



**Upcoming Events** 

Saturday March 12th Heli Fun Fly Event **Saturday April 9th**Pizza Fun Fly

**Tuesday March 22nd**General Meeting

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



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



We are still encountering a few problems out at the field. We have new pilot which "Welcome to the club".

Pilots that fly in the Park Flyer area, you need to stay in the cone area

I know there is over lap in the north corner, so watch out for planes flying on the main runway area. Watch all around. Stay out of the golf course also, that's a cause for major complaints. Field ediquite and safety guidelines need to be followed, fly the direction the other pilots are flying, one plane going the wrong direction can cause a mid air accident.

Call all take offs and landings. Landings have priority over any take offs. Fly from the designated flight areas, each area has standing areas. People like to fly at the south end of the park area which is like playing on the 405 freeway, trust me if a plane hits you in the head it will effect the shape of your head. When working on your plane have some one help you especially if your are working on and it is pugged in. Those props hit your hand it will end your day go-

ing to the hospital. They will cut down to the bone. Don't fly into or over the pit areas. Drinking of alcoholic beverages is strictly prohibited. Your flying along with your driving is impaired. This is a big safety concern. You don't want to hurt someone and you want to be thinking clearly. Remember these are not toys. The Quad Boys--- You need to fly in the designated area, which is at the south side of the field, not exceeding Woodley Ave Bike Path, Burbank Blvd Bike Path, and once again the Van Nuys Golf Course property. You can be cited by the authorities, and I hear it can be guite expensive. So why do it?? Everyone deserves to enjoy themselves. Last thing our height limit is 400 ft, try to obide by it. We don't need the Van Airport Police coming by. I will try to put out a list of the safety guidelines the following month. Lets fly safe, if there is a problem let the safety committee handle it.

#### Request:

People that get a new club membership and are requesting flight training- I need to be emailed in advance so I can have a training plane ready.

#### <u>Safety,</u>

Quadcopters need to flown in the Heli area and flown in the field area, I'm observing FPV flight without a spotter, some one needs to be in line of sight when these are flown. That is a FAA rule. Too many times I'll ask where is your quad, and I get a reply of "I don't know." Remember safety first. Height limit is 400 ft, yielding for scale aircraft at all times. The height limit is for all aircraft.

#### **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.* 

#### **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 re

Mike Stoner

VP, Safety Committee

Special thanks to **Jenaro Balanezo** for generously donating six gallons of Powermaster fuel, to the Club.

The gift will be used in our regular events that are coming up this year. These would be our Try-N-Fly, and our training flights etc.,

Thanks Jenaro! Valley Flyers Board of Directors

## MARCH RAFFLE

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## MARCH RAFFLE

#### AT THE TUESDAY MARCH 22ND CLUB MEETING

#### **MARCH 1ST FINANCIALS**

Checking account \$ 6,906.19 PAYPAL \$423.92 TOTAL \$7330.11

Bob Smith, Treasurer

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- Ultra High Level of Scale Detail
- Exclusive and Unique Spitfire Mark
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#### **Includes:**

Full photo manual, All hardware

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## The Runway repair was a huge success!

Many thanks to all the volunteers who came out to help improve the runway, for all the members & pilots to further enjoy.

These volunteers deserve a special thank you the next time you see them at the field.

