



THE BARNSTORMER

Hemet Model Masters Newsletter



August 2021

President's Message

Hello fellow club members,

I hope you're all doing well. This will be a quick note to all of you from myself. I found out my full knee replacement surgery was approved. The surgery took place on July 10. We arrived at the surgery center at 06:00am. After some time they took me back and started prepping me. At 08:30 they took me back to perform the procedure and I was gone. I kinda came too around 1:45pm. They asked me some questions. I had no idea what they were asking (my name) I said that was a great sleep send me back. Anyways I've had some issues and some set backs. But we just keep moving forward. I'm on some very serious pain medications and it makes it very hard to concentrate. And I doze off and lose my thought process quickly so I'm going to sign off for now.

Wishing you all the very best.

Carl

**THE NEXT GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING WILL BE HELD
AUGUST 21ST AT 9:00 AM AT THE SIMPSON FIELD**

HEMET MODEL MASTERS GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Minutes for July 197 2021

Meeting called to order by Treasurer Stewart Robinson at 9:06 AM

17 members were in attendance.

New member Gary Harper was welcomed at the meeting.

A motion to approve the meeting minutes for last month as published in the newsletter was made by Rodney Luker seconded by Larry Mason. All approved.

A motion to approve the treasurer's report provided by Stewart Robinson was made by Kevin McDonald and seconded by Rodney Luker. All approved.

The plaques previously approved for the pavement contractor and the City of Hemet were discussed and are on the way.

An Introductory Flight Program training day was held on July 10th from 9am to noon. Club members Eddie James, Jim Christy and Rodney Luker helped out. Scheduled training days for are on hold pending the hot weather expected the next several months. Training is still available upon request and Dynamics Hobbies is directing interested parties to contact Steve Staudenmeir.

Regarding the lawsuit, we got word that the plaintiff's lawyer has withdrawn but we understand that another lawyer has been retained. We have also heard that the Riverside club received a favorable judgment against the plaintiff in their case.

Jeff Barker brought up that members need to be careful to about disposal of cigarettes at the Davis field. There is lots of combustible material and the last thing we need is to start a brush fire at our facilities.

The members present agreed to schedule another volunteer workday on July24th starting at 7am. Weeds need to be sprayed, etc. Participating volunteers will be tracked so they can earn a credit towards their 2022 membership dues.

There were two show and tell items. Stewart Robinson showed an Akaso camera very similar to a Go-Pro but at a very reasonable price of \$100. Kevin McDonald also showed his fully assembled Hangar 9 Meridian ARF which he really enjoys and is a real value for the price.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:41 AM.
Minutes submitted by Steve Staudenmeir

HEMET MODEL MASTERS BOARD MEETING

Minutes for August 2, 2021

Meeting called to order by President Carl Lindou at 7:04 PM.

Club Officers and Board Members Present — Carl Lindou, Mario Muniz, Stewart Robinson, Steve Staudenmeir, Richard Lawrence, Kevin McDonald, and Larry Mason

No guests or members were in attendance.

There were no updates regarding the lawsuit.

The Board authorized the Treasurer to pay \$4,000 to Rodney Luker as partial reimbursement of his loan to the club for the runway repair completed in June. The total cost of the runway project was about \$14,000.

The club is down to 4 active board members. Up to 7 board members are authorized under the by-laws. Carl Lindou will inquire into other members who might be willing to serve on the Board. We would like at least one additional.

Carl is having knee surgery and may be unavailable for club activities the next couple of months. Mario Muniz will lead the next membership meeting in August.

The Board discussed the possibility of appointing a Membership Director to maintain the membership roster, mail out membership cards, advise members regarding amounts due, etc. Under the Bylaws this falls under the responsibility of the club secretary. Unfortunately, Steve Staudenmeir indicated that he cannot take on anymore club responsibilities at this time. To date Stewart Robinson (mainly) and Steve Staudenmeir have each had a role in this but our perception is that the process isn't going as well as we would like. Board Member Larry Mason indicated that he would be willing to take on this role and the transition is in process.

