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**MAY  
2017**

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**APRIL MEETING MINUTES**

The April 29, 2017 meeting was held at Killeen Field. Mike Stone opened the meeting at 10:00am. The April 1, 2017 Meeting Minutes were approved as written. There was no Treasurer's Report. Bob Estrella gave the Membership Report, stating that we have 54 members in the Club.

**Old Business:**

Mike Stone stated that he has not heard back from the Property Owners yet regarding when we will need to vacate the Field.

Mike discussed a couple of potential Flying Field Sites that came up. The first one was on open farm land, but neighbors objected to the prospect, so that lead was dropped. The second was on a Land Fill site in Winchester. Mike said that it is on a hill, and it is always very windy there and not suitable for a Flying site.

Bob Jones related that he is looking into a Land Fill site in Moreno Valley. Bob has also contacted Fish & Game, and they will be getting back to him regarding any possibilities that they come up with.

Mike Stone stated that Skip Shaw took the Tractor to Dave Carling's Shop. Dave Carling will be servicing the Tractor and, when the servicing

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SATURDAY,  
May 27, 2017  
10:00am  
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KILLEEN FIELD  
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is complete, Skip will return the Tractor to the Field.

Mike Stone stated that nothing is to be removed from the Field until after we get a formal "Notice to Vacate". After getting that Notice, we will determine "what goes where" and document same.

Mike related that we have renewed our Website for another year (May 1, 2017 to April 30, 2018). Bob Estrella will continue to maintain the Website.

Mike gave a report on the April 8<sup>th</sup> Scale Masters Qualifier/School. There were only 6 Pilots, and we "broke even" on the Lunch Concession.

**New Business:**

Mike Wheel asked if we have plans for a "Night Fly" at our Field. Bob Estrella stated that he will try to plan one in May sometime, and probably

a few more during the Summer Months.

Bob Estrella passed out a sheet showing offers from local Clubs in response to hearing about the pending loss of our Flying Field. (See sheet herein).

Bob Estrella stated that Mike Killeen, son of the late founder of the Gilman Springs RC Flyers Club George Killeen, would like to have the "Killeen Field" Sign if we dissolve the Club and don't need it anymore. All members agreed that Mike Killeen can take the sign anytime. Bob Estrella will notify Mike.

Bob Estrella noted that, at our April 1<sup>st</sup> Meeting, a vote was taken by attendees on whether or not to dissolve the Club if the Board decides, at some point in the future, that we will not be relocating to a new Flying Site. Bob then asked if any of the attendees were not at our April 1<sup>st</sup> meeting, and therefore did not enter a vote yet. Skip Shaw was the only one, so he entered his "Yes" vote.

**Show & Tell:**

There was no Show & Tell

**Raffle:**

There was no Raffle.

# **OFFERS FROM LOCAL CLUBS**

In recognition of the fact that the Gilman Springs RC Flyers will be losing their Flying Field soon, local RC Clubs are making offers to us as follow:

## **HEMET MODEL MASTERS**

Current Gilman Springs RC Flyers members will be allowed to fly at the two Hemet Model Masters Fields (Simpson Rd. and Davis Road), at no charge, through June 30, 2017. After June 30th, to remain members, they pay \$40 Initiation Fee and \$30 dues for the last 6 months of the 2017 Membership Year, total \$70. Then, \$60 dues per year like everyone else. They must be current Gilman members, not expired members, with proof of current status.

For directions to the Hemet Model Masters Flying Fields, go to their site on RCFlightDeck at [www.rcflightdeck.com](http://www.rcflightdeck.com)

When there, click on **Venues**.

## **RIVERSIDE RADIO CONTROL CLUB**

Any member of Gilman Springs RC Flyers (they must have proof of being a currently paid up Gilman Springs RC Flyer) who needs a place to fly, either temporary or permanent, may come fly at the RRCC Field. We would like to extend free flying to any of your club members until June 30<sup>th</sup>, the end of your membership year. At that time, anyone who would like to do so, can join the RRCC club at a prorated rate of \$4.1666/per month until our new membership year starts which is February 1st. That would be \$29. Our Club Dues are \$50 per year, which would then be due by February 1, 2018. In addition, at the time of "Renewal", a one-time Field Assessment Fee of \$100 would be due, unless the RRCC Board decides to waive or modify it for Gilman Springs RC Flyers members. It is currently under consideration, and they will make a decision sometime well before the February 1<sup>st</sup> Renewal date.