Tim Arnold, Stephen Moye,

Eddie M., Don Boyer,

Sonny Klamerus,

Sean Bolding,

Scott Howell,

Ron Knight,

Brent Carr,

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Ron Russell,

Steve Roy,

Mike Billick,

Phil Sarabia,

Jonathan Jones,

Cliff Vess,

Benny Elkouby,

Bob Eden,

Bob Taylor,

Ted Mayer,

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Roberto Padilla,

Jim Muhlen,

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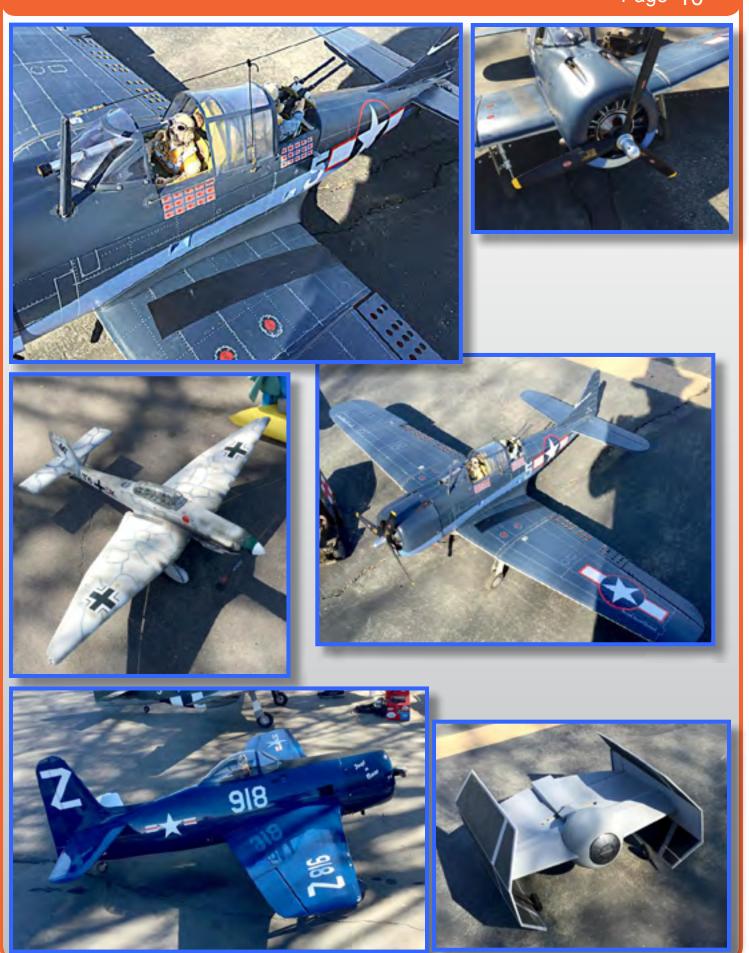
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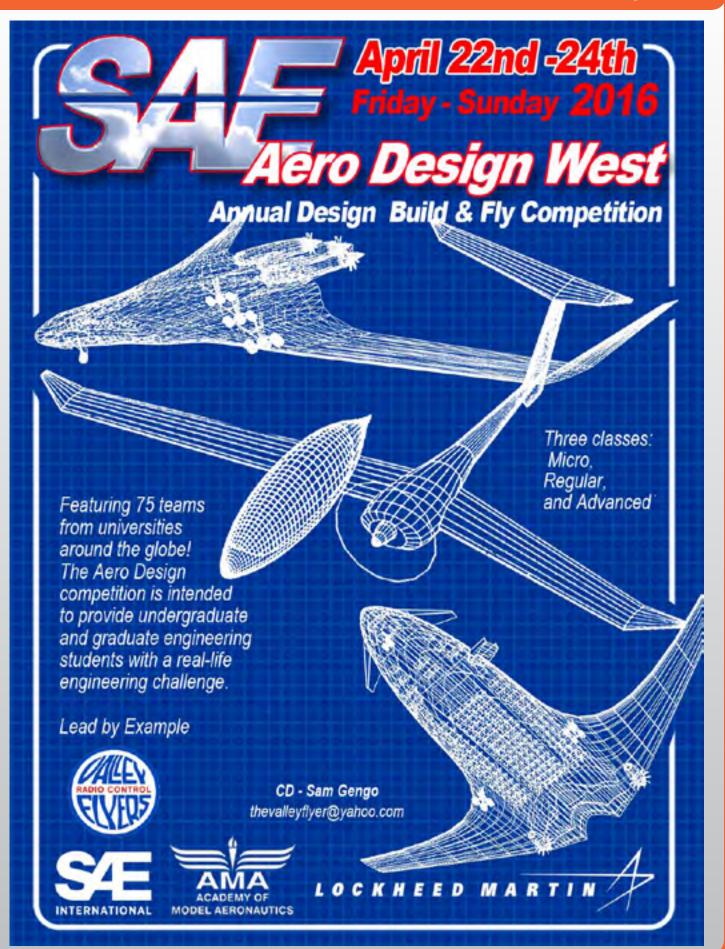


