



The Valley Flyer

2015



June



Palmdale School visits Apollo Field



Upcoming Events

Saturday June 20-21
Western States Electric
Fun Fly

Saturday July 11th
Fun Fly & Swap Meet

Saturday July 18th
L.A. Jets Summer



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



As you may have noticed another month has passed and the Summer heat is in full

swing. .

Thanks to Mr. Matt Carrol for running a first class LA Jets Event. Thanks to the mem-

bers and the Board of Directors,

As most of you have noticed, the wind sock and the weather station Have been stolen. It looks Like it was pure vandalism.

Tony Nacarato has donated a new wind sock which will be installed in a more permanent way with a thicker pipe.

And a big 'thank you' to **Glen Roe** who is working on replac-

ing the weather station.

Ahead in June:

Western States 2 Day Electric Fun Fly SAT 20, SUN 21
CD Benny Elkouby 818-235-9098 – bennyel@att.net

The Sky is not the limit -Peace.

Benny Elkouby
President



I would personally like to thank **Glen Roe** for getting the Charging station back up and running in the Electric

Area. If you see him thank him.

Rusty, Shawn, Benny, Barb and myself worked hard in the shed getting it cleared out for the wash down this past weekend. We need to wash the walls down for the makeover.

Big thanks to **Paul Rafael**, who got left out on the contributions to getting the electric up, and to **Mark Selkirk** who through the BBQ for us this past Sunday Jan 18th, 2015. We still need some help funding the new Main Charging Station, see Benny, Barb, or myself at the field on the weekends.

BIG CAUTION:

Landings have priority over take offs!!

If you are waiting to take off, hold your position off the runway **until called landings are completed.**

Just by calling 'Taking Off' after a landing has been called, is not an excuse to go head. The consequence is the landing pilot has to take his eye off of his plane. It ruins concentration when bringing your plane in for a safe landing.

Please use common sense. We don't have a control tower to instruct you that you're clear for take off.

You could be liable if you cause a landing that damages the incoming plane. Some of these planes are expensive!!

D.B.D." Don't Be Dumb."

HEIGHT RESTRICTIONS

We have been getting complaints about planes exceeding designated height limits of 400 feet.

Jets going vertical easily exceed 400feet. In addition 3D airplanes doing maneuvers also exceed these height restrictions.

This needs to stop! If this continues the airport has the jurisdiction to close the field down.

Lets all be more careful!

Thanks

Mike Stoner
Vice President



**April 16 Valley
Flyer
Financials**

Checking Account \$6505.48
 Pay Pal balance: \$935.20
 Total on deposit \$7440.68
 Sincerely, Bob Smith

Treasurer

**April 16 Valley Flyer Member-
ship**

As of April 16, there are 241 members.

The following members need to provide an AMA to the membership director

William Sheppard <svfmeber-ship@yahoo.com>;

Name Member ID

- Cerone, Daniel pending
- Cerone, Jasper Pending
- Chung, Dong pending
- Crick-Stasa, Trentyn pending
- Leonard, Matthew pending
- Nelson, Brad pending
- Perez, Jesus pending
- Pimstone, Elijah pending
- Soltys, Jozef pending
- Somes, Jason pending
- Stasa, Steve pending
- Vidnic, Joseph pending

Bob Smith, Treasurer

JUNE MEETING ENTERTAINMENT

Just a reminder, June will feature Tom Wolf and his scale project, the twin Mosquito.

This is a once in a lifetime shot at some really good scale building!

JUNE RAFFLE

AT THE TUESDAY JUNE 23rd CLUB MEETING



PARKZONE SPORT CUB

This month's drawing will feature the PARKZONE SPORT CUB. Nice sized park flyer with motor and speed control supplied. Enjoy!

