

Palomar RC Flyers

Transmitter



Build & Fly

November 2013

President's Column

On November 2nd the Palomar RC Flyers will be hoisting Flying to Fight Cancer, F2FC, at our annual year end swap meet. We've invited AMA members in our area to come for the day to participate in the swap meet and to enjoy the day flying at our wonderful facility. We'll be asking those that participate to make a \$5 donation to F2FC. In addition to a \$5 donation from those that are selling and flying there will an open raffle supported by sponsors of F2FC.



All donations will be donated toward cancer research at one of our local children's hospitals. Come on out and support this event, have fun selling, buying, and flying, or just enjoy the day, make some new friends, let's show the RC community what a fun and friendly club is all about!

Our November meeting on the 21st will be our annual club auction. I have confirmation from George Dawe that he will be the auctioneer. This is all ways a fun meeting, so whatever you don't sell at the swap meet bring to the meeting and donate to the auction, all proceeds go the club general fund. I've seen some really good deals at this event in the past, so bring some cash.

Oh Yah; don't forget to vote! You should get a ballot for club officers and board members with your membership renewal. If you don't return your ballot for club officers by mail bring it to the November meeting and turn it in. The voting is tallied and the results will be announced at the end of the meeting.

The club will be hoisting Civil Air Patrol Cadet Squadron 714 from Escondido Charter High School on November 16th for hands on RC flying with our instructors and club trainers. Club members are welcome to come out and support this event by helping as spotters and general support. Bring your planes out for show and fly a demo flight for the cadets. These are some well deserving fine young men and all have a fascination with aviation, you'll enjoy meeting them.

See you at the field. Bill Hill, President of the Palomar R/C Flyers, Inc.

PALOMAR R/C FLYERS' CHRISTMAS/HOLIDAY PARTY

Saturday December 14, 2013 6 pm to 9 pm

@ CLUB MEETING ROOM IN SAN MARCOS

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DOOR PRIZES

COME VISIT WITH YOUR FRIENDS AND HAVE A WON-DERFUL EVENING OF FUN AND GOOD FOOD.

Tickets on sale from Vice President Patrick Pranica.

Editor's Corner:

Caring pilots clean up after themselves when they are finished, and we who follow, appreciate your thoughtfulness. Thank you to those who think of others and clean up. We appreciate you.

As Heard at the Field

Bob Peterson arrived at the field on Oct. 3 and said, "Wow! It wasn't windy like this at my house." To which another club member said, "You're right. It wasn't windy until you got here!"

On Oct. 15, on a calm morning as Bob Broughton arrived at the field, he noticed the windsock standing down. He remarked to Patrick Pranica, "The windsock is flaccid today."

Alcohol @ Field

These alcohol containers were found at the field on 10/19/2013. Alcohol is not allowed at our field according to our by-laws.

Bruce Allen is a member of the Lakeside First Weedwacker Aero Squadron. As reported in his club's October 2013 newsletter, *Hangar News* on page 3, it says: Bruce was flying Horizon Hobbies Apprentice S (Safe) which has built in stabilization. He was flying straight and level when the plane pitched nose down and flew straight into the ground. He reported it to Horizon Hobbies and they agreed to replace it.

Editor's comment:

Since Bob Broughton is flying this plane, Bob, if you crash, you now have a published excuse.

The student pilot in your editor's Tiger Moth. (Butch Abongan would probably approve this photo. Joe Buko-editor



