQ & Swap Meet - Valley Flyers Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com
- 28 Poker Fly & Swap Meet – Camarillo Flying Circus
- 27-28 IMAA Giant Scale Fly-in – Las Vegas @ Bennit field (Henderson)
www.lvrcc.com
- 27-28 Lake Hemet Float fly – Hemet Model Masters – www.hemetmodelmasters.org
- 27-28 Pattern Contest at Lancaster (Mike and Jean Greear; luvtherocs@aol.com)

October

- 3-5 Lake Cachuma Float Fly – Santa Barbara R/C Modelers – No BBQ or raffle
- 4-5 Classic Pattern Contest at Pomona (Robert Fish, akmotov@pacbell.net)
- 3-5 Glider Festival @ Visalia, CA (www.CVRCSoaring.com)
- ?4-6 Tucson Aerobatic Shootout - www.desertaircraft.com
- ?5 Quickie 500 Pylon races – San Gabriel RC League – Whittier Narrows Rec. Park
818-554-3517
- 11 Simi Valley Flyers - Fun Fly, BBQ, & Swap Meet
- 11 Float Fly – Heritage Lake - Menifee Valley Flyers (near Perris) www.mvfclub.com
- 12 Try & Fly- Public open house - Valley Flyers – Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com
- 11-12 Pattern Contest at Sacramento (SAM; Frank Capone; crcfrank@sbcglobal.net)

18 RC Swap Meet - Palomar RC Flyers www.palomarrcflyers.org or
Bill @ 760-807-4831

18-19 Dawn Patrol -WW1 planes – Black Star Aerodrome - Irvine Lake -
Contact: info@scaleflyers.com

18 Electric Fly (indoor) @ Simi Valley Rec Center 5005 LA Ave. @ 7:30 PM

18-19 Float Fly @ Comets - Lake Casitas

24-26 Electric Event – BIG JOLT West Coast – Pomona Valley RC Club
www.pvmac.com

24-26 Float Fly @ Visalia – Russell Pond for directions check www.CVRCSoaring.com

?24-26 Giant Scale Air Races - Rabbit dry lake (Unlimited planes flying @ 150 + MPH)
www.usrainfo.org

?27 Combat – 4 rounds – Camarillo Flying Circus

November

1 Swap Meet & Fun Fly -Valley Flyers – Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com

9 LA Jets - Valley Flyers – Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com –

?7-9 Float Fly, @ London Bridge, @Windsor Beach Park, Lake Havasu, Az.
(Desert Hawks Club)

web-site: <http://www.deserthawksrc.org/>

15 Electric Fly (indoor) @ Simi Valley Rec Center 5005 LA Ave. @ 7:30 PM

21-23 Float Fly @ Comets – Club members only

23 T-28 Day – Camarillo Flying Circus - <http://webefier.com/drupal/>

December

?1 Warbird Day @ Condors Field + Toy Collection

7 Toys-for-Tots Fly-in – Valley Flyers – Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com

7 Toys-for-Tots Fly-in – Pomona Valley RC Club www.pvmac.com

18 Comets Christmas party

25 Santa Claus brings new stuff to replace all the planes & engines that Murphy broke
during the year.

For Corrections or additions, Call Ron @ 805-522-545

<u>CLUB OR EVENT</u>	<u>CONTACT</u>	<u>PHONE #</u>
AVTI (Lancaster)	?Jerry Budd	(805) 943-4970 http://www.avti.org/
Desert Hawks (Lake Havasu).	?George Field	(928) 855-1197 www.deserthawksrc.org
Comets (Ventura County).	Ron Scott	(805) 522-5455 www.vccomets.com
Condors (Camarillo).	Ron Scott	(805) 522-5455 www.cicondors.com/
Camarillo Flying Circus		(805)
Las Vegas R/C Club	?Tom Hart	(702) 566-0668 www.lvrcc.com
Port-A-Potti Pilots (Sylmar)	Robby Hombre	(818) www.RobinsHobbies.com
R/C Marathon-	Corona R/C Club	(208)486-6063
Santa Barbara RC Modelers	Lloyd Gibbs	805 688-4855 Irgiggs@msn.com WWW.SBRCM.ORG
SGVRCL (San Gabriel Valley)	Jerry Swain Riccio	(626) 428-38962
The Unlimited (Torrance)	?Lesley Burnett	(310) 320-8369
Torrey Pines Gulls		http://www.torreypinesgulls.org
San Fernando Valley Flyers (Sepulveda Basin)		www.valleyflyers.com
Simi Valley Flyers		www.simivalleyflyers.com
Visalia Glider Festival	Ed Hipp	www.cvrcoaring.com
Canyon Crosswinds	Wally Briggs	(661)722-0029 www.canyoncrosswinds.com Web Master Bob Archery @ 661-618-4388
Santa Fe Dam R/C Modelers	Web Site / Calander	(626) 821-4133 .. WWW.SFDRCM.COM
Southern Calif - Slope racing Org.		www.socalsloperacing.com
IMAC(International Min. Aerobatic Club		www.mini-iac.com/DesktopDefault.aspx
Riverside RC Club	-	www.riversiderclub.org
Simi Indoor Electric fly Simi Valley -	Matt Keennon	(805) ?? Matt Keennon (AV) keennon@avinc.com
Corona RC Club		www.coronarclub.com
Whittier Narrows Park - El Monte RC planes & Boats		WWW.?????????????.com

Good Internet web Sites

AMA Calender of events	www.modelaircraft.org/events/calendar/Flying Events/wc012010.htm
Club Links	www.modelaircraft.org/clubsearch.aspx
Newsletter	www.modelaircraft.org/templates/ama/newsletters.asp
Gliders	www.rcsoaring.com
"	www.sloperacing.com
Visalia Glider Club – www.CVRCSOaring.com	www.nesail.com
gliderking.com , combatwings.com	
Electrics.	www.sefsd.org
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