Motor Size: 480 Brushless Motor 960Kv (installed)

Speed Control: 18 amp brushless ESC (installed)

Approximate Assembly Time: Less than 1 Hour

Flaps: Optional

Flying Weight: 33.3 oz (945 g)

Fuel Type: Electric

Landing Gear: Yes

Material: Z-Foam

Recommended Motor Battery: 11.1V 3S 1300mAh LiPo battery (required)

Steering: Yes

Wingspan: 51.0 in (1300mm)



RENEW NOW!!!

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Contact: Barbara Brace
 (Membership Director)

babz2008@gmail.com

Please help support your club by purchasing some raffle tickets!

June 5, 6, 7 Q500 Financials

SATURDAY TOTAL ENTRIES		42			
	422 CLASS	13			
	426 CLASS	15			
	424 CLASS	14			
SUNDAY TOTAL ENTRIES		28			
	422 CLASS	10			
	426 CLASS	11			
	424 CLASS	11			
	ESTIMATED EVENT ENTRY DOLLARS		\$1,985	(TWO ENTRIES PAID \$	
TOTAL CASH/CHECKS DEPOSITED FOR Q500		\$2,402			
	KITTY OR CASH DRAWER TO START THE EVENT	\$200.00			
	NET COLLECTED AT EVENT	\$2,202.00			
	FOOD EXPENSE	\$87.00			
	COLLECTED BEFORE FOOD EXPENSE	\$2,289.00			
TOTAL DEPOSIT		2402			
	CASH DRAWER KIITY	\$200.00			
	NET COLLECTED AT EVENT	\$2,202.00			
	ESTIMATED ENTRY FEE TOTAL	1985			
	CONCESSION STAND INCOME BEFORE EXPENSES	\$217.00			
	CLUB INCOME/DONATION FOR DEMONSTRATION	\$600.00			
	MAY JET RALLY INCOME	\$640.00			
	CITIBANK CHECKING ACCOUNT	11,136.93			

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
2055North Hills, CA 91393



TOM WOLF – JUNE MEETING PRESENTATION

Tom Wolf has been building and flying radio controlled aircraft since 1966. His first RC airplane was a Midwest Lil Esquire controlled by a single channel radio with an escapement. He became interested in scale modeling very early and in 1967 he built his first scale airplane, a Curtis Jenny, from plans that were published in a magazine. Other scale aircraft he has built over the years include a Nieuport 11, P-51 Mustang, HP-18 sailplane, Supermarine Spitfire Mk IX, two Grumman TBM-3 Avengers, a Boeing 314, and two Mosquito FBVs. Tom has designed over a dozen model aircraft (scale and sport, powered and gliders), including the

Nieuport, HP-18, Boeing 314, and several original (non-scale) designs.

After participating in numerous scale fly-in events and local club scale contests throughout the years, Tom began competing in scale on a serious basis in 2002 with his first competition being the Gunsmoke Scale Masters Qualifier in Mesa, Arizona. Tom had such a good time at that first event that he was hooked on scale competition, which has been the focus of his modeling activities since then. Tom has competed at eight US Scale Masters Championships and achieved Grand Champion status at the 2013 Championships.

He has also competed at Top Gun three times (2007, 2008 and 2012; 13th, 11th, and 6th place respectively). In addition he has competed at three NW Scale Championships (2012, 2013, and 2014).

Tom has a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering from University of California at Santa Barbara and worked for a defense contractor for 33 years before retiring almost four years ago. Tom is a member of the US Scale Masters Association, the Northwest Scale Aero Modelers, the Santa Barbara RC Modelers and the Ventura County Comets.

WESTERN STATES **2015**
electric FLY

- \$15 Landing Fee
- Park Flyer Area
- Helicopter Area
- 600 ft Runway



JUNE 20/21



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ALL ELECTRIC RC AIRCRAFT WELCOME!

For more information
 CD - BennyElkouby
 bennyel@att.net

Apollo XI Field



Design: Ted Mayer

The Palmdale School visits Apollo



May 8, 2015

Dear Mr. Campbell and the San Fernando Valley Flyers:

Thank you so much for your hospitality yesterday! Juniper students and staff had an amazing time at the Apollo XI Airfield and very much appreciated the opportunity to learn more about the history and science of flight and model aircrafts.