**For directions to their Flying Field, go to [www.riversidercclub.org](http://www.riversidercclub.org)**

When there, click on **Maps**.

## **M.A.R.K.S CLUB**

Any Gilman Springs Flyers member who wishes to join the M.A.R.K.S. Club, can do so for \$100 (which is regular annual dues of \$80 plus \$20).

Note that this is their \$80 Annual Dues plus \$20 Initiation Fee (rather than their normal Initiation Fee of \$150).

If you join after June 30<sup>th</sup>, the \$100 will be prorated based on the new membership year starting on January 1<sup>st</sup>. For example, if you join on July 1<sup>st</sup>, it will cost \$50 ( $\$100 \div 12 \times 6 \text{ months} = \$50$ ).

For directions to their "Greenspot" Flying Field, go to their website at [www.rcmarks.org](http://www.rcmarks.org)

When there, click on **Maps and Directions**, then Click on **Greenspot**.

## **MENIFEE VALLEY FLYERS CLUB**

Any Gilman Springs Flyers member can fly at the Menifée Valley Flyers Field free until June 1, 2017. After that, if they want to join the Club, there is no Initiation Fee and the annual dues are \$50.



# **CVRC CLUB FUN FLY**

**Saturday, May 27, 2017 at 9 am**



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**COME SHOOT PAINTBALLS AT A MOVING TARGET**

**15 shots for \$10.00**

**Carrier landing event**

**BBQ Hot Dogs will be served for \$5.00**

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**JOIN US IN CELEBRATING OUR CLUB'S 15 YEAR ANNIVERSARY  
AND MEMORIAL DAY**

- Events will consist of a paintball shoot at a banner being towed by an airplane and a carrier landing event.
- Bring your planes that are 15 years or older and after the event it would be fun to see them fly.
- The club will provide the paintball guns and balls.
- For directions to the Coachella Valley Radio Control Club's flying field, go to their website at [CVRCClub.com](http://CVRCClub.com).

# 2017 Consolidated Schedule of RC Events

- **Saturday, May 13<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Menifee Valley Flyers Spring Swap Meet**
- **May 12/13/14<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Hemet Model Masters "IMAC Event"**
- **May 20/21<sup>st</sup>** ..... **Riverside RC Club Quickie 500 Pylon Race**
- **Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup>** ..... **Victor Valley RC Flyers SC2 Glider Event**
- **Saturday, May 27<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Coachella Valley RC Club PaintBall & Carrier Landing Event**
- **Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Menifee Valley Flyers Electric Glider Competition**
- **Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Victor Valley RC Flyers Fun Fly**
- **Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Riverside RC Club Classic Pattern Get Together**
- **Sunday, June 11<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Chino Flyers Trainer 40 and Club 40 Pylon Races**
- **Saturday, June 17<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Corona RC Club Fun Fly**
- **Saturday, June 24<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Circle City Flyers Scale Masters Workshop and Fly-in**
- **Saturday, July 1<sup>st</sup>** ..... **Victor Valley RC Flyers Combat Event (Fly Till You Die)**
- **Saturday, August 5<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Menifee Valley Flyers Members Appreciation Night Fly**
- **Saturday, August 12<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Menifee Valley Flyers Summer Swap Meet**
- **Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Chino Flyers Trainer 40 and Club 40 Pylon Races**
- **Saturday, September 9<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Hemet Model Masters Autumn Swap Meet**
- **Saturday, September 9<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Victor Valley RC Flyers Warbirds Pylon Race**
- **Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Victor Valley RC Flyers Tailhook Contest**
- **September, 22/23/24<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Victor Valley RC Flyers IMAC Event**
- **Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>** ..... **Menifee Valley Flyers Annual Poker Fly**
- **Sunday, October 8<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Chino Flyers Trainer 40 and Club 40 Pylon Races**
- **October 21/22<sup>nd</sup>** ..... **AMA District 7 Pattern Championship at the RRCC Field**
- **Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Corona RC Club Halloween Float Fly at Lake Perris**
- **November 4/5<sup>th</sup>** ..... **F3J Soaring Event at the SCAMPS Field (next to RRCC Field)**
- **Saturday, November 25<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Menifee Valley Flyers Fall Swap Meet**
- **Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup>** ..... **Chino Flyers Trainer 40 and Club 40 Pylon Races**

April 19, 2017

To make additions and/or changes to the Consolidated Schedule of RC Events, email Bob Estrella at [EstrellaRC@hughes.net](mailto:EstrellaRC@hughes.net) or phone him at (951) 490-2222.

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