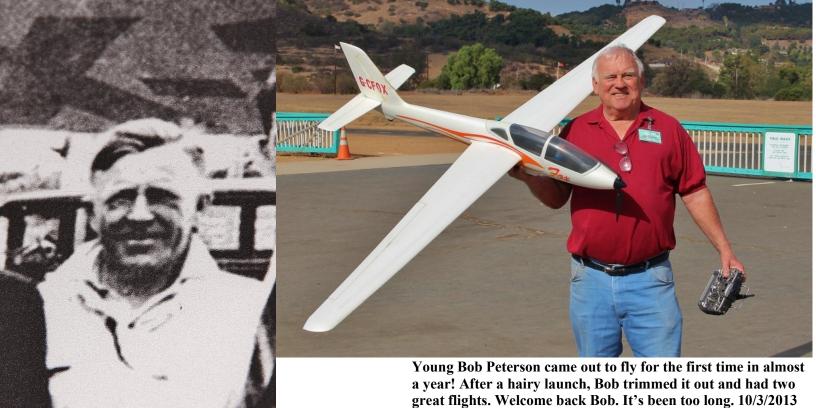






Evan Davidson

Bob Peterson



This ancient photo of Bob Peterson can be found at the Air and Space Museum in San Diego in the rotunda, at the Spirit of Saint Louis exhibit. Bob worked on the Spirit as a 'young' man. NOT!





President Bill Hill flew this F-18 on Oct. 1, 2013. This electric pusher flies well. He gave it to Patrick Pranica!



Raymond Fischer flies a .40 size trainer that was given to him. He flew it well.



Paul Schubarth is still flying his T-28 while Greg LaVay looks on. It almost looks like Greg has a toothache. Below, his plane looks great in the air.



Helis At Our Field



Don White helps Tinmoney with his heli on Oct. 19, 2013, a picture-perfect day. It was about 80 degrees, no wind, and low humidity. In other words, it was a usual day in paradise here in North San Diego County!



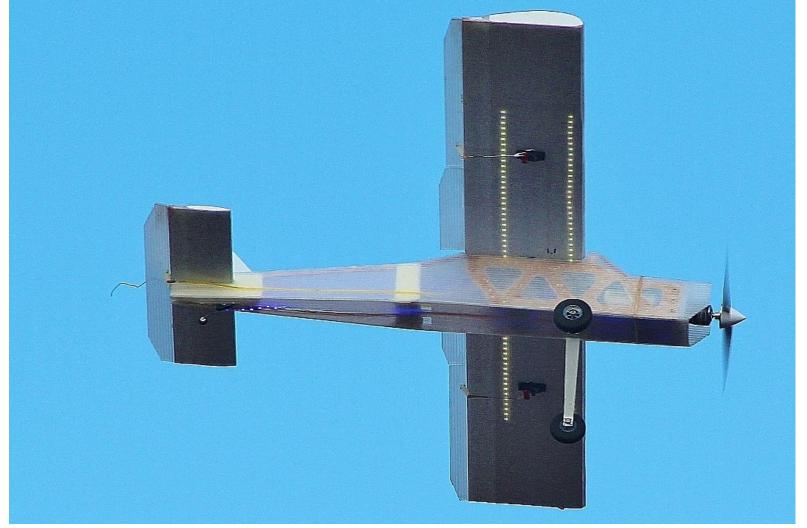


Tengly Tan and his colorful heli.













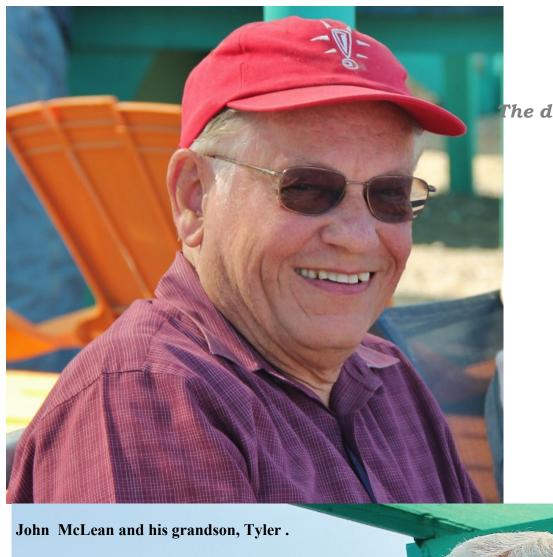
This 1929 Travel Air is being propped by it's owner, Victor Lanz on Oct. 15, 2013. Eldon Keele built it in the late 1970's and it's still flying. It has a nine foot span, weighs 26 pounds and flies like a full-scale ship.