The students had many lively discussions at the park and on the bus ride home, and expressed how much they enjoyed learning about an unfamiliar topic. They loved watching the model planes taxi, take-off, do tricks and land safely on the runway! They especially enjoyed the picture-taking drone, Mr. Santiago and his high-flying tricks, the speedy high-powered jets racing through the sky and, of course, the fact that one jet had a mid-air collision with an unlucky bird!

THANK YOU FOR THE FIELD TRIP. IT WAS QUITE FUN. GINELLE HERNANDEZ
We just wanted to take a moment to thank you all for the memorable experience, as we know many of you took the day off from work or school just to make that opportunity happen for us. We are very appreciative!

Sincerely,
Ms. Lighston, Mr. Lawrence, Mr. Craft and Juniper Students

Kyomi Grant

Destiny Garcia

#purple Robert

Marisol Valdez

Ricardo Roman George Chavez
Thank you for having us!

Jonathan Martinez

Jay Zhu
Turner

Liana Garcia

YAH!!!

Jalily?

Juliano

Ms. Lighston

Natalie Valencia

Noe Ruiz

Thanks for the invite!

Gerardine

thanks it was very cool John Silva

Thank you for planning this field trip
Mariana Moya

Thank you

Thank for taking the time

Adrian Martinez

Yoselyn Torres

We had

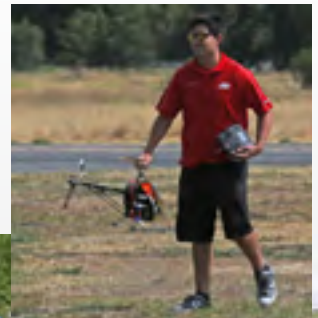
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Alex

Faith Johnson

Steven Berez

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Photos courtesy Winston Brown

VALLEY FLYERS 2015 FUN FLY

& SWAP MEET

SATURDAY JULY 11 TH



**AMA Membership
required.**

**Free Event for
Valley Flyers Club Members**

Non-Members \$10

Flying starts 9am.



ACADEMY OF
MODEL AERONAUTICS

Contact: Chuck Thomson CD
chuckthompson@mac.com
To help with the event and for more
information visit: www.valleyflyers.com

Design: Ted Mayer



Apollo XI Field



LAJETS Summer 2015

SATURDAY JULY 18th



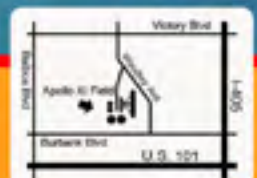
**HIGH
PERFORMANCE
ELECTRIC
AND
TURBINE JETS**

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



Apollo XI Field

(2013 Turbine waiver required for turbines)



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 Matt Carol matt@mattcaroll.com

To help with the event and for more information visit: www.lajets.org

Design by Ted Mayer

The Valley Flyers Presents 2015 Annual

All Scale Fun Fly

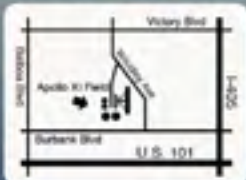


Registration Opens: 8:30am
Flying Starts: 9:00am
Landing fee - \$20
A.M.A. required
(sign up at event)

AUGUST 1st



Apollo XI Field



OPEN TO ANY SIZE, SCALE R/C MODEL AIRCRAFT
Glow • Gas • Electric • Turbine (with waiver) ARF 's
• Giants • Foamies • Helicopters
ANYTHING SCALE!

608' X 82' paved runway No Overnight Camping

Contest Director – Adam Gelbart (310) 435-6581
adam.gelbart@verizon.net

SPECTATORS WELCOME • FREE FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT

Poster design: Ted Mayer

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VALLEY FLYERS FUN FLY

SATURDAY August 15TH 2015 & SWAP MEET



AMA Membership required.

