



# THE PLANE TRUTH

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF  
**THE CIRCLE CITY FLYERS**

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE — SEPTEMBER 2019

What a great year we've been having! The SoCal summer has been warm and perfect for flying. We've had two fantastic events this year and many great days of flying. We have one final event to schedule in 2019, the annual Circle City Flyers Christmas Party! Unfortunately, the Marie Callender's where it was held last year has closed so we need an alternate location. If you have any suggestions or know of a clubhouse that we can use, please let a board member know. We intend to have an awesome Christmas Party raffle like we always do so please, if you have anything to donate to the club let a board member know. More Christmas Party info will follow shortly via emails to members in the coming weeks. I hope to see you ALL there!

Remember that starting with 2020 member renewals, CCF will REQUIRE a copy of your FAA registration card AND an AMA membership to renew CCF club membership next year. Several clubs were already shut down due to violations of the FAA requirement so the board is being proactive with this requirement. It's only \$5 for 3-years of FAA registration so this should be a non-issue for pilots. Go to this website to register: <https://faadronezone.faa.gov>

Finally, something we need to start thinking about is nominations for next year's board. If you would like to run for office our you would like to nominate someone for office please email your nominations to Ethan Marsh at [circlecityflyers@aol.com](mailto:circlecityflyers@aol.com). If you nominate someone, please discuss it with them first. Voting will take place during the November meeting & the winners will be announced at the 2019 Christmas party.

THE NEXT CLUB BOARD MEETING IS AT DELEO FIELD on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of October (Oct. 19<sup>th</sup>). We have a small raffle every meeting so please come to the meetings to hear about what's going on in the club & maybe you'll win something there too!

On final approach - Rick

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### 2018 CLUB OFFICERS AND APPOINTEES

- President: Rick Tucker
- Vice-President: Eddie Wen
- Secretary: Ethan Marsh, 714-637-4418
- Treasurer: Jose Navarrette
- Member-At-Large: Jeff Lucas
- Editor: Ed Bialon
- Web Admin: Brent Peterson

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## Tidbits

### \$50 MEMBER DONATION SLURRY SEAL OF RUNWAY.

Effective in January 2018 all members were asked to donate \$100 to slurry seal the runway. The donation was broken in two annual payments of \$50 in 2018 and \$50 in 2019. Please donate your share so that we can do our needed runway repairs! Don't forget to pay your 2019 donation this year too!

### WHAT— NO INITIATION FEE FOR NEW MEMBERS DURING 2019?

Join now and save \$60. The club initiation fee is being waived again in 2019 to new members. Spread the word to friends that might be interested in joining our hobby and our club. This is a fantastic deal.

**Next Club  
Meeting  
October 21st!  
@ 11 AM  
At The Field**

## MEETING MINUTES — SEPT 21, 2019 — DRAFT

The meeting was called to order by President Rick Tucker at 11:20AM at Deleo Field. The minutes for the August 10, 2019 meeting were read by the Vice President and approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT will no longer appear in the newsletter. Contact Secretary Ethan Marsh with any questions regarding the report. President Rick Tucker reported the balance amounts in our checking and Slurry Fund accounts. No information given regarding the PayPal accounts. The information was submitted to the club.

### OLD BUSINESS

- Newsletter Copyright Infringement. President Rick Tucker was able to negotiate a reduced settlement and signed the release. This issue is resolved.
- Scale Event. Discussed the Scale Event and the \$93 profit from the event. Scale event tee-shirts produced \$170 for the slurry fund.

### NEW BUSINESS:

- 2020 CCF Elections and Nominations. Discussion held regarding the 2020 Officer Elections and Nominations. Members can submit all nominations for the 2020 board to a current board member. Voting to take place at November board meeting with winners announced at the Christmas Party.
- Christmas Party. Location discussed. Last year's location (Marie Callender's) is closed. Doug & Allen are going to explore local community club houses. Site TBD. Open to suggestions.
- Checking Account. Rick purchased more checkbooks for the checking account.
- AMA EXPO West. Discussed who is going to AMA EXPO West on November 1st through the 3rd.
- AMA Elections. Discussed voting ballot and member preferences for AMA President.