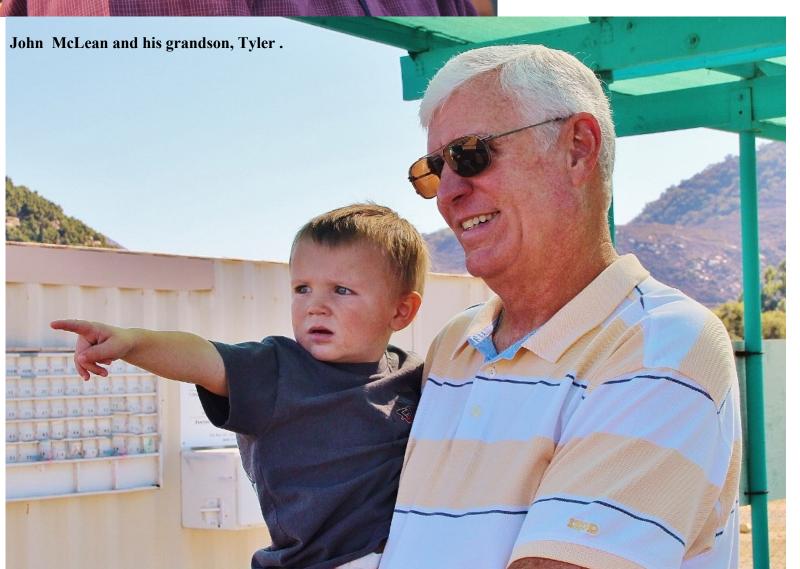


10/15/2013 Victor Lanz on the right and his friend Rene from Canada. Victor's plane is shown below in the air.





The distinguished Merle Jaeger



MODEL OF THE MONTH FOR OCTOBER 2013





James Gallacher won Model of the Month for October with his plans-built Fiesler Storch, a German light observation STOL plane from the mid-30's. With its leading edge slots, it takes off in a few feet, and lands like a bird. Its slow flight characteristics can't be matched by any other scale, non 3-D, bird. Jim built it about 6-7 years ago. Congratulations for a beauty!

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OCTOBER 2013 CLUB MEETING





Alan Avellino and his son, Chris. Alan I from Philadelphia, PA. and was accidentally severely injured on the job as a police officer when in his early 20's. He came to our meeting for the first time on Oct. 17, 2013. Chris will become our new club secretary in January when Don Wadlington retires from that position. *Welcome aboard, Chris!*



Welcome to new member Dale Burlington!

Don White—Could he be our next heli-chairman? We can always hope!



Steve Maggi, a friend of our Safety Coordinator, Jim Jenkins, gave a fine presentation about some of the reptiles we might encounter at the field or here in Southern California. Many people let their pets go when they become too large and when they are found, Steve is called to rescue them. Following are some of the animals he brought to our club meeting. Thanks for a very engaging presentation. We enjoyed your time with us.



This bearded iguana can probably use a shave.







Jim Jenkins generously presented his \$50 Door Prize that he won to Steve Maggi for his work with reptiles.





AS SEEN AT THE FIELD by ETHEL BURKE



This is Charlie Wajdak (and wife, Kay) with new P-384Lightning built by Ed Ramsey (on left) from a Royal kit. It is powered by twin OS-SF 46 two-stroke reverse rotation engines running 11 x 6 props. The wingspan is 74 $\frac{1}{4}$ in. and it weighs 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ lbs. It has on-board glow with Spring Air retracts and is covered with chrome and red UltraCote. (Ethel Burke photos on this and the next three pages)



Denver Bates has a new Piper Cub J-3 ARF from World Models. It is powered by a 1 cu. in. Saito 100 glow engine running a 14 x 4 prop. The wingspan is 84 in. and it weighs 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs.

