

Temecula Valley Flyers Newsletter



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MARCH MEETING

THE CLUB MEETING LOCATION HAS BEEN CHANGED—PLEASE GO TO THE RANCHO WATER DISTRICT BOARD ROOM LOCATED AT—42135 WINCHESTER ROAD

We will have a special guest for the upcoming February meeting. Bob Parcell from Dynamic Hobbies in Hemet.

Bob and his wife Mel have been in the Hobby shop business for well over 15 years. Anyone who has been to his shop will walk in and find that Bob simply has one of the largest and complete selection of Radio Control Airplane, Cars, Boats around. His shop also includes one of the largest “O” scale train layouts around.

Also we will have Bill Wallace from the NSRCA (national society of radio controlled aerobatics) to give a presentation. We currently are in the planning stages of hosting a Pattern event at the field.

Art Horne will be giving a little Demo and Information on the new A123 Lithium Cells. I will also be highlighting these cells in next months Newsletter.

Whether your interests is Gas, Electric or Sailplanes he’s coming prepared so lets show our support and BE THERE. The next meeting is March 13th, 7:30 at the Rancho Water District Board room.

February Meeting recap

For those of you that did not hear our February meeting was cancelled. Ken got snowed in and could not make it so in the best interest of things the meeting was cancelled. SEE YOU ALL AT THE MARCH MEETING.

Inland Valley Invitational Fly off

For those of you that have not heard we are having a combined fun fly event that is headed up by the Menifee Valley Flyers. This competition will be held at a different club about each month. The finals will be held at the Menifee club sometime in November. This event includes the following clubs; Menifee Valley Flyers, Hemet Model Masters, Gilman Springs, Palomar R/C Flyers and of course Temecula Valley Flyers.

Our event date is scheduled for September 20th. For More information please follow this link; <http://mvf-club.com/inland/index.html>.

The first event was held at Menifee on March 1st. As of this writing the results have not been posted. From what I heard it was a great day with lots of fun and a few unfortunate accidents. With the event not being known until that day it makes for some interesting competition. The event was a timed flight; take-off, three rolls, three inside and three outside loops and then a successful landing. The judging being on quality of maneuvers, and total time. Thanks to the Menifee club for a great day.

Weekend Bar-B-Q

Our first club BBQ was held this past weekend. Due to the weather and the MVF event the turn out was a little low—so we finished on Sunday. Thanks to Jerry Supler for heading this one up and was the summer progresses this should turn into a great event!

BBQ's will held every other weekend. For more info contact Jerry at jerome.supler@usis.com



The new Glider TUG



John Bickle ready for a launch



Another Launch ready to go



Another good view of the Glider Tug

Presidents Message

Our next meeting is coming up on March 13th @ the Rancho California Water District Boardroom, and I promise that I will not leave town on that day.

I am excited for you to see the facility, as it is one of the best around. So I hope to see all of you there at 7:30.

As to our neighbor's noise complaints, all is quiet at this time. So we are going to wait and see what happens next. In the meantime all of you weekend warriors continue to fly as far away from the palm tree farm as possible and fly as quietly as possible. OK.

By the time you receive this newsletter, the fun fly at the Menifee field will have been run and I hope we had a great turnout and that everyone had a good time. If you missed this one, then look for information about the next one to be held, I think at the Palomar field.

Don't forget about the "Fun Scale" contest to be held at our field on March 15th. Registration begins at 8:00 AM. And flying beginning at around 9:00 AM. The rules and maneuver descriptions are on our website, so go to temeculavalleyflyers.com and review them. There will be ribbons awarded to the best 4 contestants. This will be a lot of fun so don't let your lack of contest experience deter you from entering.

Our entertainment this month is scheduled to be Bob Purcell from Dynamic Hobbies in Hemet. Hopefully he will bring us all sort of new goodies to show us. Also scheduled is Bill Wallace. Bill is a competitive pattern flyer and I hope he will tell us all about the NSRCA (National Society of Radio Controlled Aerobatics). Bill will also be putting on a demo pattern flight at our Fun Scale contest.

We now have a new raffle chairman, Jay Sweetnam. If you have any ideas on what should be in the raffle, please let him know. Many thanks to our retiring chairman, Chuck Dillow.

The overhead cover has been repaired once again thanks to the efforts of Russ Guidry & Ken Turner. Those who also helped were Marc Guerra, Marc Angular & John Bikle.

I guess that's the main items for this month - see you all at the monthly meeting

KEN TURNER



Ken is ready to go



Bob A ready's his new Siren



Jay Sweetnam guides his Gilder

Membership Report: John Bikle

Date: 2/25/2008

Open Members	44
Youth Members	11
Total Membership	55

New Members since January

- Les Crook
- Robert Samuel
- Shawn Foster
- The McCollom Family
 - Ariana
 - Christian
 - Katalina
 - Keelin
 - Kieran

It's been a busy month for Membership thanks to the McCollom Family. Hope to see all the new members at the field and at our meetings. Our New Membership contest is off to a good start with Jay Sweetnam, Bob Arambulo and Dave Brinkman getting credit for one new member each. Keep up the good work, we need more new members.

Member Spotlight to return next month!

Mark Your Calendars!!

<u>What</u>	<u>Where</u>	<u>When</u>
TVF March Meeting	Rancho Water	March 13th 7:30pm
RC SCALE Contest	TVF Field	March 15th
Scale Masters	Hemet	April 11,12,13
SWAP MEET	Palomar R/C Flyers	April 13th
Corona FUN FEST (coronarcclub.com)	Corona	April 12th,13th

SIGHTINGS

Take a good photo or have some ? Please Share!!!! Send them in and I will put them in upcoming issues

Greg putting his T-REX 600 through its paces Copyright by JJM photographic.com



Another great photo of Greg's T-rex

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Tim avoids hitting himself with his AXIOM

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The new Top Flight B-25 ARF



Dan Keller with his Charger R/C

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Greg with his Charger R/C Axiom

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