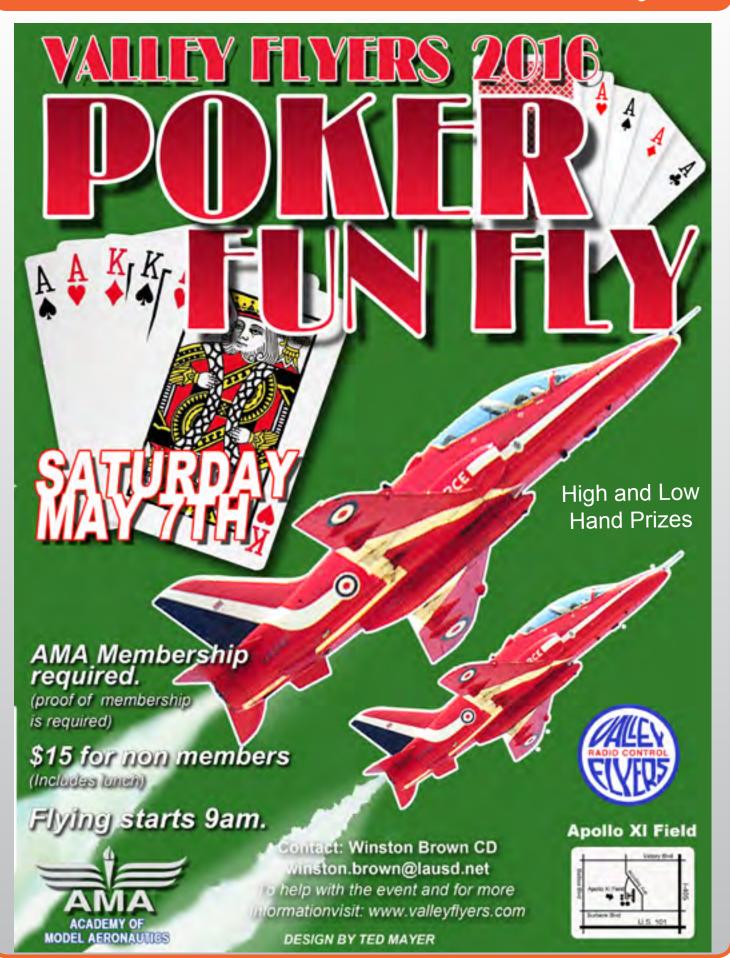
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# FAA and DOT: Your Private Registration Information Will Be Available to the Public

The FAA's FAQ says your private info will remain private.

The DOT and an FAA spokesman think otherwise.

Article By Matt | Dec 18, 2015, 08:44 PM Splash

"The FAA plans to incorporate a search by registration number in the future."

Just when some of you thought the FAA's UAS registration process might be something you could choke down, the rest of us who realized the darker truth involved in the gathering and storage of hobbyist's private information are even more ready to jump ship, even if it is a long way down! An article has emerged on Forbes from contributor John Goglia, claiming that hobbyists that register with the FAA will have their names and registered addressed made public, a statement that sends shivers down my spine.

The article goes on to state that the author felt something was amiss as the FAA F.A.Q states only the FAA, the contractor(s) and law enforcement agencies would have access to drone/rc airplane modelers private information. However, some very different wording came from the Department of Transportation that reads: "all records maintained by the FAA in connection with aircraft registered are included in the Aircraft Registry and made available to the public, except email address and credit card information submitted under part 48 [the new model aircraft registry]." The DOT goes on to say public searches can be performed by registration number as well.

