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THE BARNSTORMER

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Ladies and Gents,

This is my last newsletter as your club President, and I wanted to express my appreciation for the opportunity to serve the club as your President. Hemet Model Masters is very healthy, and I am excited about the future. While I would have preferred that we enter 2020 with a new runway, I am happy that we have the financial resources to invest in a quality flying facility once our long-term location is finalized. I look forward to supporting Stewart Robinson in his role as incoming President and I know that Stewart will make a great President for this club because he truly cares about the club and its members. It will be refreshing for me to move aside and allow someone else to lead and let me support that effort.

I want to take this opportunity to thank the officers and board members for their support of my presidency and working so hard to support the club and all the members with your time and efforts, support, input, and commitment to getting the work needed done whatever it was.

We all have a great club and great core group of guys that make this club the best in SoCal.

I look forward to flying with you in 2020.

Sincerely,

Richard Lawrence

President Of HMM

Reminder: Please pack your trashed planes home and last one out the gate, lock the gates.

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

NEXT GEN MEETING JANUARY 18, 2019 9:00 AM AT SIMPSON FIELD

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HEMET MODEL MASTERS BOARD MEETING

Minutes for December 2, 2019

- Meeting called to order by President Richard Lawrence at 7:00 pm.
- Board members present; Richard Lawrence, Stewart Robinson, Jeff Barker, Kevin McDonald, Vincent Michael, Don Radford and Steve Staudenmeir.
- Richard agreed to check on the date for crack repair at the main field.
- The Board discussed the fact that some flying is still occurring outside the field boundaries. This will be brought up to the membership again at the next general meeting.
- It has been noted that we have new members who have had questions about battery charging and safety. The Board agreed to provide some appropriate training on the topic of batteries at a future general meeting.
- Vandalism at both of the club's fields was discussed. Someone used a chain saw to cut down the signs at both locations. Also, the old covering structures at the main field were dragged from their existing positions and damaged. There was discussion regarding replacing the signage and the Board decided to proceed with replacement.
- The results of the 2020 Elections for Officers and Board Members were announced. The results are as follows:

President	Stewart Robinson
Vice President	Richard Lawrence
Secretary	Steve Staudenmeir
Treasurer	Stewart Robinson
Safety Officer	Vince Michael

Board Members	Don Turner
	Kevin McDonald
	Don Radford
	Dwayne Higgenbotham
	Eddie James
	Mario Muniz
	Jeff Malecki

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 PM

Members Present 7

Minutes submitted by Stewart Robinson

HEMET MODEL MASTERS GENERAL MEETING
Minutes for "November 16, 2019"

Meeting called to order by Richard Lawrence at 9:06 am

- Pledge of allegiance
- Meeting minutes Motion to accept by Ralph Torres and seconded by Lawrence Vasquez, all approved.
- Treasurers report: was reported by Treasurer Stewart Robinson. Motion to accept by Steve Staudenmeir, seconded by Don Radford all approved.
- Guests or new members: Gary Gruenke (new member)
- OLD BUSINESS:
 - The new membership cards for 2020 have arrived and Stewart Robinson showed them to the membership. In the future, the cards will be permanent and a sticker will be used to update them each year.
 - Richard Lawrence discussed his conversations with the City of Hemet regarding the potential move to a new flying location sometime in the future. The timing of such a move is not known but current estimates are sometime in the next 12 to 24 months. Further details will be announced as plans firm up.
 - The members were reminded that Lifetime Memberships are still available at a discounted rate of \$600. The discount offer expires after 12/31/2019.
- NEW BUSINESS:
 - Richard Lawrence proposed that Mario Muniz be given a Lifetime Membership for his service to the club. A vote was taken and all present voted in favor.
 - There are 2,738 square feet of cracks that will need to be repaired at the main field.
 - Ballots for 2020 Officers and Board Members are being distributed. Election results will be announced at the December General Meeting.
 - An expenditure of up to \$5,000 was proposed for crack repair at the main field. Motion to approve was made by Kevin McDonald and seconded by Eddie James, all approved.
- SAFETY:
 - Members need to remember to fly only within our field boundaries. All members are responsible for complying both for themselves and others.
 - Two planes donated by Jeff Malecki were raffled off at the meeting. Thanks to Jeff for donating two fine airplanes.