John Cutler is flying this Vyper ARF from 3D Hobby Shop. Special "Thank You" goes out to Ron Madison for the wreckage and to John Hartsell, Sr. for the loan of a DLE-20cc gas engine to try out this rebuilt frame. A new fuselage was rebuilt, wing repaired, and new canopy replaced. The wingspan is 65 in. He is running a 16 x 8 prop and it weighed in at 9 lbs. The maiden flight was successful, and this repaired Vyper is back to flying well again.



Frank Burke has a new Big Stick ARF from Great Planes. It is powered by a DLE-55cc gas engine running a 3-blade carbon fiber Biela 20 x 10 prop. It has a wingspan of 81 in. with a 22 oz. wing load, and it weighs 14 lbs. 11 oz. The tail was modified with a new straight vertical stab and rudder.



Roy DeMille is flying this new Sundowner with a 64 in. wingspan from Hangar 9. It has an E-flite Power 60 motor; an E-flite 60 amp ESC; and a 4000 mAh 14.8 volt battery.



This is my new plane built from a 1948 plan. It's a Keil Kraft Super 60 I have fitted with an OS-25. I am using it as a trainer. I use a buddy box and it's been very successful. The new lads love it.

Graham Lloyd from U.K.





Evan Davidson had a successful maiden flight with this new Vision Aire electric foam plane from Park Zone. It has an Outrunner 1250 Kv brushless electric motor, 40 amp speed control, and 3 cell 2200 mAh battery. It has an AS3X stabilization system installed. The wingspan is 45 in. and the fuselage is 42 in. long and it weighs 43.7 oz.

These are photos of the ten men who are running for board members. When you vote, this will help you to remember who they are.