The author then wrote to the DOT, was referred to the FAA, and then received a reply from an FAA spokesperson stating "Initially the Registration system will not have a public search function. The FAA plans to incorporate a search by registration number in the future. Names and addresses are protected by the Privacy Act. The FAA will handle disclosure of such information in accordance with the December 15, 2015 Federal Register notice."

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In my opinion, it seems highly likely that private information - at the very least your full name and possibly your address - will become public information at some point, searchable by anyone with an internet connection. At what point does this turn into a witch hunt, where local law enforcement and/or privacy vigilantes decide to knock on your door after a mysterious multirotor of fixed-wing aircraft is spotted in your area? I would expect we will receive an official reply from the FAA and DOT before the cutoff date of February 19th. Let's hope it happens. Until then, enjoy the total ano-



### Free for 30 days. Five Dollar Fee After. Only One Registration Number.

The rules are out! It looks as if the FAA followed some of the proposed recommendations from their Registration Task Force, and decided to go rogue on others. The FAA just posted the rules this morning, 12/14/2015, just in time for the perceived influx of toy quadcopters on Christmas morning that might fly into restricted airspace by children and dads alike... the threat is real! (ahem).

Here's a summary of the rules:

Registration is required for small unmanned aircraft (UAS) weighing more than 0.55 pounds (250 grams) and less than 55 pounds (approx. 25 kilograms).

Under this rule, any owner of a small UAS who has previously operated an unmanned aircraft exclusively as a model aircraft prior to December 21, 2015, must register no later than February 19, 2016. Owners of any other UAS purchased for use as a model aircraft after December 21, 2015 must register before the first flight outdoors.

Owners may register through a web-based system at www.faa.gov/uas/registration.

Registrants will need to provide their name, home address and e-mail address. Upon completion of the registration process, the web application will generate a Certificate of Aircraft Registration/Proof of Ownership that will include a unique identification number for the UAS owner, which must be marked on the aircraft.

Owners using the model aircraft for hobby or recreation will only have to register once and may use the same identification number for all of their model UAS. The registration is valid for three years. The normal registration fee is \$5, but in an effort to encourage as many people as possible to register quickly, the FAA is waiving this fee for the first 30 days (from Dec. 21, 2015 to Jan 20, 2016).

Will Registered Hobbyist's Information Remain Private?

One question that was not answered involves the Freedom of Information Act. What safeguards will be in place to prevent news agencies from suing the Federal Government for the list of all registered hobbyists under the FOIA? Having private info published could cause a witch hunt by media and vigilante citizens if a drone or rc airplane is reported in your area. I, for one, hope there will be safeguards in place to protect the private information of law abiding citizens that register their rc aircraft.

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## **Drone Registration Scam Sites**

Shortly after the drone registration task force announced their recommendations to the FAA, fake registration websites began to appear. These sites are scamming model pilots to register in an attempt to steal personal and credit card information. Many of these fake sites look credible or appear to belong to the FAA. The FAA recently warning pilots to avoid sites that offer paid services assisting model pilots in the registration process in a post at http://www.faa.gov/news/updates/?newsId=84245. Reports to the AMA about these scamming sites have increased since the FAA UAS Registration site launched on December 21.

As a reminder, the AMA suggests members hold off on registering with the FAA until advised by the AMA or until the FAA's legal deadline of February 19. We are continuing to pursue legal and political remedies to address the registration requirement. You can learn more at http://amablog.modelaircraft.org/amagov/2015/12/17/hold-off-on-registering-model-aircraft/.

Thank you,
AMA Government Relations Team





## 66 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 2016 the club will enjoy its 66th 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.
- <u>The Valley Flyer</u> The club's official newsletter.

Please fill out and sign the membership application. Send the application with a check for the membership dues (make check payable to **The Valley Flyers**) to Valley Flyers Membership, PO Box 2055, North Hills, CA 91393. Alternately, you may bring your application to a Club meeting, or sign up using PayPal® through the paypal@valleyflyers.com portal.

