



**Southern Alameda
County Radio Controllers**

President: Bob Freshwater (510) 657-2847

Secretary: Jim Newman

Vice President: Scott Clinton

Treasurer: Jim Utleby (510) 352-3150

Minutes of the November 14th Membership Meeting

Jim Newman

There was no Board of Directors meeting

Minutes:

Accepted as published.

New Members/Prospects:

Clark Reiter was voted in as a new member.

Treasury Report

Accepted as Read.

Jim Utleby reminded all members in attendance to renew their AMA and Club dues.

Secretaries Report:

None.

Field Report:

Bob Freshwater gave a report on the flying field work party. The indentation in the pit area next to the transmitter impound was filled in, the awnings were taken, folded and safely stored along with replacing some of the rotten wood on the benches.

Jeff Whitney stated the weather station is back up and running. The phone company needed to replace some of the line going to the building containing the weather station.

A complaint was made by a Club member about some individuals at the flying field who are throwing their cigarette butts in to the gravel parking area. A long discussion followed. It was concluded when Art Vargas made a motion to ban smoking at the flying field. The motion was seconded and passed by a voice vote with three dissenting votes.

Safety Report:

Bob Dutra stated there is a club member who is refusing to observe the no fly zone at the flying field. It was stated that if it happens one more time, this individual would be brought before the Club BOD for possible removal from the Club. After a long discussion, a motion was made to send this member a letter informing him that if he continues, that he would be removed from the Club.

Jeff Whitney brought up the topic of requiring all flyers to have a spotter while flying. The topic was tabled to the next BOD meeting.

Old Business:

Bob Freshwater gave a report on the Club's Electric Fly-In. The turnout was good and all who attended had a good time.

New Business:

Jim Utley brought to the Club's attention that he no longer has access to Microsoft Publisher that is required to produce the Club's Newsletter. He stated that a new package of the software would cost approximately \$160 to purchase. Art Bohart made a motion to authorize \$160 for the purchase of Microsoft Publisher. The motion was seconded and passed by a voice vote.

Bob Freshwater stated that the Club's

annual Christmas party would be held on December 12, 2009 in lieu of the monthly meeting. The party will start at 7:00pm. You are encouraged to bring your spouse or partner. The dinner is a pot-luck so bring a dish to share. Club members are asked to show up at the Hanger at 10:00am the day of the party to help with the cleaning and decorating in preparation of the party.

Announcements:

None.

Dummy of the Month:

Bob Freshwater will continue on as the Dummy of the Month for forgetting the necklace for the second month in a row.

Show and Tell:

None.

Upcoming Events

December 5th	Toys-for-Tots @ Salinas Area Modelers, Chualar Contact: Jim St. John 831-442-5050 Tiger999@sbcglobal.net
December 6th	Bob Whitacre Memorial Toys-for-Tots Fly-In @SCCMAS, Morgan Hill Contact: Steve Smith 408-234-0095 stevesmith2001@hotmail.com
December 12th	Toy-for-Tots @ EBRC, Livermore Contact: Bob Donleavy 925-829-5549 racerbob@comcast.net

Wanted

Helpers to clean and decorate the Hanger the day of the Christmas Party

December 12th at 10am

SACRC'S Annual

2009

Christmas Dinner

December 12th, 7pm at the Hanger
The Club will supply the ham, turkey
And beverages, the rest is Pot-Luck

Bob Freshwater is the Host (510) 657-2847

Please contact him to R.S.V.P. and let him know

What hot dish, salad or dessert you will be

Contributing

Spouses are not only welcome, but encouraged

To attend

We will once again have a HUGE GIFT drawing

For all attendees

NOTICE — SACRATS

The Flying Field will be CLOSED to all

Flying on the following days

This is in cooperation with California

Fish & Game

Saturday Nov. 28th, 2009

Saturday Dec. 5th, 2009

Tuesday Dec. 15th, 2009

Saturday Dec. 19th, 2009

Tuesday Dec. 29th, 2009

Saturday Jan. 2nd, 2010

Tuesday Jan. 7th, 2010

Tuesday Jan. 12th, 2010

And

Saturday Jan. 23rd, 2009

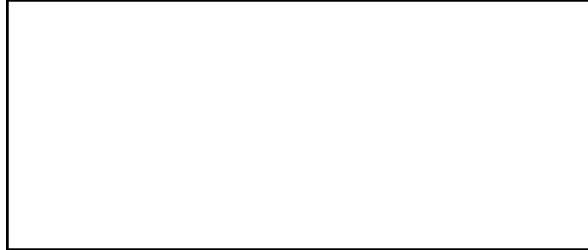
Scenes from the November Work Party
Thanks to all that helped!



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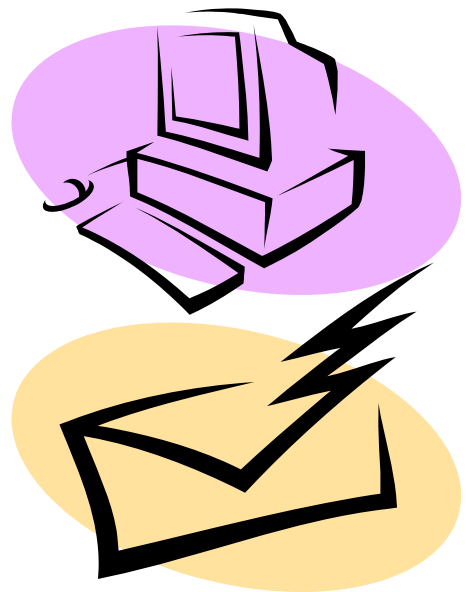
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Jim Utley, Editor