(proof of membership is required)

\$10 for non members

(free to club members)

Flying starts 9am.

Contact: Scott Ramos CD
sramos@earthlink.net

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

Apollo XI Field



DESIGN BY TED MAYER

Board Meeting started at 7:30 at the Denny's Restaurant on Sherman Way in Van Nuys.

Attending Benny Elkouby, Bob Smith, Dave Sweany, Mike Stoner, Tony, di Leo, Ted Mayer, Mark Selkirk, Barbara Brace, Athena Aguila, Winston Brown and Shawn Keermann.

Benny started meeting at 7:30. Thanked veryone for SAE event and Sharron for her 1st time. 530 participants for each day of food will be charged to SAE. Equates to \$2255 check for extra day of food.

\$16611.23 . We had 90 volunteers on Saturday and 70 on Sunday. Two planes crashed almost hitting a spectator. They shouldn't have been in the area. More attention to safety. Work in shifts is good. Don't stay in one spot for entire event.

Week before SAE, Glendale, Benny, Barbara, Rusty and Mike were cleaning up. Not enough resources at 4 people. Salted area but we need water to process. It worked on runway.

Winston need eblast on June events. May30-31st Glendale cleaning days. Palm-dale event had Naccarato as CD, wasn't planned but he is a member in good standing. We'll make hot dogs for around 200 participants. Purchase some drinks but water

is good. Barbara will go to Restaurant depot for hot dogs and buns, small size.

LA Jets will feature hamburgers and we are in supply. Drinks, water and chips are also in supply before expiration date for LA Jets. 160 meals were not paid by SAE due to no fee. Maybe next time charge a nominal fee for extra volunteers. Kodo's to Sharron and Kaycee for their support. We have Sanctions for May, given to Benny by me.

Shed is almost done. Need to LED shop lights. Burt Magbanua will help finish heli shed. Dave needs to give him a key. Winston working on runway fix. The right of source has missed the time window.

\$1800 was 1st estimate Benny got. Another estimate for more work. Need estimate that includes digging out cracks and state they will be supervised for their work. Winston has other resources to help in funding the project. We had an SAE disqualification due to structure failure due to crack in the runway. Dee's source for tax right off will be available again in the future. We have a pilot that will fund the electric repair and upkeep, according to Benny.

Dave will get ice for May. Will offer help in between fixing his house after flood damage.

Thanks Annie and Dave for your help!

We have trainer donations forthcoming, according to Benny.

Mark is having difficulty in maintaining order in heli area. Priority on 1st circle is for heli not quads.

Bob, posters are up for May and sanctions given to Benny. Modeler of month was nominated.

Ralph Rosen still has outstanding donation to be given to the club. Bob will follow up. We will try and recycle EF1 plaques for June race.

Attendees: *Benny Elkouby, Bob Smith, Mike Stoner, Tony di Leo, Ted Mayer, Mark Selkirk, Barbara Brace, Winston Brown, Rusty Cook, Shawn Keermann, Matt Carroll, and Sharon Riberdy*

Meeting was called to order at 7:32 P.M.

Benny reported vandalism of the field. All the windsocks were destroyed and the weather station. There was a broadcast from 10:30 - 10:40 A. M. so it had to have been done before that. A sign was removed but not taken. There was no damage to the solar panels.

Proposed repairs: The weather station will have to be replaced, with the new one not costing more than \$200.00. This will be used as a backup system. It will indicate temperature, humidity and wind. Glenn Row will look into replacement system.

Dave Sweany was not in attendance but reported to Benny that the table tops in the helicopter area reinforcing of the frame.

Burt Magbanua suggested that the way to get the helicopter pilots might be more likely to join the club and adhere to the rules and regulations if they know there will be repairs. Burt is steadily working on the repairs to the helicopter area but would like to have one of the sheds cleared out a little so he can use it for his work.