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

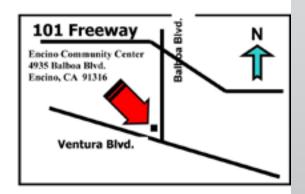
Sharon Riberdy, Membership Director slriberdy@msn.com 818-621-4799

Along with your modest annual dues, you need to have a current membership in the **Academy of Model Aeronautics**. If you are not yet an AMA member, you can sign up by calling 765-287-1256 or visiting **www.modelaircraft.org** online.

#### SFVRCF Club Meetings

Club meetings are held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM. Refreshments will be available. Please bring a couple of extra dollars for refreshments and raffle tickets if you so desire.

2016 Club Meeting Schedule				
January	26 <sup>th</sup>	July	26*	
February	23rd	August	23rd <sup>h</sup>	
March	22nd	September	27th	
April	26"t	October	25**	
May	24°	November	22nd Annual Workers Raffle	
June	28th	December	3rd Holiday Party	



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

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## San Fernando Valley R/C Flyers





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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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## San Fernando Valley RC Flyers, Inc.

## Membership Status

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Accurso, Tony	Renew	2/3/2013	12/31/2016
Adams, Bob	Honorary	3/31/2007	12/31/2016
Aguila, Athena E.	Board Member	12/6/2011	12/31/2016
Arbiv, Moshe	Renew	1/1/2009	12/31/2016
Arjad, Aleu	New-Q3	9/20/2015	12/31/2016
Arnold, Timothy	Renew	11/12/2010	12/31/2016
Atencio, Eddie M.	New-Q1	9/25/2015	12/31/2016
Ausley, Iran	Renew	1/15/2012	12/31/2016
Baier, Bill	Renew	1/8/2012	12/31/2016
Bayer, Don	Renew	1/21/2008	12/31/2016
Bieber, Ricc	Renew	1/1/2007	12/31/2017
Billig, John	New-Q1	9/20/2015	12/31/2016
Bjorlin, Kai	New-Q4	9/20/2015	12/31/2016
Broadnax, Marc	Past President	9/3/2007	12/31/2016
Brough, Ted	Renew	9/13/2011	12/31/2016
Brown, Winston	Board Member	3/31/2007	12/31/2016
Buckman II, Mark	New-Q1	1/2/2016	12/31/2016
Campbell, Bob	Renew	1/6/2012	12/31/2017
Canedy, Brian M.	Junior	8/31/2014	12/31/2016
Carnall, Bruce M.	Renew	4/27/2015	12/31/2018
Carroll, Matt	Board Member	3/31/2007	12/31/2016
Causse, Charles	Renew	3/15/2015	12/31/2016
Causse, Clementine	Renew	3/29/2015	12/31/2016
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Choi, Richard	New-Q1	1/2/2016	12/7/2016
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Cole, Darrow	New-Q1	9/20/2015	12/31/2016
Cole, Nathan	Junior	9/20/2015	12/31/2016
Cotter, Leland	Renew	9/13/2011	12/31/2016
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Dickey, John E.	Renew	2/28/2014	12/31/2016
Dinger, Scott	Renew	1/25/2010	12/31/2017
Dobrovics, Andras	Junior	10/12/2014	12/31/2016
Dobrovics, Attila	Junior	10/12/2014	12/31/2016
Dobrovics, Zoltan	Renew	8/2/2011	12/31/2016
Duenas, Glenn	New-Q4	12/14/2014	12/31/2016
Eden, Bob	Renew	3/15/2010	12/31/2016
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Fullington, Gregg	Renew	1/1/2007	12/31/2016
Garner, Asa	Junior	1/2/2016	12/31/2016
Gelbart, Adam	Board Member	8/24/2007	12/31/2016
German, Weldon	New-Q4	11/9/2015	12/31/2016
Gioia, Gary	Renew	7/22/2009	12/31/2016
Girmage, Sayam	New-Q1	1/2/2016	12/31/2016
Gladchun, David	New-Q1	2/25/2016	12/31/2016
Golin, Craig	Renew	5/14/2013	12/31/2016
Hagins, Steve	Renew	5/23/2011	12/31/2016