Joseph Villarreal- present board member



Roger Cosio- present board member



Past board member Allen Wolstenholme

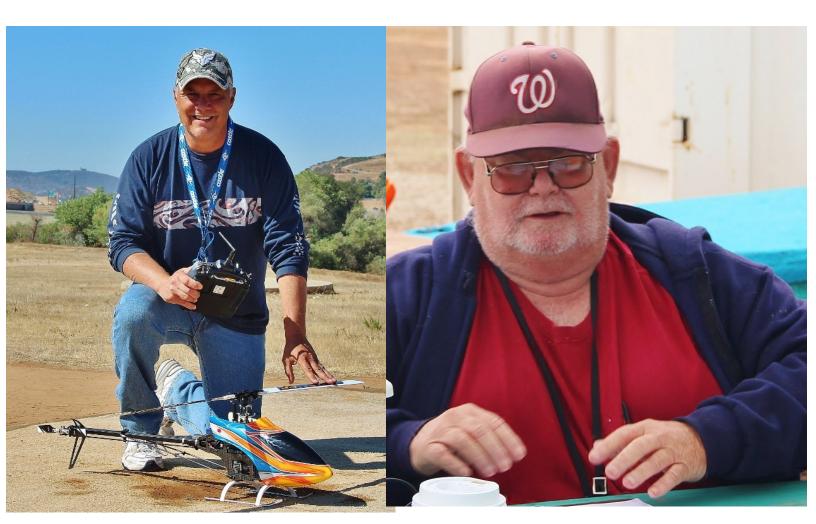


Chuck Riley



Denver Bates present board member

James Jenkins present safety coordinator



Scott Dedic present heli chairman+ board member

Darrell Albert—past board member



Tim Hitchcock

David Drowns present board member

COMBAT MEET 10/19/2013

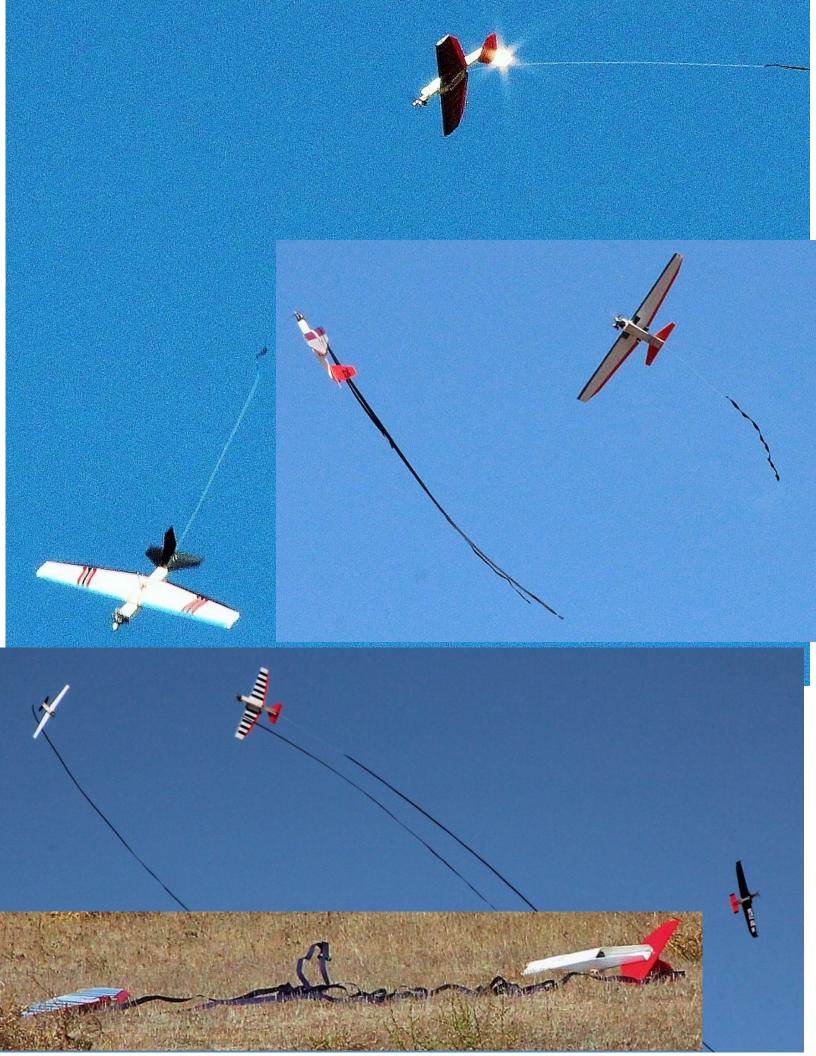


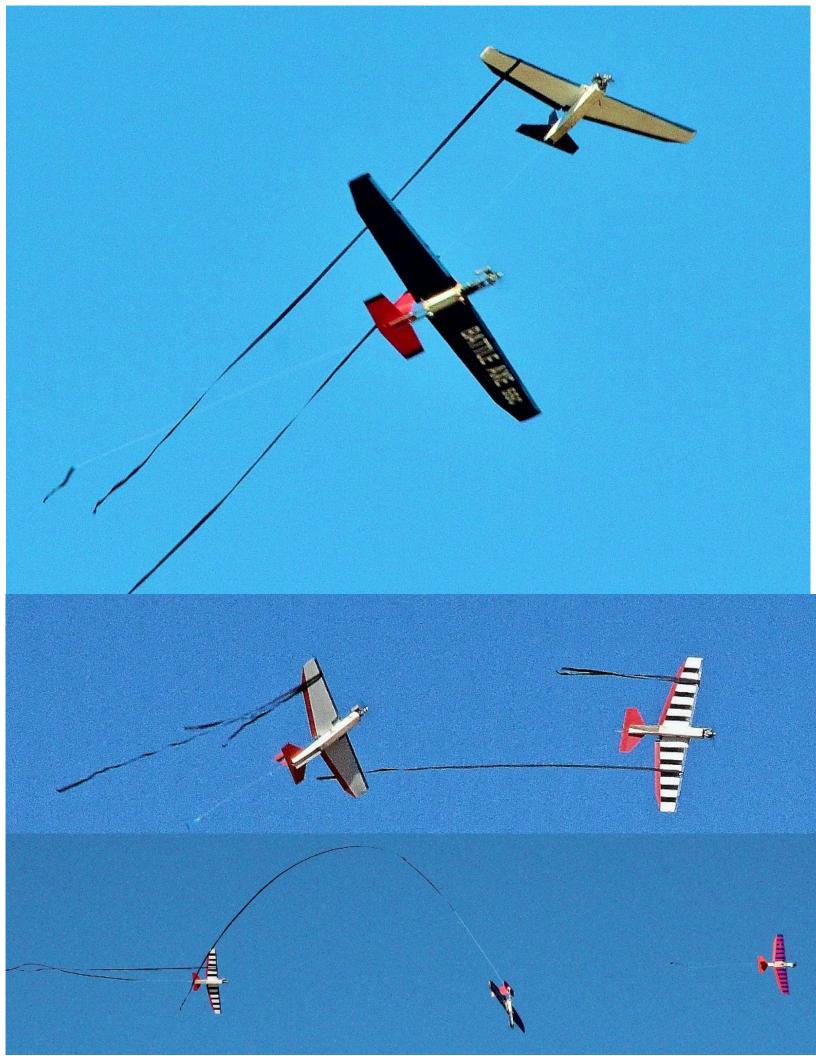
Sean O'Connor

Charlie Riley, LesCrook (Virtual Member), Tim Hitchcock, Todd Melton



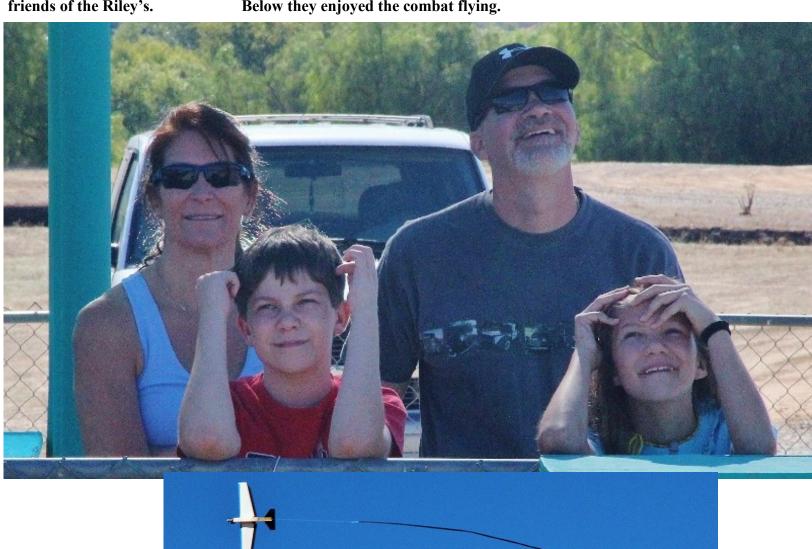








Pam, Keith, Alexander, and Trinity Lawson before combat. The family during combat flying. The Lawsons are friends of the Riley's. Below they enjoyed the combat flying.





Patrick Jaksch, the editor's grandson, enjoyed the combat meet so much that he stayed until it ended.



Combat pilot Charlie Riley and his friend, Adam Scott



Sally

and

Dale Burlington



Tim Hitchcock Chuck Riley



Todd Melton



Board members Roger Cosio and Ron Schuyler cooked for the combat event. Thanks to these two generous men for a job well-done!



Oct. 23, 2013, club members L/R: Don Wadlington, Patrick Pranica, Richard Mack, Bill Hill, Bob Broughton, Joe Buko visited Richard Mack at the San Diego Air and Space Museum. Richard Mack volunteers at the Museum working on creating airplanes for display in the Museum. (Below a Consolidated PB2Y Catalina)





Oct. 29, 2013 the morning after a night rain. That's John Binikos above and his Stick can be seen over our runway.