A helicopter manufacturing company requested a permit to use of a portion of the helicopter area for a demonstration to some VIP's. Valley Flyers will supply the permit. They are going to donate \$600.00 for the club and will use the area on June 13, 2015 from 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM. The far circles will be open for members and the public for use.

Winston Brown will send an e-blast notifying the members and **Sharon Riberdy** will get a sign to post at the field.

The night flight event that was scheduled for October 11, 2015 will be changed to September 27, 2015.

OPEN DISCUSSION

Burt Magbanua reported the renovation of the helicopter area is in process. So far work has been done with little or no club funds. Cables need to be installed.

The park flyers area needs the charging station fixed. A carpenter is needed to do the work. One of the members father will be asked to donate his time.

Treasurer: **Bob Smith** stated that the AMA paperwork for the SAE was submitted, also the May 7th event and the May 9th Olympics. He requested the lists for the Fun Fly and the Jet Fly, Dave will supply ice for Pylon races, **Barbara Brace** will purchase food and drinks not already in reserve supplies, Buns, lettuce, tomatoes, and onions (\$100.00). Propane will be purchased by Rusty Cook but paid for by **Mike Stoner** as a donation. Checking Balance: \$7,689.93 which includes a deposit of \$10.00 for meeting concessions, \$105.00 and \$180.00 for membership, \$90.00 for drawing and \$428.00 for the May 9th Olympic entries. Jet Rally deposit \$644.00 and Food \$124.00.

HOLIDAY PARTY: Suggestion that party be held in a different location. Attendance to be around 50 people. Two locations were suggested.

Benny Elkouby suggested Marakesh with an estimated cost of \$30.00 each and **Mike Stoner** suggested Del Monico's. More to come in future meetings.

SEPTEMBER BARBECUE: Chicken was the suggested food. **Mike Stoner** volunteered to cook. Dessert will not be served until after the main course is over. Dessert tickets will be provided for those who bring a side dish.

Barbara Brace: Membership has been slow. There are possibly new members that will join later.

Mark Selkirk: Helicopter area needs more enforcement of rules and regulations. Rules need to be observed by everyone. There are no separate rules for one and not another.

Ted Mayer: Photos are taken by Athena once in a while. Need to have more constant photography for site.

Matt Carroll: Thanked everyone for a successful Jet Rally and all the help.

Mike Stoner: If we are going to get the Glendale field up and running there are going to have to be more than four volunteers. There will be an e-blast sent out for help. We need to get the basics done to see where we go from there.

Matt Carroll: Suggested the Glendale people need to know about the cleanup on the Glendale field. Flyers already want it but have not volunteered to help. There will be no more money spent until there is sufficient help.

Benny Elkouby: Possible new date for cleanup will be at the end of the month. Need the runway cleaned up, lawnmower need new blades, **Bob Smith** suggested that mower may need to be serviced.

Meeting adjourned at 8:43 P.M.



**LET'S
GO-**

Join the flyers



WINGS FOR VICTORY



San Fernando Valley R/C Flyers

2015 Application for Membership



PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!

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)

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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 Quads
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 2015	

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65 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 2015 the club will enjoy its 65th 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.club 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.

2015 Club Meeting Schedule			
January	27 th	July	28 th
February	24 th	August	25 th
March	24 th	September	22 nd
April	28 th	October	27 th
May	26 th	November	24 th Annual Workers Raffle
June	23 rd	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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(updated April 19, 2015)