Mario Muniz said that the Fall swap meet is scheduled for September 11th at our main field with gates opening at 7am.

Carl Lindou indicated he would like to have another club Fun Fly similarly to the one we had this past March and he will look into possible dates for that.

Also we discussed the desire for a Christmas Party and are considering whether we should have it at the field or a separate venue as some have favored. The Board members indicated that they would like to have such an event but no details have been decided at this time.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:09 PM.

Minutes submitted by Steve Staudenmeir

HEMET MODEL MASTERS EVENT CALENDAR

General Membership Meeting July	July 17th, 9:00am, Simpson Field
August Board Meeting	August 2nd, 7:00pm
General Membership Meeting August	August 21st, 9:00am, Simpson Field
September Board Meeting	September 6th, 7:00pm
Fall Swap Meet	September 11th, 7:00am, Simpson Field
SoCal USSMA Qualifier R/C Scale Contest	September 17th to 19th, Simpson Field
General Membership Meeting September	Needs to be reschedule due to Scale event
Fall Fun Fly	To be determined
Christmas Party	To be determined
Christmas Toy Drive	To be determined

Please note that members are welcome to attend Board Meetings. If you would like to attend, please let us know and we will forward the meeting location.

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SWAP MEET

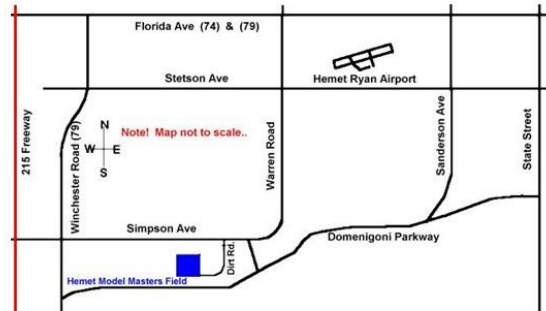
Gates Open at 7:00am

Sept 11, 2021

Let's have the best swap meet ever. Move some of that rc stuff that has been accumulating in your hobby room and make room for some new projects



\$5.00 Sellers Fee



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R/C SCALE CONTEST

Sept. 17-19, 2021

HEMET, CA

Pilot's Fee: \$35

Early Registration and Practice on Friday
Static Judging on Friday & Saturday at 9am
Flight Rounds Start 9am Saturday & Sunday
Lunch Provided on Saturday
Turbines Allowed w/waiver
AMA Required For All Pilots

600ft x 72ft Paved Runway
Overnight Dry Camping Available
Hotels & Restaurants Ten Minutes Away!

Free for Spectators!



Competition In Five Classes:

**EXPERT
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ADVANCED*
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PRO/AM SPORTSMAN*
(*ARFs allowed)**

Beginners Welcome!