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Horvath, Marta	Renew	8/29/2011	12/31/2016
Ignozzitto, Clara	Renew	3/31/2007	12/31/2016
Janiger, Robert	Renew	3/31/2007	12/31/2016
Jones, Jonathan	Renew	11/9/2014	12/31/2016
Klamerus, Sonny Albert Alan	New-Q4	11/7/2015	12/31/2016
Klempner, David	Renew	12/30/2014	12/31/2016
Kovarik, Jim	Renew	1/31/2015	12/31/2016
Lee, Clarence	Honorary	3/31/2007	12/31/2016
Lemick, Mr Steven	New-Q1	1/28/2016	12/31/2016
Lipsey, Joseph	Renew	4/7/2007	12/31/2016
Liu, Marcos	Renew	5/22/2012	12/31/2017
Longo, Wayne	Board Member	1/4/2015	12/31/2016
Mack, Vincent C.	Renew	2/8/2014	12/31/2016
Major, Arthur	Honorary	2/25/2009	12/31/2016
Mayer, Ted	Board Member	1/6/2009	12/31/2016
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Plank, Jon	Renew	3/31/2007	12/31/2017
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Ramirez, Ubaldo "Anthony"	Renew	10/26/2008	12/31/2016
Ramos, Scott	Board Member	3/31/2007	12/31/2016
Reed, Hrothgar Wayne	Renew	4/16/2012	12/31/2016
Replogle, Jay	Past President	3/31/2007	12/31/2016
Reyes, Mario	New-Q3	9/20/2015	12/31/2016
Riberdy, Sharon	Board Member	5/5/2015	12/31/2016
Roberts, Mel	Renew	8/28/2007	12/31/2016
Roe, Glen	Board Member	3/31/2007	12/31/2016
Rollins, Patrick M.	New-Q1	2/19/2016	12/31/2016
Rosen, Ralph	Past President	3/31/2007	12/31/2017
Ross, Bob	Renew	4/5/2014	12/31/2016
Ruback, Mr. Andrew David	New-Q4	10/28/2014	12/31/2016
Ruback, Rudy	Junior	10/29/2014	12/31/2016
Russell, Ron	Renew	4/7/2007	12/31/2016
Sarabia, Phil	Renew	11/7/2009	12/31/2016
Schager, Kevin	Renew	10/3/2011	12/1/2016
Schatz, William	Renew	2/21/2012	12/31/2020
Schimke, Arthur J.	Renew	2/1/2015	12/31/2016
Schleicher, Hans	Renew	3/31/2007	12/31/2016
Selkirk, Mark	Board Member	9/21/2012	12/31/2016
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Staunton, Emanuel Francis	New-Q4	11/7/2015	12/31/2016
Sterling, Finnegan	Junior	10/5/2014	12/31/2016
Stewart, Charles	New-Q1	9/27/2015	12/31/2016
Sullivan, John	Renew	7/26/2011	12/31/2016
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Sweet, Mario J.	Renew	2/26/2008	12/31/2016
Tal, Ariel	Junior	1/2/2016	12/31/2016
Tal, Daniel	Junior	1/2/2016	12/31/2016
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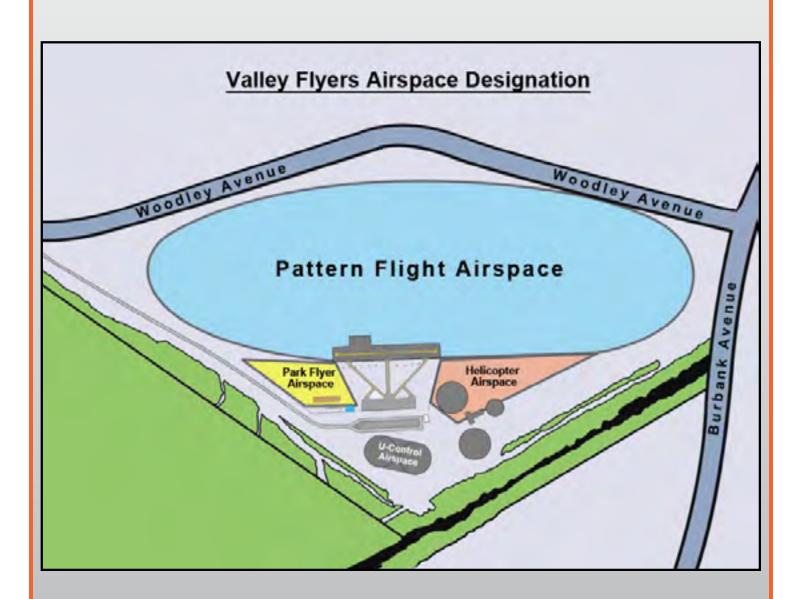
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## Apollo XI Field Flying Regulations

