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## Southern Alameda County Radio Controllers

President: Mike Pimentel

Secretary: John Chavez

Vice President: Steve Hoyt

Treasurer: Jim Utley (510) 352-3150

Meeting was called to order at 11:00 AM 08/14/2021

### **BOARD MEETING:**

No board meeting

### **GENERAL MEETING:**

Club meeting was called to order on August 14, 2021 @ 1100 AM by Pres. Mike Pimentel.

About 20 members in attendance.

### **Corrections or additions to the minutes as published in the newsletter:**

Approved as published in the newsletter. No newsletter issues noted.

### **New Members:**

None present. Jim Utley proceeded to inform current club members that the employees of Flyvolvy, Inc. who develop commercial drones and will be testing model drones at our field were voted into our club membership.

### **Newsletter Issues:**

None

### **Treasurer's Report:**

Jim Utley informed club members that all of the club's financial venues were sound. In a financial related issue, Mike Pimentel advised yearly club dues will be increased to \$75.00.

The Treasurer's report was accepted as read.

### **Safety Report:**

Just the usual—don't carry an armed airplane through the pit area, arm in the hot pit, don't point a running airplane into the hot pit, etc. etc, etc.

### **Field Report:**

The issue of clearing "pickle weed" & creating pathways is in dire need of maintenance. A club member suggested that a possible firm which offers service in the

Next meeting  
11AM October 9  
At the Field

price range of \$1000.00 could be a solution. Upon receiving further info, Mike Pimentel will contact the said services.

**Once again – do not bypass any locks on the chain!**

**Old Business:**

None

**New Business:**

A reminder that the club's next meeting will be conducted on this October 9, 2021 @ 11:00 AM. The revised club meetings to meet every 2 months was voted on in the affirmative by attending members at last month's meeting. Also at the conclusion of future meetings, a Bar-B-Que, i.e. "Tube Steaks, Hot Links & perhaps Hamburgers" will be offered followed by a "Raffle". The objective of this new venue, will hopefully stimulate an increase in member attendance. MEMBERS, it's your club, please attend & make this successful!! Thanks to Jim Utley & Art Vargas for their services organizing a BAR-B-QUE & raffle at our August 2021 meeting.

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**"READ & HEED !!!"**

**Show and Tell:**

None

**Dummy or the Month:**

None

**Announcements:**

Waldo Pepper August 28-29. Field will be closed to open flying on the 28th until 1PM,

and will be semi-open on the 29th.

**Upcoming Events of Interest:**

**SACRC:**

Waldo Pepper's Flying Circus 08/28-29

The meeting was adjourned at 11:20 AM.

**Officer Club Emails**

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**Editor's note:**

We will be closing the field for open flying August 28th until 1PM due to the Waldo Pepper event.

Lunch will be served (\$5 per person) and a BBQ Saturday night (\$15 per person)

Please note—the next club meeting will be October 9!



**WWI and Early Birds Fly-in!**

Saturday and Sunday, August 28 & 29, 2021 at the SACRC field in Union City, CA — 500+ foot astro-turf runway. Large pit area, partly shaded. Vendor spaces available. Limited RV parking at the field (no hook-ups), several local motels and restaurants.

**Saturday night BBQ at the field!**

(Please acknowledge beforehand if planning to attend the BBQ)

Waldo Pepper's Flying Circus is not a competition, but there are many special awards and prizes! Special Pilot's Choice awards for Most Realistic Flying, Most Outstanding WWI model and Best Vintage (Early Bird) Model.

**RACING:**

**Proctor Micro-Antic Class Racing:** Restricted to Proctor Micro-Antics. Kit built, scratch built or kit bashed are eligible! No handicap is used in the Antic class.

**Military Class:** Open to all WWI models of all sizes, it provides many surprises for the pilots and spectators.

Waldo Pepper's Flying Circus is sponsored by:

Southern Alameda County Radio Controllers  
4011 Meadowview Dr.  
Castro Valley, CA 94546

Access to the gates: Google 5000 Benson Rd, Union City or google Mariner Park, Union City. The gate is just North of the park. Both gates will have a combination lock with a red stripe, the combination will be 2021 and will only be on the gates the day(s) of the event

You may pre-register emailing Jeff Whitney at [jeff.whitney@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jeff.whitney@sbcglobal.net). Landing fee is \$20.00. For more information about the event, contact Jeff Whitney at 510-861-3214 [jeff.whitney@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jeff.whitney@sbcglobal.net)



That's a bobcat on the berm!  
Look twice before going up there!

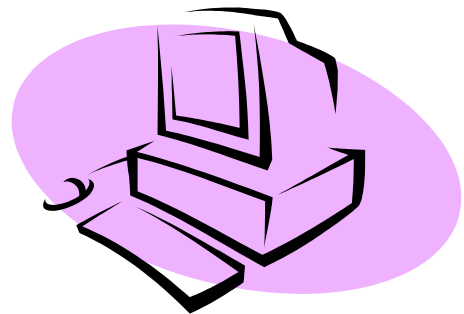
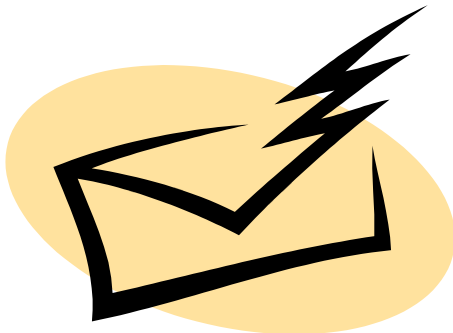
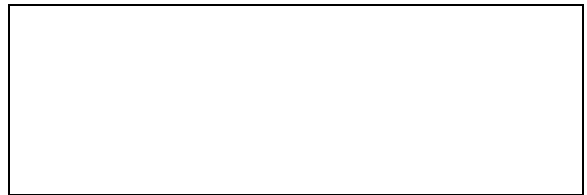


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