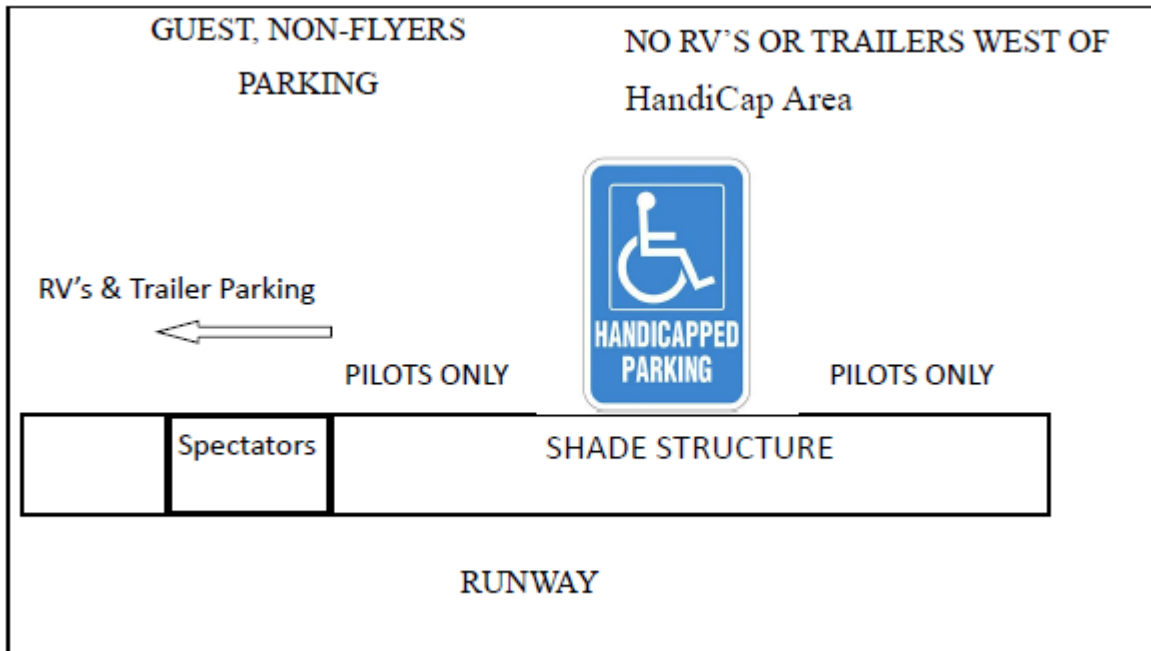
Further Details at
U.S. SCALE MASTERS
www.uscalemasters.org

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(760) 807-5519

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Parking Plan For the Main Field

Parking by the shade structure is reserved for pilots. Non-flying individuals, spectators and guests are to park south of the shade structure. No RV's or trailers are allowed West of the Handicap parking area. If you are parking a trailer in front of the shade structure, the total length must not exceed 18 feet or you must unhook.



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Safety At Club Flying Sites

Starting of any engines is north side of yellow line, aircraft facing runway. No taxiing in the pits and staying within established perimeters , exceeding 400 ft ceiling. We have full scale aircraft overhead all the time and it only takes ONE incident to lose our field. No flying over the field workers on adjacent properties EVER!

All members are required to carry a first aid kit and fire extinguisher in their vehicles when flying. You never know when you or a fellow member will need some aid. Be prepared!! We strongly urge that no one fly alone.

TURBINE, IMAC and PATTERN MUST HAVE A SPOTTER WHEN FLYING!

Use of Club Facilities

You must be a member of our club or a guest to use our facilities. Members please have your membership cards with you when you fly. Guests (per the bylaws) are allowed to fly three times prior to joining but must have an active AMA membership. Guests and 72mhz flyers must have AMA on frequency board prior to flying!

The Hemet Model Masters will extend courtesy membership to any "Active Military" individual allowing them to fly at our club fields as long as they have a current AMA membership.

Retrieving Crashed Aircraft From the Aqueduct Near Our Main Field

Aqueduct Information for Retrieving crashed aircraft. Mike Thompson is the service representative that services the aqueduct near our main field. If your airplane is behind the second fence and not in the water runoff it is serviced by Mike Thompson. His direct line is 626-844-5610. Note: Before calling be nice and explain that you are with the Hemet Model Masters and that you have crashed you're rc plane beyond the second fence and would like to retrieve it without breaking any laws. If your plane is between the first and second fence it is serviced by another agency (Securitas Security), Mike Thompson can not help you. Hopefully this will help our members to retrieve their aircraft.

HEMET MODEL MASTERS
2021 Renewal Form
Po Box 754 San Jacinto, Ca 92583

First Name _____ Initial _____

Last Name _____

AMA Number _____ Ex _____

Address _____

City _____ St _____ Zip _____

Contact Phone Number _____ Date of Birth _____

Email address _____

Amount sent \$ _____

Club Id Cards are sent upon verification of AMA status . You can mail in your dues or see any club officer. [PayPal Info; hemetmodelmasters@gmail.com](mailto:hemetmodelmasters@gmail.com) (friends and family no fee). If you use regular PayPay add \$5.00 to cover fees.

If paying your dues at the end of the year is difficult you can start to make small payments at anytime starting now. See any officer and get a receipt so we can keep track.