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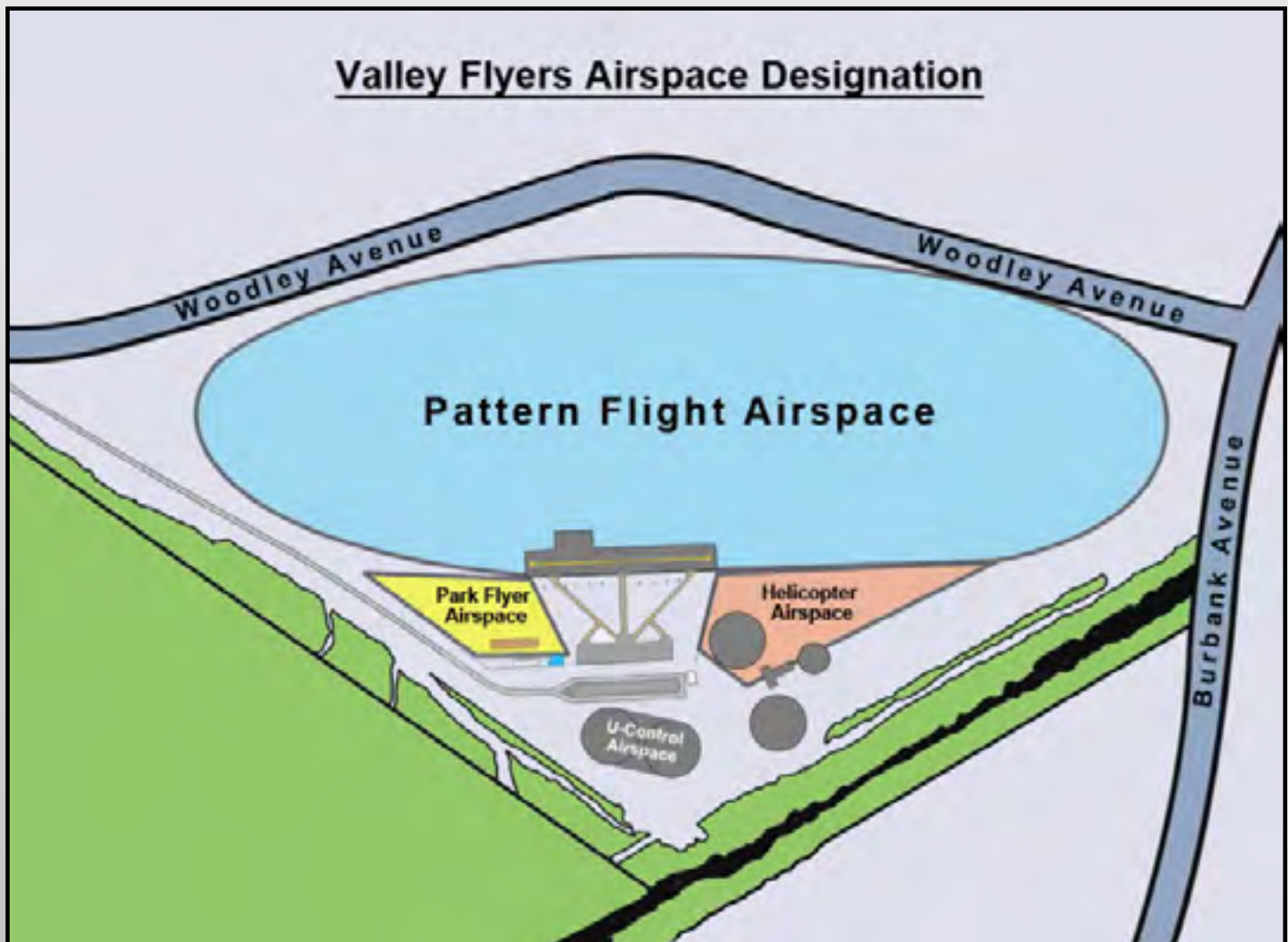
Mon-Sat 10-7 pm, Sun- 10-5pm
8941 Reseda Blvd, Northridge 818-885-8636