General Membership Meeting Minutes. October 17th, 2013.

Call to Order:

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The Meeting was called to order at 7:15pm by the Club President.

Welcome Visitors and Guests:

The Members welcomed Dale Burlington, Clay Longson and Allan Avellino to the meeting.

Motion:

A motion was made and seconded, to waive reading of the minutes and accept them into record as published in the Transmitter.

Financial Report:

Sean O'Connor reported that the Club bank balance is currently, \$40,187.00.

Club Business:

- 1. Joe Villarreal gave a report on the recent night fly. Joe stated, "about twenty people came out to join in on the fun". This was the first such event for our Club. "The lighted planes were nothing short of spectacular in the dark sky".
- 2. The Club nominations came to a close at the meeting. The nominees for Club Officers are: President, Bill Hill. Vice President, Patrick Pranica. Secretary, Chris Avellno. Treasurer, Sean O'Connor. Membership Chairman, Varley Longson. Board nominations are: Darrell Albert, Denver Bates, David Drowns, Joe Villarreal, Jim Jenkins, Allen Wolstenholme, Roger Cosio, Scott Dedic, Chuck Riely and Tim Hitchcock. Ballots will be mailed out, along with membership renewal notices, in November.
- 3. The next Combat event will be held Saturday, October 19th.
- 4. The Club Swap Meet / Fly-in is scheduled for Saturday, November 2^{nd} . The gates will open at 7:00 am and open flying will continue throughout the day. A barbeque lunch is scheduled around noon time. All proceeds from this event will benefit the Flying to Fight Cancer Organization.
- 5. The table rebuild program is proceeding. Ray Fisher will help with the design and construction will take place at Bill's house. We intend to replace four tables and refurbish the others with new tops and carpeting.
- 6. The Holiday Banquet is scheduled for Saturday, December 14^{th} . The hours are 6:00 pm until 9:00. Patrick Pranica is handling the details and will be sending out an email to the membership in November to share the ticket information.
- 7. Bill reminded the members that we will be hosting the CAP Cadets at Johnson Field on November 16^{th} . A lunch time barbeque will be provided.

Member Recognition: Outstanding Contributions.

The Membership recognized Chuck and Melodye Micheli for their efforts at providing the refreshments for our Club meetings.

Special Interest Group Reports: Heli, Combat and Instruction:

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1.Don White talked about two recent Heli events to the Members. Don recapped "Rotors Over the Bay" held at Silent Flyers Field, in San Diego. Don also touched upon the 2013 Heli-Freak event held in northern California.

2. The Club Flight Training Program is ending for this year. The final date is Monday, October 21^{st} . Thanks to Dennis Newbeck and all the instructors for a great year.

Best Practices / Safety:

Jim Jenkins arranged for Steve Magi to talk about the reptiles we might encounter at our flying field. Steve brought along cages containing lizards, turtles, and a large number of snakes to show the membership. His vast knowledge of reptiles made for an entertaining presentation.

Guest Speakers / Presentations:

Following the break, Jim Jenkins discussed a proposed new organizational chart for our Club. Jim talked about the chart's function and purpose within the Club. The chart lists the Club President at the top, with the Executive Staff on one side and the Board of Directors on the other. Below these positions are seven committees consisting of: Flight Training, Combat, heli, Housekeeping & Grounds, Food and Beverage, Special Events, Club meeting Snacks. Each of the committees would have a Chairman and volunteers to help with that particular Club function. Jim indicated that this outline has been successful within other clubs he has been a part of. This proposal is new to our Club, and will be a topic of discussion for 2014.

Tool of the Month:

John Cutler shared a construction tip with the Members. John talked about using foam board as a material for making templates. The foam board is inexpensive and easy to shape, in comparison to other materials you might use such as wood.

