## **SPARKS RC Club Pilot Rules**

- 1. Pilots must be a current SPARKS member or a quest accompanied by a current SPARKS member.
- 2. All pilots must have proof of current AMA membership.
- 3. Pilots must either pass the SPARKS Safety Check before flying solo or fly under the direct supervision of an authorized SPARKS instructor. No exceptions.
- 4. Pilot must fly from the flight stations keeping their aircraft north of the flight line at all times and south of the barn in the adjacent field.
- 5. No more than 5 aircraft shall be in the air at any time.
- 6. Pilots must announce all takeoffs, landings and walking on the runway.
- 7. Full scale aircraft have the right of way and all model aircraft must move safari away from them when spotted.
- 8. Pilots must not be under the influence of alcohol or other drugs, including prescription medications, that may adversely affect their judgement, reaction times and ability to control their aircraft.
- 9. No hovering over the runway shall be allowed without verbal permission from other pilots on the flight line.
- 10. Only AMA and FCC approved model aircraft transmitters are permitted.
- 11. All pilots must obtain a frequency pin and leave their AMA card, even those flying 2.4GHz. Pilots shall adhere to a 20 minute flying time when sharing a frequency.
- 12. Engines shall only be run in the starting area. Batteries shall only be armed on the flight stands.
- 13. All other AMA rules not specifically listed shall be followed and remain in effect.
- 14. Violations of these rules shall result in the loss of flying privileges.