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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



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Summer is here and we need to make sure that when at the field we bring water for hydration.

The Lakeview/Davis field flyers need to be careful when retrieving aircraft in the brush, we have spotted rattle snakes out there in the past, no reason to think they have moved away just because we make a little noise with our aircraft.

I went out there with VP Floyd Whitehorn and buzzed down a lot of the growth around the flying area. Our tractor is small and can't handle the large growth. Hopefully the County will step up like they have in the past and getter done.

Richard Lawrence, Club President

# BOARD MEETINGS 1ST MONDAY OF THE MONTH GENERAL MEETING 3RD SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

#### **NEXT GEN MEETING APR 20, 2019 9:00 AM AT AIR PARK**

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# **HEMET MODEL MASTERS BOARD MEETING**Minutes for April 1, 2019

Special Board Meeting called to order by President Richard Lawrence at 6:05 pm. Board members present; Stewart Robinson, Floyd Whitehorn, Vincent Michael, Dwayne Higgenbothem, Jeff Barker, Eddie James, Kevin McDonald, Don Turner and Steve Staudenmeir. Guest; Dave Phillips

A special meeting was called by Club President Richard Lawrence to discuss the issues and possible confrontations that may have occurred between some club members at the main flying field. The guidelines set up in the HMM By-Laws were followed and all the parties involved were interviewed by all the Board Members present. A motion was made as to whether to accept the statements from those involved and from members who either heard the comments made or witnessed the situation as accurate, the Board concurred that the information was credible and then moved on to discussing what the outcome should be towards the member who made some comments that were totally unacceptable and conduct unbecoming a member of this club. Discussion covered anything from 30 days suspension to revocation of membership in the Hemet Model masters. Numerous motions were made and discussed and in the end a 90 day suspension has been applied to the member in question. It is required in the By-Laws that anytime disciplinary action is taken by the club it is to be published in the newsletter.

Meeting adjourned at 8:35 PM Members Present 10 Minutes submitted by Mario Muniz

# HEMET MODEL MASTERS GENERAL MEETING Minutes for "March 23, 2019"

Meeting called to order by President Richard Lawrence at 9:20 am.

Treasurer Stewart Robinson submitted the monthly treasurer's report, motion to accept Vincent Michael and seconded by Silvio Sandvoss, voted on an approved by all members present.

Secretary Mario Muniz asked for a motion to approve the minutes of the last general meeting, motion made by Dwayne Higgenbothem and seconded by Ralph Torres voted on an approved by all members present.

Richard Lawrence opened the meeting by letting the members present know that the Scale Masters event will not be held at our club. Let it be noted that the club was in favor of hosting the event. We were informed by Mr. Kitteringham that they have secured a place to hold their event.

The club received some donations from an individual of transmitters, flight simulators, etc. Secretary Mario Muniz delivered these items to the San Jacinto Charter school that the club is associated with.

A note to all; Lifetime Membership in the Hemet Model Masters for 2019 Only is \$600.00 and can be paid in full or in payments agreed upon by the Club Officers generally two or three payments. This is available only for 2019. The regular Lifetime fee is \$1500.00

The discussion then went into the area we fly in and some individuals are getting dangerously close to the highway north of the runway, this topic will be further discussed on the safety page in this issue

Meeting adjourned at 10:17 am Minutes submitted by Mario Muniz Total Attendance 21 persons





AMA Sanction 19-8293

# June 7th-9th, 2019

Hemet Jet Rally



**SPONSORS Global Jet Club Banana Hobby** Pacific Jets House of Balsa/Zap **Dynamic Hobbies Ace-X Turbines Kingtech Oils Bad-Boyz RC** 

Pre-Registration; Paypal Friends/Family to hemetmodelmasters@gmail.com Pilot Fee \$40.00

1st, 2nd, 3rd Place Awards; Best Scale, Best Sport, Best Foamy, Most Flights.

