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Southern Alameda County Radio Controllers

President: Jim Solar

Secretary: Matt O'Sullivan

Vice President: Bob Freshwater

Treasurer: Jim Utley (510) 352-3150

There was no Board Member meeting for February 2012

Board Members in Attendance:

Vice President: Bob Freshwater

Matt O'Sullivan—Secretary

Jim Utley—Treasurer

Jeff Whitney—Past President

Art Vargas—Director at Large

Board Members in Absence:

President: Jim Solar

Open Chair—Director of Communications.

Minutes

Accepted as published

New Members/Prospects

We have lost approximately 15 members from last year. The following new members were present and voted in to replace some of those members:

Jerry Crouch, James Ogg, Dez Visperas, Ryan Carcher, and George Ellison.

Treasury Report

Jim Utley presented the report, it was voted on and accepted.

Secretaries Report

This was Matt O'Sullivan's first meeting his report will follow at the March meeting.



Minutes of the 2/11/2012 General Membership meeting by: Matt O'Sullivan**Minutes**

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Field Report

Art Vargas said the field is looking good and because of the weather there will not be a work party for a few weeks. The one thing he would like to remind everyone is please pick up your debris. Blade tips and other parts have caused damage to other planes. In the case of jets (EDF) the pick up the parts on takeoff or landings. There is no garbage pick up at the field so please take your garbage home, we want to keep the field clean.

People Behaving Badly

No citations or warnings have been issued for the month but the board would like to inform the members that there will be less warnings and more citations issued for those who break the rules. The Club has had problems keeping Field Marshalls because when warnings are issued the members have become irate. Please keep in mind the Field Marshalls are there to remind us when we are breaking the rules and keep the field safe for all of us.

Old Business

Jeff Whitney reported the AMA has approved

our up coming events and the posters will be ordered.

New Business

We no longer have a dummy of the month so it was suggested we have a model of the month competition. The motion was made, second, voted and approved. There will be a prize awarded with a minimum of 2 entries. The prize has yet to be determined by the board.

Announcements

We received a letter from the Viola Blythe Fund thanking the club for the \$500.00 donation given last November.

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Member of the month

We like to thank Gary Rebiski for spending several hours fabricating new bushings for our wind sock. While replacing the sock Bob found the holes for the pole elongated and badly worn. Greg was on site seen what needed to be done, went home, made the bushings and returned a few hours later where they were installed with the new sock. Great Job!!

Jeff Whitney suggested we have a Posting in the news letter for members that would like to trade, sell or give away there RC planes or parts. For those who would like to participate please contact Jeff at- jeff.whitney@sbcglobal.net or myself Steve Hoyt at shoytjr@att.net.

Art Vargas did a great job in demonstrating how to repair a foam airplane (EPO)

We appreciate all the tips Art had for us and a good reminder to save all the pieces.



The following pages are poster of upcoming events with their location, date and time.

TRIANGLE SERIES 2012
T-34 & UNLIMITED WARBIRD
R/C PYLON RACES

MARCH 31ST, 2012

@ Fresno, CA

Home of the Fresno Radio Modelers Club

World Models T-34 Mentor Class

O.S. 46 AX & Thundertiger .46
 Stock engines only

Details:

Bronze (Novice), Silver and Gold Classes
Championship Points Challenge
Trophies – 1st thru 3rd



Unlimited Warbird Class

Wing Area vs Engine Displacement

Details:

No Break-Out times

One Class

Championship Points Challenge

Trophies 1st thru 3rd

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World Models Mfg / Airborne Models, Bob Smith Industries, Horizon Hobby, O.S. Engines, Hobbico, YS Parts & Performance, Norred Aero Products, RC Accents, RCAT Systems, APC Props, www.omsightsigns.com

Race Notes:

- Pre-Registration Available
- Frequency / Race Number registration required
- Limited to first 65 registered pilots
- Public raffle

Race Day Schedule:

- Pre-Registration open 30 days prior to event
- Race Day Registration / Pilot Check-in open until 8am
- Pilots meeting at 8:30am
- Heat Races start 9am SHARP!