Model of the Month:

Jim Gallacher displayed his Feisler Storch for the group. Jim's model is electric powered and has a wingspan of 65". Jim said it flies "very slow and predictable" and is a joy to fly. Larry Adams brought his Pitcairn Autogyro to display. Larry's model is being built from plans by Whirlybird Aviation. The Model of the Month Award for October was presented to Jim Gallacher.

Door Prize and Adjourn:

This month's \$50 door prize was won by Jim Jenkins.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:53pm.

The Meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by Bill Hill. 42

- 1. Bill updated the Board on the table rebuild. Four new tables have been built and painted. Bill will transport these to the flying field and bring four tables back to be refurbished with new tops and paint. We have 14 tables but not all are in need of repair. The work continues.
- 2. The Club has not had a response regarding the liability release from our landlord. The Board voted to publish the original release in the Transmitter and not wait to hear from the Pappas Corp.
- 3. The Board voted unanimously to award a free membership to all of the flight instructors again this year. The program produced 12 new pilots as a result. A "special thanks" was given to Dennis Newbeck for leading the Instruction Program and making it a success.
- 4. The Board authorized an expenditure of \$200 for a "end of season" dinner for the Monday night flight instruction team.
- 5. The Joslyn Senior Center in San Marcos has been reserved for our Club meetings in 2014. The paper work will be filed shortly reserving The Center in Escondido for the monthly Board meetings.
- 6. This Saturday, November 2nd, is the Club Swap meet / Fun-Fly. All sellers and flyers must register at the field on Saturday to meet the AMA guidelines for our event. A \$5 donation will be required to sell or fly. Mike Castillo, chairperson for "Flying to Fight Cancer", will be conducting a raffle as well. All proceeds above expenses will be donated to his organization and go to a Children's Hospital. Gates open at 7:00 am.
- 7. We will be hosting the CAP Cadets at Johnson Field on Nov. 16th. Our cooking crew will be firing up the grills at lunchtime. Come out and join the fun.
- 8. The topic of Club T-shirts was discussed by the Board. Pricing, designs, when to have them ready, etc was debated. It was decided that this will be put on hold until after the busy holiday season.
- 9. The Christmas Banquet planning was re-capped for the Board Members. Bill presented a quote from Café Caterer's in San Marcos. Their estimate came in at \$2000. Other quotes are still being sought for the catering. A "blast e-mail" will go out in November as a reminder to purchase tickets from Patrick Pranica our VP. The date is Saturday, December 14th. 6:00 till 9:00 pm.
- 10. Bill discussed a phone call he received from a Mr. John Bennett. Mr. Bennett is Noise Abatement Officer, for the County of San Diego. A noise complaint has been filed against the Club with the County. The Board discussed hiring a third party to do a noise survey at the field and surrounding areas to see exactly where we stand with regard to county regulations. This will be a topic of further consideration in the new year.
- 11. The key exchange will take place in January. Glenn Pohly and Varley Longson have handled this for the Club in past years. Glenn notified the board of an up-coming expenditure for keys and locks. The board will authorize money to be spent to replenish our key and lock reserves.

The Meeting was adjourned at 8:43 pm.

By: Don Wadlington

FOR SALE FOR SALE



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5 planes in various stages of having been crashed (parts)
7 engines (some new in box)
4 star 40 new in box
Wattage Pf 12 Park Flyer charger
#4 4X4 sheets of coroplast, red, white, blue
Box of various parts
2 RC cars, 2 engines

Think if I sell the engines for \$25 the attached airplane and parts are free (servos etc). One red airplane + engine is fairly intact, \$50 4 star 40 \$50 Coroplast all for \$5 Charger \$10 Cars, \$50, one is fairly sophisticated

Thanks



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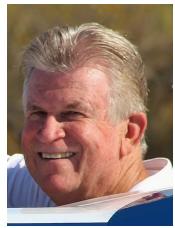
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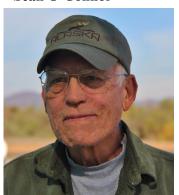
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