AMA/Turbine Waiver Required 8:00 AM

Raffle and Auction To

Lunch Fri/Sat \$6.00 5:00 PM

Dinner Saturday \$10.00 **Night Flying** 

Dry Camping; No Hook Ups **Electrics Only**  **CD: Neal Smiley** Co-CD: Mario Muniz mmkarbiz2@gmail.com

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# CLUB RULE: TURBINE, IMAC and PATTERN HAVE A SPOTTER WHEN FLYING

#### SELLERS CORNER

JR 11X 2.4 Transmitter with upgrades, lipo, custom sticks and software upgraded to XG. \$300 OBO 50CC MXSR Breitling color scheme includes two JR 8411 servos. \$150 Mario (909) 969-1003

Our friend and fellow modeler Art Chavez (Life Member) has for health reasons given up the hobby that he loves so much. He graciously donated some items to the club along with a trainer aircraft that the club can use to teach a new generation of flyers. Thanks Art

Members please have your club card with you when flying. This means everyone. Also new guests (per the by laws) are allowed to fly three times, then they must join to use our facilities. 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.

Hemet Model Masters Club Site www.hemetmodelmasters.net

#### **Metropolitan Water District**

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.

#### **FAA Guidelines**

• All aircraft that are flown using a ground control system, such as a transmitter, are required to participate. This includes fixed-wing aircraft, not just multi-rotors or drones. • Any pilot flying models weighing between .55 pounds (or 250 grams) and 55 lbs is required to register. You only need to register once every 3 years.

registermyuas.faa.gov

#### **Notice**

The Board of Directors had a meeting to go over some issues that occurred a couple of weeks ago at the main field between some members of the club. The Board interviewed all the individuals involved and after much thought and discussion it was determined that one member of the club while looking out for the best interest of the club was perhaps overly aggressive in his approach to the issues and some comments were made that are totally unacceptable for any member to say. As a result all the guidelines laid out in the club by-laws were followed and the determination of the Board is that the member in question has been suspended from all activities at the Hemet Model Masters facilities for a period of 90 days beginning Tuesday April 2, 2019 and concluding on July 2, 2019.

The above information is required in the by-laws to be published in the newsletter.

Permanent TFRs issued for major sporting events and Disney properties

On October 27, the FAA issued three Permanent Temporary Flight Restrictions (TFRs) creating restrictions for the airspace surrounding major sporting events and the Disney properties in Anaheim CA and Orlando FL. The new flight

restrictions permanently prohibit the operation of unmanned and radio-controlled model aircraft within roughly 3.5 miles of both the Disneyland and Walt Disney World theme parks. The restrictions are also in place for a period of one hour before and one hour after major sporting events.

From the school Facebook Page

**San Jacinto Charter Academy** 

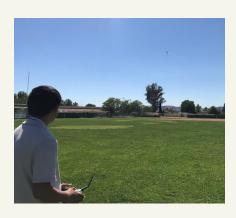
Aviation Academy - April 18, 2019

Hemet Model Masters donated an RC airplane, transmitters and a few other items for our students to work on and fly. Students had to first make some repairs, made a few modifications, added an engine, took it for its first SJVA flight.

**Hemet Model Masters Field** 









The Pattern event was great, participation was off a little this year but all in all the club enjoys having the event every year in March, as always well organized and a great bunch of flyers.

I received a call from the County of Riverside thanking us for allowing the Menifee Club to use our facilities. Originally slated for 55 days it stretched into almost 5 months. The weather was not cooperating with the construction crews and all the massive amounts of rain continued to create delays. They have informed me that the end date is May 20th, 2019. The Menifee flyers will have their field back. We will be changing the combos again at the end of May and all members of HMM will get the new codes.



The IMAC Event went very well, extremely well organized. Sadly early Saturday morning there was a mid-air. Everyone had fun and the weather was great.





