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Southern Alameda County Radio Controllers

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Meeting was called to order at 10:59 AM 09-08-2018

BOARD MEETING:

Meeting called to order at 10:30 AM by President Steve Hoyt.

Board members in attendance were President Steve Hoyt, Vice-President Mike Pimentel, Members-at-Large Norm Coates, Harry Kart, and Jeff Whitney

ITEMS DISCUSSED:

More discussion about the plane over Union Sanitary District.

Norm Coates is looking into a brush cutter. It was decided to first rent one to evaluate before proceeding to purchase one

Board meeting adjourned at 10:52 AM

GENERAL MEETING:

Meeting was called to order at 10:59 AM by President Steve Hoyt.

New Members:

Kuvam Bhatnagar

Guests:

Rey Espiritu

News Letter Issues:

None.

August Minutes:

Accepted as published.

Treasurer's Report:

Accepted as read.

We currently have 117 members total.

Safety Report:

There was an incident with an electric airplane, where the throttle stick was bumped while the owner was holding the airplane in his hands with the prop facing him. He sustained several deep cuts to his arms but is OK. He had not set (or had disabled) throttle hold. BE AWARE!

Some more discussion about the aircraft over USD—most likely it was not one of our members.

Field Report:

Next meeting:

11AM October 13

At the Field

Many thanks from Jeff to Brady and crew for the field clean-up prior to Waldo Pepper.

The search continues for replacements for the “wattles” or bumpers on the runway side of the fence

Old Business:

None

New Business:

Art gave an impassioned proposal to remove from the rules #2 under AMA Safety Code:

2. The board reserves the right to modify/ wave current safety rules for special occasions.

After much discussion (and cussion) it was voted to remove that rule,

Show and Tell:

None

Announcements:

LFE Warbirds August 18.

Waldo Pepper’s Flying Circus @ SACRC August 25-26

SACRC @ Oakland Aviation Museum’s Open Cockpit Day Sept. 9

Upcoming Events of Interest:

Oakland Aviation OCD Sept 9

Jets @ AMOS 9/21-23

Dawn Patrol @ Ukiah 10/6-7

Not all dates are committed as yet—Verify in the calendar section of Model Aviation.

Waldo Pepper was in August—WWI and Golden Age aircraft. Low key again—lunch and BBQ Saturday night.



Waldo Pepper pics
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OAM OCD SACRC Display

The SACRC at the Oakland Aviation Museum's Open Cockpit day September 9th as a success. Many thanks to those that came and displayed their models. The museum guests really enjoyed them, and there were a lot of positive comments to Ian (the museum Administrator).

One of the highlights was Fast Mike's turbine demonstrations. Ian requested that earplugs be provided next time (the museum has lots, and they are not that expensive anyway).

Follow this [LINK](#) to see some photos from the event.

Waldo Pepper's Flying Circus

We had a total of 15 entries between both days, there were quite a few raffle prizes on Sunday. All flying went off with no major incidents.

Burt R. posted some pictures on Facebook; [LINK](#)

We had several awards, but dang me—the only one I remember is the one given to me! We have Best WWI, Best Golden Age, and Pilot's Choice. This year, in honor of the 100th anniversary of the end of WWI we had a special award –George E, my plaque maker, went behind my back and got everyone to agree to give it to me for

putting on the event

I would like to thank everyone that attended, George E for getting and cooking lunch as well as making the plaques

Our Christmas dinner will be at Oakland Aviation Museum. They are only charging us the required liability insurance cost.

Please take a couple of minutes and watch this video: [LINK](#)

Nominations are open—please consider running for office. Make nominations at the October meeting or email them to me. New officers will be seated at the November meeting.

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