



SKY KNIGHTS

RADIO CONTROL FLYING CLUB



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2023

Executive Board Meeting Locations

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETINGS
WILL BE HELD AT THE CHURCH
UNLESS FURTHER NOTIFIED.

UPDATE

Dec 2, 2023

PEARL HARBOR DAYS

Food and beverages available at the event!

**SUNDAY
DECEMBER 10, 2023**

(A day that will live in your memory!)

FREE! NO LANDING FEES! PRIZES!

9 am until 1pm at the Orient Field

Join us for one of the most exciting experiences you will see in RC planes! Marvel at many experienced (maybe a bit rusty) RC pilots fly amazing aerobatics (some intentional) replicating exact aerodynamics as depicted in the infamous Pearl Harbor attack.

Possible fun events (may) include

- Bomb drop!
- Spot Landings!
- Dogfighting!

FEATURING WORLD FAMOUS "SKYKNIGHT CHILI"

For more information
contact Event Director
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ONLY ONE MORE WEEK UNTIL FLY-TIME!

This year we will have the event on December 10th (the nearest Sunday this to December 7th) at the field come rain or shine. (Looks like rain) but it is all fun so be sure to come out. Flying starts around 9am. Food will be available.

New Club Officers Voted In!

Your officers for 2024 have been elected! Railroaded for the third (or fourth?) time is President Dennis Young! Vice President again will be Marc Cenicerros, new Treasurer will be Tom Lincoln and our new Secretary will be Steve Connors. Thanks for agreeing to (once again) take on the very important jobs that make the club function so well. We all know how much work you all perform "behind the curtains" including going to swap meets to get door prizes and

Monthly SkyKnight meetings are held the second Monday of each month through May at the Mountainview Christian Church and at the field from June through September.

Winter Build/"Frankenbuild" is Still ON!

The long, dark winter nights are perfect for starting a build project or repairing one of your "accidents" from previous years for next Spring! For those of you who are new to this fun event, each year Gregg Marshall hosts a fun contest where those flyers who love to build, put together and in some cases rebuild the airplane of their choice. Then, next Spring at our annual opener, you will give it a "maiden flight" with others who have entered their places to see how (or if) it will fly. This is an incredibly fun event and the Board makes it even better by sometimes offering up a kit or two as part of a raffle open only to pilots of the winter build/rebuild planes. Keep building on your planes! And be sure to send in your photos so others can get inspired. Plenty of time left!! Here are the rules:

1. Can be a new build from a balsa kit **or a rebuild** from a previous hard landing. Must post at least one picture of the build on the SkyKnights Facebook page and must be a current picture.
2. Previously started kits okay, but must be less than 50% completed/not covered when picture is posted.
3. Can be any size or type of kit (Locke/tab, die cut, scratch built)
4. Can be glow, gas or electric
5. Open to any AMA member
5. Must be completed prior to AND flown at the Spring 2023 maiden party

We will have a maiden party at this spring 2023 picnic. The aircraft must take off, make at least one lap, and then land-controlled.

Here are a few more planes getting ready for Winter Build Contest:



Door Prize for last November meeting , courtesy of Mad Dogz Hobbies!!

This super spectacular Spektrum BNF rx went home with Andy Gale who won last month's drawing. Be sure to check for when the next plane will be raffled off.



SkyKnight Meetings Can Mean BIG Raffle Prizes!

YOU, too may be the next lucky winner of a special plane in the next general meeting scheduled for Monday, Dec 11th. For just a few bucks you can bring home a beautiful aircraft or even some special building tools. Be sure to come before 7pm and buy your raffle tickets. Dennis has acquired some very nice items!

Indoor Flying Started Thurs Nov 9!

Come over to the Mountainview Church gym for some great (no wind) indoor flying. Take a look at all the action going on every Thursday evening **except the first Thursday night of each month!** Check the calendar on our website for confirmation. This year we will have a "landing fee" of only \$1 per person/night or \$15 per season to help pay for rental of the room. One prize ticket per night and 5 extra tickets for season buyers. More information will be presented by Monday's meeting. All flyers must have AMA.

Please bring \$1 to help support the use of the space. Limit helis to 230 size or smaller. Must have AMA

Skyknights E-Board Meeting Minutes 6th Nov 2023

Members Present:

Dennis Young, Marc Cenicerros, Tom Lincoln, Gregg Marshall, Ken Manske.

At 6:53 P.M. the meeting was called to order by President Dennis Young.

The minutes were read and approved.

Treasury: Checking \$1830.42, Savings \$4904.32

Membership: 72 Paid.

Old Business:

- Marc checked out Saylor's for a possible place for our club's banquet The cost would be \$45.00.
- Marc volunteered to find out the cost for the Margarita Factory as a place For the Banquet.
- Tom checked out Rock Pizza is also a for our banquet, they can handle use; however, they do not have an elevator for those that would need one.
- Tom has scanned all of the old minutes so we can archive or flying will cost \$1.00 per night or \$15.00 for the year.
- Winter build has started.

New Business:

- Pearl Harbor is set for the 10th December.
- Meeting adjourned at 7:24 P.M.

Skyknights General Meeting Minutes 13th Nov 2023

At 7:00 P.M. the meeting was called to order by President Dennis Young.

The minutes were read and approved.

Treasury: Gregg Marshall reported checking is at \$1830.42 and savings is \$4904.32

Membership: We have 72 Paid members at this time.

Old Business:

- Tom filled out the paper work for Pine Hollow as our AMA secondary Land suite.
- Winter Build has started.
- Pearl Harbor is set for Dec 10th rain or shine or snow.
- Our Holiday banquet will be in Jan no location has be set yet.
- Indoor Flying started Nov 9th, we need someone to take the \$1.00 fee from everyone, that has not already paid.
- There will be no indoor Flying the first Thursday of each month.
- If flying helis, they can be no bigger than a 230.
- We need to make sure to have our AMA# and your FAA# on each plane you fly.
- We need to set up a train the trainer day, so we can have more trained people to help.

New Business:

- In case of an emergency call 911 first, then call one of the club officers and they will try to contact the person's other half.
- Elections were held! President will be Dennis Young, Vice President will be Marc Cenicerros, Treasurer will be Tom Lincoln, Secretary will be Steve Connors.
- Each person was seconded and voted on.
- Weather permitting, we will have a New year Eve Fun Fly.

Next meeting will be at the Church.

Meeting adjourned at 7:38 PM.