Good Food Well Organized

Always a Pleasure Having these pilots show us their skills



See you in 2020

#### **SAFETY ARTICLE**

It is extremely important for all our members to fly safely and within the established flying area of the field. We are having aircraft going too far out to the north of us and getting dangerously close to the highway. This can not be allowed to continue to be an issue. Anyone who continues to exceed their flight envelope to include getting so far out that they propose a danger to passing vehicles and the possible closure of the field will not be allowed to fly at our facilities.

The roadway to the north of the pits is almost a half mile away, no one needs to fly that far out, no one.

Spotters keep an eye out for full scale aircraft at all times while helping your fellow members during their flights.

This issue has caused some heartburn with a few members but common sense has to prevail, the property we occupy is not private land and as such we can be asked to pack up our toys at any time. Don't cause problems for the club!!

Starting or running motors under the shade structure is against HMM club rules. This means ALL motors, Gas/Nitro/Turbine and Electric.

All electrics should have a kill switch on radio!!

#### **IMPORTANT NOTE**

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.

#### SAFETY AT THE FLYING SITES

PLEASE ADHERE TO CLUB SAFETY POLICIES, THESE WERE PUT IN PLACE BY YOU THE MEMBERS AND A FEW OF YOU CONTINUE TO IGNORE THEM.

Starting of any engines is north side of yellow line, aircraft facing runway. No taxing 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!

The Hemet Model Masters April Birthdays

Rick Fite, Americo Giordano, George Mannning, Mario Muniz Jr., Doug Anderson, Mark Petersen We would like to welcome our newest members to the Hemet Model Masters

Mark Bulgarelli, Michael Fetyko, Anthony Campbell, Frankie Migliaccio, Leon Huerta, Robert Natherton and Robert Carbajal

## **2019 Consolidated Schedule of RC Events**

This is just a guideline of what some clubs are doing, however the dates are not correct and since the passing of our friend Bob Estella the clubs are not communicating with each other as they should. I will try to get the info but I have enough on my plate and will not take this on as well. Any club who gets this newsletter and wishes to send us their event info we will do our best to include them in the newsletter.

Mario Muniz HMM Club	Secretary 3
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	Pomona ValleyModel Airplane Club Scale Fun Fly Riverside RC Club Quickie 500 Race
Wednesday, April 25 <sup>th</sup>	Chula Vista Model RC Club Float Fly at Otay Lake
Saturday, May 5 <sup>th</sup>	Corona Radio Control Club Open House
Saturday, May 12 <sup>th</sup>	Menifee Valley Flyers "Warbirds over Menifee"
	Circle City Flyers Fly-In and Open House
June 7th-9th, 2019	Hemet Model Masters Jet bRally
Wednesday, June 27 <sup>th</sup>	Chula Vista Model RC Club Float Fly at Otay Lake
Wednesday, July 4 <sup>th</sup>	Corona Radio Control Club Member Appreciation
Saturday, August 4 <sup>th</sup> tion"	Menifee Valley Flyers "Hot August Nights Club Apprecia-
August 10/11, 2019 <sup>th</sup>	Hemet Model Masters "Warbirds at Hemet"
Wednesday, August 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Chula Vista Model RC Club Float Fly at Otay Lake
Saturday, September 8 <sup>th</sup>	Hemet Model Masters Autumn Swap Meet
Saturday, September 8 <sup>th</sup>	Menifee Valley Flyers Annual Poker Fly
Saturday, September 8th	Corona Radio Control Club Electric/Gas Fun Fly
October 6/7 <sup>th</sup>	Hemet Model Masters "IMAC Regionals"
	Chula Vista Model RC Club Float Fly at Otay Lake
Saturday, October 27 <sup>th</sup>	Corona Radio Control Club Float Fly at Lake Perris
	AMA EXPO WEST at the FAIRPLEX Pomona
	Corona Radio Control Club Christmas Party & Toys for
Saturday, December 8 <sup>th</sup>	Menifee Valley Flyers "Spark of Love Fun Fly & Toy Drive"
Saturday, December 15 <sup>th</sup> Hemet Model Masters "Holiday Event/Toy Drive"	
	April 10, 2019

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