



Next Meeting: Friday August 26th at 7:30 @ the Trinity Lutheran Church, 2949 Alamo St., Simi Valley

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The Simi Valley Flyers club is incorporated as a nonprofit organization. We are a radio control model airplane club founded in 1965. We have a 450 ft. by 50 ft. asphalt runway with a 150 ft. by 65 ft. pit area. Our flying field is located inside Oak Park which is owned by the County of Ventura. The Simi Valley Flyers operate,

maintain and improve this facility under a lease agreement with Ventura County.

All inputs to the Newsletter must be sent in by the 18th of each month to the following E-mail address: newsletter@simivalleyflyers.com

The President’s Message – Todd Krueger

Hello SVF,

I would like to thank those who participated on Sunday the 11th during the work party, Dieter Wolf, Ken Fricke, Bob Fricke, Scott Neuhalfen, Bill Fried, Max Espinoza, and Eric and Mason Martin. Special Thanks to Brent Eckhart for picking up and delivering the pavers and Keith Martin and Bob Fricke for delivering sand. Saturday helpers who off loaded sand Bobby Haynes, Bob Reilly, Ken Milbrett, Mark Priske, and Kyle Priske. Thank you Glenn Roe for dumping the trash. The field is look very dry but looks well maintained.



We have one more fun fly, BBQ and swap meet scheduled on October 9th and our Holiday Party is at 6pm on December 11th at Cisco’s in Thousand Oaks.

Thank you Keith for all of the years of your support, both on the board as Vice President and as a participating member. Your dedication to the club will be missed (I know the membership will miss the brownies, cookies and BBQing).

Please join us at the meeting on 7:30pm on Friday September 23rd.
 Todd

The Vice President's Message – Keith Martin

I just wanted to let all the members know that I have resigned as Vice President. This is due to moving back to Washington State.

I want to thank each one of you for your support during my time as a member and as your Vice President. I wish each of you calm winds and plenty of flying time and a few less sudden impact landings.

I will miss the time that we have shared and hope that you will continue to keep the Simi Valley Flyers, that "Friendly" club. Remember we all started out not knowing how to fly and with the help of some very nice people, we too learned how not to bounce all the way down the runway.

Also, if you have ever thought about being on the Board, let me encourage you, helping to keep the club going is rewarding. You get to work with some dedicated people that keep the club functioning.

Lucky for me there is a flying club in the town that I am moving to.

Thank you all.

Keith Martin



President Todd Krueger called the meeting to order at 7:33 with the Pledge of Allegiance.

There were 5 club members, 5 board members and 1 guest in attendance.

- Club President Todd Krueger announces the passing of founding member Bill Stullick
- Todd Discussed idea of boosting meeting attendance by offering a ticket for each meeting attended for the first prize at the Holiday Party Raffle.
- Todd stated the need for one more work party.
- Todd brings up the flyby of a real airplane at the last fun-fly, reiterates that real planes always have the right-of-way!
- Todd cautions that there have been several sightings of planes flying over the freeway during the week.
- Todd reports that there was 1 incident of a plane being lost over the freeway into the far hillside.
- Todd states that Curt Adams would like to bring a Scout Troop up to the field.
- Todd announces that the Holiday Party will again be at Cisco's, December 11th and that Cisco's raised the price by \$3.
- Vice President Keith Martin will be moving back to Washington by the end of September for retirement. (He will be missed).
- Brent Eckhart will fill in for the remainder of Keith's term.
- Todd announces that all board positions are open for election next year (please consider serving).
- Membership Chairman Andy Weir reports club membership at 71 regular members.
- Treasurer Bob Fricke reports on the club finances.
- Todd announces that long time member Larry French is recovering nicely from his surgery.
- Vote taken on Multi-Rotor rules; passes 9-0.
- Club member Bobby Haynes asks for direction moving forward for FPV rules committee.
- Club member Ron Scott asks if anyone is interested in going to Cermak with him. He also asks about progress on the new run-up area, Work party now on Sept 11th (already passed) with sand to be delivered on the 10th (already passed)
- If anyone is interested in helping with the website email President Todd Krueger.





October Birthdays



Doug Mushet	Oct 5th	Fred Reinhardt	Oct 13th
Chris Jones	Oct 6th	Robert Fricke	Oct 17th
Larry French	Oct 8th	Roger Paskell	Oct 21st
Jesus Herrera	Oct 9th	Wes Giles	Oct 25th
Marcus Dyer	Oct 13th		



2016 CALENDAR - R/C FLYING EVENTS

(VENTURA COUNTY & AROUND By: Ron Scott as of 4-21-16)



September 23-25 Float Fly @ Lake Mc Swane near Merced... Reservations – 209-354-2954

25 Try & Fly - Valley Flyers www.valleyflyers.com

?24-25 Lake Hemet Float fly – Hemet Model Masters – www.hemetmodelmasters.org

?25-26 Point Mugu Air Show

30-Oct 2 Glider Festival @ Visalia, CA (www.CVRCSoaring.com)

October 1 All Electric Fun Fly - Valley Flyers – Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com

?3-5 Tucson Aerobatic Shootout - www.desertaircraft.com

6-9 Q 40 Pylon Racing - Valley Flyers – Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com

? 6-9 Quickie 500 Pylon races – San Gabriel RC League – Whittier Narrows Rec. Park 818-554-3517

9 Simi Valley Flyers - Fun Fly, BBQ, & Swap Meet

11 Try & Fly- Public open house - Valley Flyers – Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com

13-16 Tucson Aerobatic Shootout - www.desertaircraft.com

?11-12 Pattern Contest at Sacramento (SAM; Frank Capone; crcfrank@sbcglobal.net)

22-23 Float Fly @ Comets - Lake Casitas – Camping, BBQ & Big Raffle

16 Combat – 4 rounds/Club Mtg. – Camarillo Flying Circus

???23-25 Float Fly @ Visalia – Russell Pond for directions check www.CVRCSoaring.com

?22-25 Giant Scale Air Races - Rabbit dry lake (Unlimited planes flying @ 150 + MPH) www.usrainfo.org

November 5 Swap Meet & Fun Fly -Valley Flyers – Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com

13-15 Float Fly, @ London Bridge, @Windsor Beach Park, Lake Havasu, Az. (Desert Hawks Club) web-site www.deserthawksrc.org

12-13 “Wings Over Prado” Scale event - @ Prado Air Park, Chino www.pvmac.com

12 LA Jets - Valley Flyers – Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com

20 War Bird Day – Camarillo Flying Circus

19-20 Float Fly @ Comets – Club members only

?22-24 West Coast all Electric RC Event – Fly-in @ Prado Airpark, Chino, CA www.pvmac.com

December

- 4 Toys-for-Tots Fly-in – Valley Flyers – Apollo Field www.valleyflyers.com
- 11 Holiday party – Simi Valley Flyers
- TBD CFC Christmas party
- 15 VC Comets Christmas party -
- 25 Santa Claus brings *new stuff* to replace all the planes & engines that Murphy broke during the year.