Event Contest Director : Bryan Freeman

Email: BryanFreeman@yahoo.com

For more information, please contact Kevin Norred @ 408-482-5437 OR Email TriangleSeries@rcpylonscng.com
 VISIT www.rcpylonscng.com

TRIANGLE SERIES 2012

T-34 & UNLIMITED WARBIRD R/C PYLON RACES

JUNE 9TH, 2012

@ Morgan Hill, CA

Home of the Santa Clara County Model Aircraft Skypark "Tomcats"

World Models T-34 Mentor Class

O.S. 46 AX & Thundertiger .46
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Email : Stevejsmith2001@hotmail.com

For more information, please contact: Kevin Norrad ☎ 408 / 82 3 37 OR Email TriangleSeries@rcpylonracing.com
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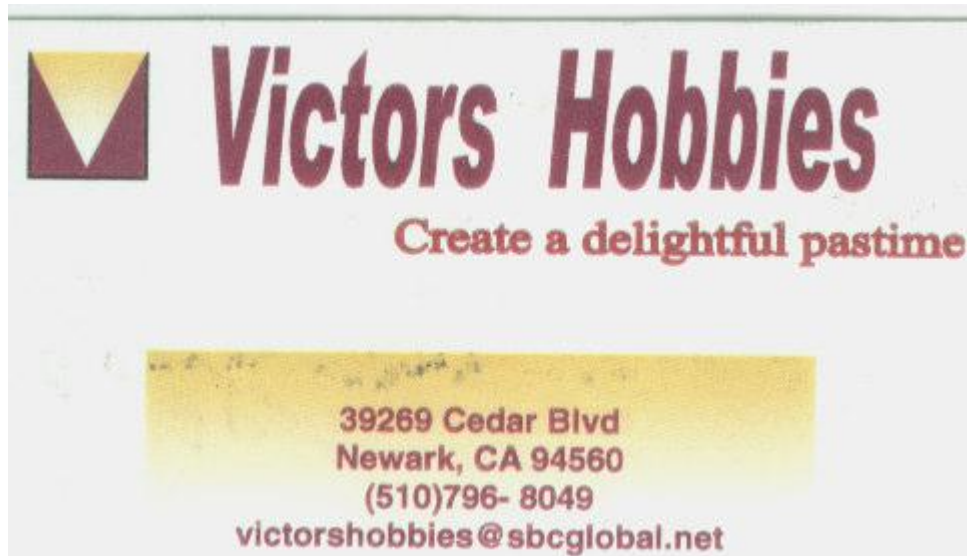
The Arizona Model Aviators # 770

IMAA GIANT SCALE FLY-IN

April 14, 15, 2012

Location: Superstition Airpark, Mesa AZ

- + IMAA Guidelines apply to all aircraft. No exceptions.
 - + 80" Monoplane, 60" Biplane, Planes Can Be True Quarter Scale,
Jets Must Have a Combined Wingspan & Length of 140"
 - + Just come, fly and have a good time.
 - + Food will be available Saturday and Sunday for purchase.
 - + Plaques will be awarded for different categories.
 - + Planes Must Fly To Qualify For Any Plaques.
 - + Landing fee \$20 for IMAA members & \$25 for non-IMAA members
 - + Proof of AMA & IMAA membership is required.
 - + Pilot's Parking & Saturday night Pizza Party is included in the Landing Fee.
 - + Public Parking is \$6.00 per car.
 - + No Overnight Camping Allowed At The Airfield.
 - + Trailers may be left overnight. Security will be provided by club members.
For Turbines, an AMA Turbine waiver will be required.
 - + IMAA Membership Applications Will Be Available At Registration.
- Contacts: Paul Goldsmith 602-323-7753 or wlinger@aol.com or
John Mangino 480-980-1386 or manginoaz@cox.net
Arizona Model Aviators web site <http://www.azmodelaviators.com>**



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**Our next meeting will be held at the Hanger
Saturday March 10, 2012 at 7:30 P.M.
Bring a model for the competition**

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