

TRI-VALLEY RC NEWS

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NOTICE

***NEXT MEETING IS October 3, 7:00 PM
Veterans Memorial Community Center, Santa Maria***

NOTICE

EDITOR'S COMMENTS: This newsletter is being distributed using the current 2007 active member roster. If you change your e-mail, or any other pertinent information, it is your responsibility to inform the club in order to continue receiving the newsletter and other mailings. Also, I am trying to update the RC frequency usage list. Please look at your copy of the roster, and if there is no record of your RC channels, or if the channels listed need to be updated, please send the information to me. Include 2.4 GHz if you have one of those radios. This is to help you and other club members to select channels that are not already crowded. A chart showing the current data is at the end of this newsletter. Please use the following e-mail address for club newsletter comments and correspondence to the editor: tvrc@charter.net.

PRESIDENT'S CORNER: [Ed. Note. The President's work schedule prevented him from getting notes to the editor in time to get the newsletter out before the October 3 meeting. Attend the meeting to hear the latest news about the club, the field, etc.]

Ken Van Corbach,

President, Tri Valley RC Modelers

SEPTEMBER 5, 2007 MEETING MINUTES: (From Secretary Gerald Miller)

The meeting was opened at 7:10 PM by President Ken van Corbach.

Other officers present: Jim Oberst, Vice President; Cornel Krainz, Treasurer; and Jerry Miller, Secretary.

Guest: Prospective member Brad Hensley was welcomed.

Treasurer's Report: The 7 day CD balance is \$0.00. (All funds transferred to checking to be available for field development.)
The checking account balance is \$47,936.00.

Safety Report: Jim Oberst has been appointed Deputy Safety Officer.

Field Committee Report: Our club has had several meetings with the Elks. They will make a final decision by October 2nd. Rod Thompson complimented Jim Oberst on his presentation to the Elks. There was no response from the Elks at the presentation. Jim Oberst suggested that we have a probability of about 40% of coming to an agreement with the Elks. The Elks concerns are that the county might disapprove of the use or that the proximity to the airport might be an issue. The runway location on the Elks property is currently staked out.

Old Business: **War Bird Fly-In:** \$715 in raffle tickets were sold at the Fly-in. Additional funds are due from club members and Big Boys. New club member Alan Sewell won the Raffle airplane.

New Business: Nominations for 2008 Officers:

For Vice-President --

Chuck Barnes nominated Brad Hensley
Jim Oberst nominated Frank George
Frank George nominated Ken Clark

For Secretary--

Jim Oberst nominated Jerry Miller
Les Holland nominated Frank George

Crash-of-the-month: George Salisbury won the prize for ripping out two sets of retracts in one day.

50-50 Drawing: Ken Van Corbach won the 50-50 drawing.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:10

Current RC Frequency Utilization