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

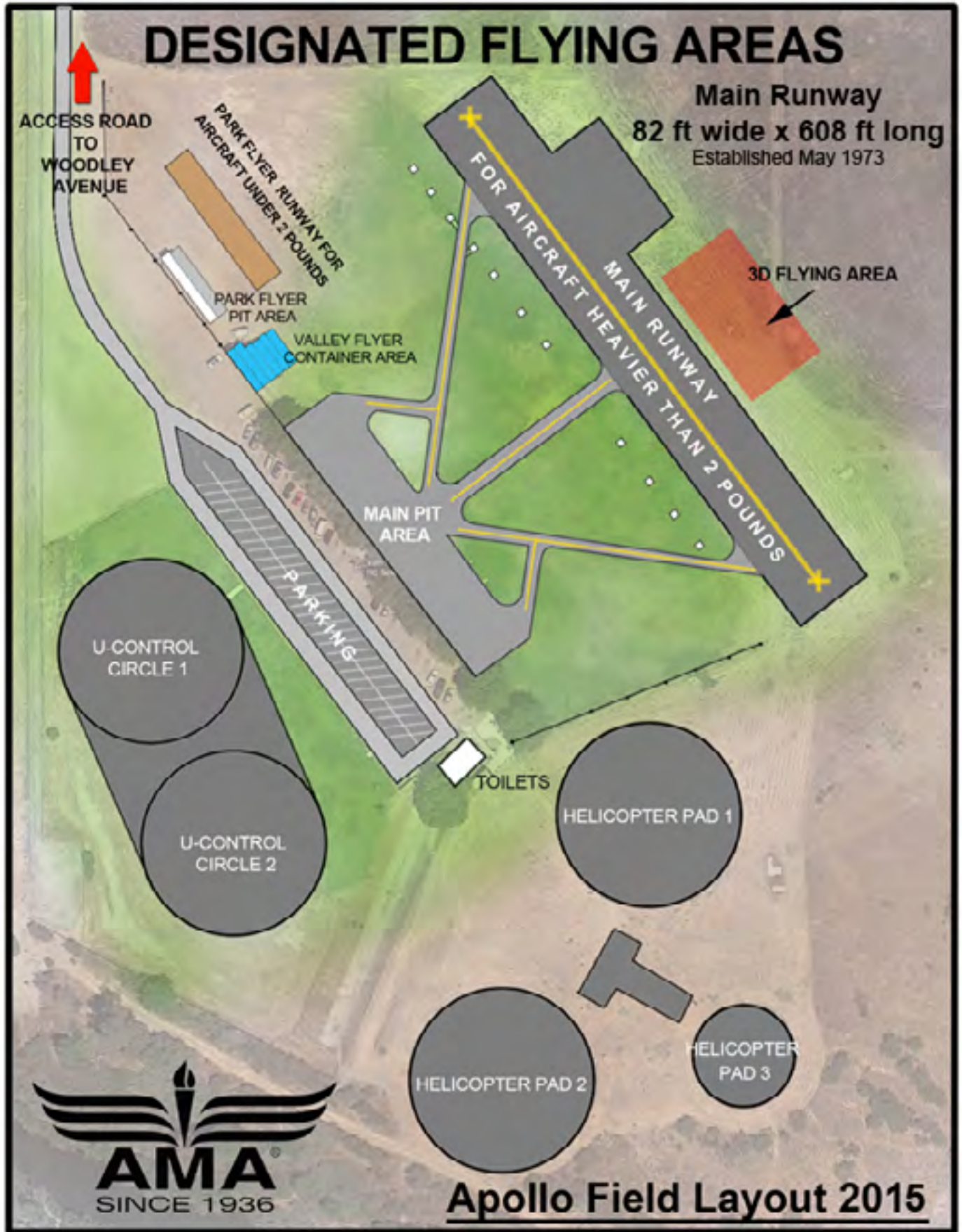
1. All pilots must fly from one of the designated pilot stands.
2. The frequency board will be used at all times and pilots must post their frequency usage with a card or I.D that contains their name or picture I.D.
3. Open flying is restricted during scheduled events.
4. No take offs and landings from 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.***

ADDENDUM TO RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1) Fly from the designated flying areas, no taxi way take offs please to prevent low pass collisions.
- 2) Fly on the runway side with the other flyers, to communicate with each other.
- 3) Call your intentions-Taking Off, Landing, ***Remember Landings have priority.***
- 4) Fly the pattern everyone else is flying, unless you communicate with each other.
The first one out flying dictates direction, or wait til he is finished.
- 5) 3 D stunt flying should be done ***off*** the runways to avoid mid air collisions.
- 6) stay within the boundaries as much as possible to avoid mid air collisions.
- 7) Most of all: new pilots at the airfield, If you think you might need help a lot of us are there to assist you, so you don't crash your plane, or crash into some one. Working on your planes, make sure some one is helping you, I've seen too many times propeller cuts to the pilot or bystander.