Meeting adjourned at 10:00 am Minutes submitted by Stewart Robinson
Total Attendance 37 persons

Special Congratulations to Mel Santmyers

Special congratulations to Mel Santmyers who successfully maiden'd his turbine jet on December 15th. At 88 years of age, Mel is the most senior jet flyer in our club by a fair margin. Thanks also to Mike Lin, Don Turner and Dave Phillips who assisted.



A Special Thank You To Don Turner, Eddie James, and Mario Muniz

As many of you might have noticed, the persons who cutdown our field signage also vandalized our shade structures. We don't have a before picture but suffice it to say they were quite bent and damaged. We owe special thanks to Don Turner, Eddie James, and Mario Muniz for doing such an awesome job repairing them.



Consolidated Schedule of RC Events

Saturday, December 14thHemet Model Masters “Holiday Event/Toy Drive”

January 18th and 19thDesert Warbirds, Coachella Valley RC Club

February 14th, 15th and 16th Coachella Jet Jam 2020

More to come!!

Hemet Model Masters Member Appreciation Day



December 21 2019

FUN FLY AND ANNUAL

TOYS FOR KIDS DRIVE

BRING \$15 UNWRAPPED TOY OR \$15 LANDING FEE

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

GENERAL MEETING 9:00 AM

FREE HOT LUNCH COOKED ON SITE FOR HMM MEMBERS

PLEASE RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP FOR 2020

NON-MEMBER LUNCH \$6.00



The 8th Annual
DESERT WARBIRDS
January 18-19, 2020 9:00AM – 2:00PM



Open to All Military Aircraft, AND
Golden Age Aircraft, ARFs to Giant
Scale, including Turbines (with Waiver)

Coachella Valley RC Club
Canal Regional Park
89452 54th Ave., Thermal, CA

Pilot Fee - \$30 (Includes Lunches) * Current AMA Required

Benefiting our Wounded Veterans



Free RV Parking – No Hookups



For More Info and Updates: WWW.CVRCClub.COM or AWILLIAMSON@EMC.ORG



The Coachella Valley RC Club
Presents



Coachella Jet Jam

February 14th, 15th & 16th
Benefiting Our Veterans

2020



AMA Sanctioned Event
Current AMA and
Turbine waver required

Canal Regional Park
89452 54th Ave. Thermal, CA.
For more info and directions ~ www.cvrclub.com

\$50.00 Pilot Fee Includes lunch Friday and Saturday by the Cone Zone
RV/Dry Camping for Pilots
Some Pilots will be rolling in on Moday the 10th and leaving on Monday the 17th.

For Information: CD Dan Metz ~ jetmandan43@yahoo.com

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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.

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

SELLERS CORNER

- MXSR 50cc Breitling Airframe incl 2 JR 8411 servos, \$150 obo (909) 969-1003 Mario
- Eflight SeaFury with retracts new never flown receiver ready \$150 see Mario

Members please have your membership cards with you when you fly. 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
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**HEMET MODEL MASTERS
2020 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.

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
December Birthdays**

Kambiz Azimzadeh, Gary Beese, Dalonna Blackwell, Gilbert Castillo, William Eichelberger, Mark Guerra, Dwayne Higginbotham, Rex Loudermilk, Edgar Lucas, Durall Sutton

**We would like to welcome our newest
members to the Hemet Model Masters**

**David Santiago, Frank Driscoll, Chris
Alford**

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.

Permanent TFRs issued for major sporting events and Disney properties

On October 27, 2018 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.

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