# 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 moving 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

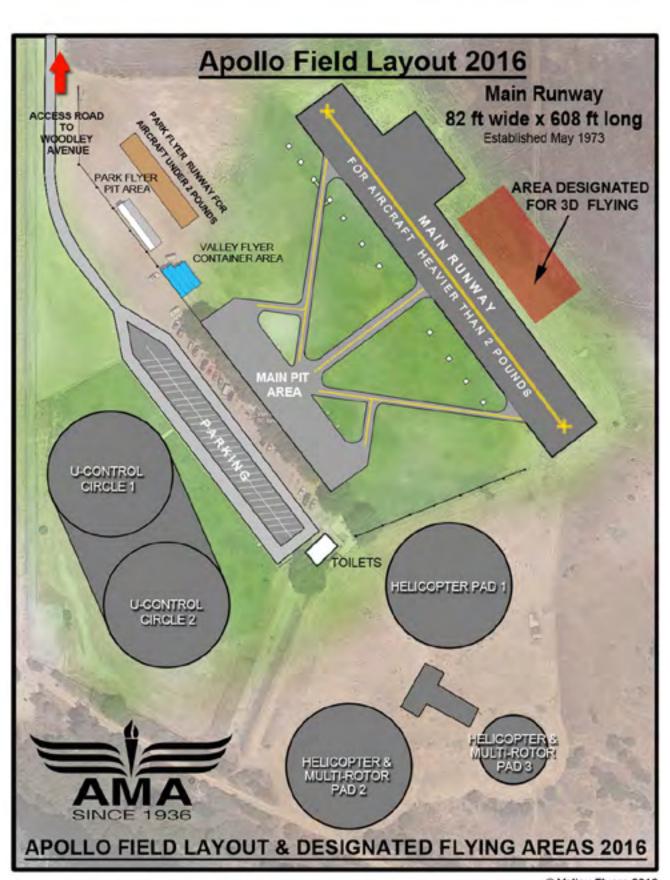
#### **ADDENDUM TO RULES AND REGULATIONS**

- 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 dirrection, or wait til he is finished.
- 5) 3 D stunt flying should be done *off* the runways to avoid mid air collisions.
- 6) tay 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.

#### The following is being proposed as an addendum to the bylaws within ARTICLE III SECTION III REGULAR MEETINGS

To insure meetings are conducted in a way that the President or 'meeting coordinator' has control of who is speaking and for how long, the board of directors is authorizing the 'meeting coordinator' to have complete control of guests that want to speak. If the 'meeting coordinator' anticipates or determines that the guest's subject matter needs to be deferred to the 'board' meeting, he or she, the 'meeting coordinator', is authorized to interrupt the guest from speaking and advise that their discussion will have to be deferred for a board meeting. The 'meeting coordinator' is also authorized to stop the discussion in it's entirety, based on their judgment, determining that the subject is not appropriate for the general meeting, without any explanation or justification.