Apollo 11 Facility Schedule – 2015

Organized Events Provide Fun & Field Improvements for Everyone!

Date	Time	Event	Contest Director (CD)			
FEBRUARY						
1	SUN	8a-7p	Fun Fly & Swap Meet FREE For VF Members	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
15	SUN	8a-7p	Fun Scale Event	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
MARCH						
14	SAT	8a-7p	Helii Fun Fly	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net NO RC Airplane FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
APRIL						
4	SAT	7a-7p	Pizza Fun Fly / Engine Clinic FREE For VF Members	Bob Smith	661-298-2614	bobthesmith2003@yahoo.com
10-11-12	FRI-SAT & SUN	7a-7p	George Finch Memorial Race Q40/Q500	Douglas Killebrew	818-843-4107	DouglasKillebrew@att.net NO HELICOPTER OR ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
24-25-26	FRI-SAT & SUN	7a-7p	SAE	Sam Gengo	310-702-1049	thevalleyflyer@yahoo.com NO HELICOPTER OR ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
MAY						
7	THUR	9a-12p m	Antelope Valley School - Fun Fly	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
9	SAT	8a-7p	Fun Fly	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
16	SAT	8a-7p	LA JETS Spring	Matt Carroll	805-907-4462	matt@matcarroll.com NO HELICOPTER OR ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
JUNE						
5	FRI 1/2 Day	7a-7p	Q40/Q500 Race	Douglas Killebrew	818-843-4107	DouglasKillebrew@att.net NO HELICOPTER OR ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
6-7	SAT & SUN	7a-7p				
20-21	SAT & SUN	7a-7p 7a-7p	Western States 2 Day Electric Fun Fly SUBMITTED 3/15	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
JULY						
11	SAT	8a-7p	Fun Fly & Swap Meet FREE For VF Members	Chuck Thompson – VF	818-359-3976	chuckthompson@mac.com
18	SAT	8a-7p	LA JETS – Summer	Matt Carroll	805-907-4462	matt@matcarroll.com NO HELICOPTER OR ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
28	TUE	7p-dusk	Club Meeting at Field 7:00 PM	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
AUGUST						
1	SAT	8a-7p	All Scale Event	Adam Gelbart	310-441-9408	adam.gelbart@verizon.net
15	SAT	8a-7p	VF Fun Fly & Swap Meet	Scott Ramos	818-407-1180	sramos@earthlink.net
SEPTEMBER						
5	SAT	8a-7p	All Electric Fun-Fly	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
20	SUN	8a-dusk	VF Fun Fly / Member's BBQ FREE For VF Members	Bob Smith	661-298-2614	bobthesmith2003@yahoo.com
27	SUN	8a-7p	Try & Fly : Public Open House SUBMITTED	Chuck Thompson	818-359-3976	chuckthompson@mac.com
OCTOBER						
11	SUN	8a-7p	OPEN DATE			
NOVEMBER						
7	SAT	8a-7p	VF Fun Fly & Swap Meet SUBMITTED	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
14	SUN	8a-7p	LA JETS – Fall 1 Day SUBMITTED	Bob Wilcox	818-203-4923	bob.w@jetcatusa.com NO HELICOPTER OR ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
DECEMBER						
6	SUN	8a-7p	Toys-for-Tots: Open to all Sizes SUBMITTED	Darrell Martin	818-368-1488	dmartin168@aol.com

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