SHOW AND TELL: None.

RAFFLE: None.

Meeting adjourned 12:35 PM.  
Submitted by: Rick Tucker  
President — Circle City Flyers

## MEMBER BIRTHDAY- OCTOBER

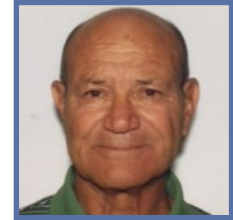
Stan  
Wagner  
Sept 11



Ronald  
Mullins  
Sept 29



Gerrold  
Burk  
Sept 13



Edsel  
Labao  
Sept 17



Curtis  
Sidles  
Sept 30



## 2020 BOARD NOMINATIONS

Our club's process for nominating club board officers and conducting the election commences in October (next meeting). Active club members can nominating club members for office at the October meeting either in person or by proxy nomination which can be given to any existing officer prior to the meeting.

All candidates will be published in the newsletter prior to the November meeting. Voting will be held at the November meeting (check the newsletter for the date). Mail-in ballots will be made available to those members who have voting rights but cannot attend the meeting (see the club secretary for a proxy ballot). Those ballots, returned by mail before the November meeting, will be counted as if those persons were present at the meeting. A majority vote is required to win the election.

Elected officers serve for one year commencing on January 1st following the election. Their term ends on December 31st following the election.

Supporting Personnel will be appointed by the elected officers and confirmed by a simple majority vote of those members present and voting during a regular meeting: i.e. Newsletter Editor, Contest Director, etc.

*For more information regarding the club's nomination and election process please refer to the club's bylaws which is located on the club's website.*

Editor

## HELPFUL FIELD AND CLUB HINTS WHILE AT THE FIELD

- Obey all AMA and Club Safety Rules.
- In case of fire at the field, call 911 immediately. If fire crews appear, either by truck and/or by air, immediately cease flying and ground your aircraft. All emergency responders, fire and law enforcement, are given priority to combat any and all threats that endanger life, property and the safety of individuals. Please do your best to assist and not be part of the problem.
- As of January 1, 2019 all members are required to have an ABC Fire Extinguisher at the field when they fly located in the pit area. Fly safe and be safe. Bring a First Aid Kit as added protection.
- Our field is in an area populated by wildlife including snakes. Please be aware of this danger and act accordingly when walking in the brush.
- Please pickup your trash before leaving the field and dispose of it in trash containers or if needed take it home with you.
- Fly with a buddy! Sometimes having an extra set of hands and eyes are helpful!



## CIRCLE CITY FLYERS CLUB #1862

### CLUB MEETINGS & NEWSLETTER

At a recent club meeting a motion was passed to have our monthly club meetings on the third (3rd) Saturday of the month unless otherwise noted in the meeting minutes. This to increase club participation. All members are encouraged to attend! There is no flying during the club meeting.

The newsletter is published monthly for the benefit of its members and is also available through our website.

Guests and potential new members are always welcomed to attend club meetings and to visit DELEO field.

Circle City Flyers is a group of people who love RC flying.

Normal folks, who find the utmost joy in creating and flying wonderful machines that inspire awe and put just a bit of color in the sky.

CCF is a non-profit, AMA affiliated flying club.

The CCF has one of the best flying facilities in Southern California. We are located just south of Corona, California, just a few minutes from the 15 Freeway.

The club is well established and member's interests range from helicopters to 3D Planes. We fly gas, turbines, electric, glow, scale, profiles and combat wings. We have RC pilots who have flown for 40+ years, and beginners who are just learning the joys of flight. Got a question? Just learning? Curious? Come on down!

You can find folks flying most days, with the weekend mornings being very popular. Mornings are calm with winds generally increasing throughout the day.

Come to our field, and check us out! Visit our website at:

<http://circlecityflyers.com/index.php>