Any Valley Flyer member in good standing can ask the 'meeting coordinator' to invoke his or her right



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# Apollo 11 Facility Schedule – 2016 Organized Events Provide Fun & Field Improvements for Everyone!



		Time	Event	C	ontest Directo	or (CD)
JANUAR	Υ					. ,
31	SUN	8a-7p	Fun Fly & Swap Meet	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
		0a-7p	FREE For VF Members	Deliny Excody	010-233-9090	bernyergraumen
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13	SAT	8a-7p	Fun Scale Event	Winston Brown	323-243-6146	winston.brown@lausd.net
MARCH						hann nidert out
12	SAT	8a-7p	Heli Fun Fly	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net NO RC Airplane FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
APRIL						
9	SAT	7a-7p	Pizza Fun Fly / Engine Clinic Swap Meet FREE For VF Members	Bob Smith	661-298-2614	bobthesmith2003@yahoo.co m
21-22-23- 24	THUR-FRI- SAT & SUN	7a-7p	SAE	Sam Gengo	310-702-1049	thevalleyflyer@yahoo.com NO HELICOPTER OR ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
MAY						
5	THUR	9a-12p m	Antelope Valley School - Fun Fly	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
7	SAT	8a-7p	Poker Fun Fly	Winston Brown	323-243-6146	winston.brown@lausd.net
14	SAT	8a-7p	LA JETS Spring	Matt Carroll	805-907-4462	matt@mattcarroll.com NO HELICOPTER OR ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
JUNE						FRACIUM
10-11-12	FRI-SAT 8 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
25-26	SAT & SUN	7a-7p 7a-7p	Western States 2 Day Electric Fun Fly	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
28	TUE	7P-9P	Indoor Olympics/Encino Club	Bob Smith	661-298-2614	bobthesmith2003@yahoo.co m
JULY						
9	SAT	8a-7p	Fun Fly & Swap Meet FREE For VF Hembers	Chuck Thompson - VF	818-359-3976	chuckthompson@mac.com
16	SAT	8a-7p	LA JETS – Summer	Matt Carroll	805-907-4462	matt@mattcarroll.com NO HELICOPTER OR ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
26	TUE	7p-dusk	Club Meeting at Field 7:00 PM	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
AUGUST						
- 6	SAT	8a-7p	All Scale Event	Adam Gelbart	310-441-9408	adam.gelbart@verlzon.net
20	SAT	8a-7p	VF Fun Fly & Swap Meet	Scott Ramos	818-407-1180	saramos@earthlink.net
23	TUE	7p-dusk	Club Meeting at Field 7:00 PM	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
SEPTEM	BER					
18	SUN	8a-dusk	VF Fun Fly / Member's BBQ FREE For VF Hembers	Bob Smith	661-298-2614	boothesmith2003@yahoo.com
25	SUN	8a-7p	Try & Fly: Public Open House	Chuck Thompson	818-359-3976	chuckthompson@mac.com
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1	SAT	8a-7p	All Electric Fun-Fly	Benny Elkouby/Mike Stoner	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
6-7-8-9	THU-FRI- SAT-SUN	8a-7p	NMPRA Q40 CHAMPIONSHEP	Douglas Killebrew	818-235-9098	Douglaskilebrew@att.net NO HELICOPTER OR ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
NOVEME	SER					
5	SAT	8a-7p	VF Fun Fly & Swap Meet	Benny Elkouby	818-235-9098	bennyel@att.net
12	SAT	8a-7p	LA JETS - Fell 1 Day	Matt Carroll	805-907-4462	matt@mattcarroll.com NO HELICOPTER OR ELECTRIC FLYING ANYWHERE ON PREMISES
DECEMB	ER					
4	SUN	8a-7p	Toys-for-Tots: Open to all Sizes	Darrell Martin	818-368-1488	dmartin168@acl.com

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BSS	Black Sheep Squadron	Peanut scale, miniature, electric, and indoor aircraft
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VF	Valley Flyers	San Fernando Valley R/C Flyers flying club

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