



# The Plane Truth

-The Official Newsletter of the Circle City Flyers-

## CCF President's Message

*It's time to renew your memberships for 2023! Where else can you get a full year of enjoyment and good times for only \$75!!! Even if you are a member that hasn't been using the field as much lately due to your schedule or covid or your taking break from the hobby or whatever, please still consider keeping your membership current since our club relies exclusively on member dues to maintain the field. Since we were robbed in January, we need members to keep their dues current more than ever. Renew today & we'll see you at the field when you return!!*

Renew your CCF Membership here: [www.circlecityflyers.com/plans-pricing](http://www.circlecityflyers.com/plans-pricing)  
Renew your AMA here: [www.modelaircraft.org/membership/enroll](http://www.modelaircraft.org/membership/enroll)  
Renew your FAA here: <https://faadronezone.faa.gov>

**Hey everyone: CCF Event Notice:**  
**Jet Rally on Saturday Sept. 16th AND another night fly will be happening that evening!!! Stay tuned for more details. (& Checkout Page 9 of this Issue)**

*Please remember to stay hydrated when visiting the field. It's been a hot summer and dehydration can cause all kinds of problems. The biggest issues with dehydration are being fatigued, feeling dizzy and general confusion. If you haven't peed in a long time, you're dehydrated. If you are not feeling sharp and alert bad things can happen especially when piloting our planes through the sky. It's a safety risk to your plane, your body and the members around you if you aren't thinking clearly. For example, you make a mistake like forgetting your e-bird is plugged in and you "test" the throttle stick. PROP STRIKE! The safety of all our member is the top priority at CCF. Please remember this when at the field.*

*Deleo Field shade cover build photos! If you haven't seen them yet go to the CCF Group Facebook page and check them out. Back in 1998 the club members (some are still members) got together and built the awesome shade canopy at Deleo Field. Enjoy!*

**CCF BOARD MEETINGS ARE HELD AT DELEO FIELD on the 3rd Saturday of the month at 11am. The next meeting is on Saturday, August 19th. Stay well and see you at the field!**

*"On final approach,  
- Rick"*



AMA Chapter 1862  
Est. 1990

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### 2023 Board of Directors

- President  
**Rick Tucker**
- Vice President  
**Eric Whitcomb**
- Secretary  
**Ethan Marsh**
- Treasurer  
**Don Ralston**
- Member at Large  
**Travis Bonnar**
- Editor & Webmaster  
**Erich Ische**

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# July's Gallery



Submit your photos to our FB Group or email:

[Admin@CircleCityFlyers.com](mailto:Admin@CircleCityFlyers.com)



# Bulletin Board & Calendar



## Al Bronder Estate Donation

Al's family reached out to the club and has donated some of his beloved collection including tons balsa, propellers, fuel, linkages as well a few airframes to the club.

**\*\*Come out to our meeting 8/19 and please take anything you like.\*\***

The goal is to get as much of it to take to the air as possible. 2 of the 3 airframes are up for grabs as well. \* The 110" Rascal will be Raffled at a later date.



**REMINDER**  
Fire Extinguishers required always

Must be staged (out of your vehicle) and at the ready whenever flying.

**NO EXCEPTIONS!**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<h1>August 2023</h1>						
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19 <i>Club Meeting 11AM @CCF</i>
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

**Check out pg. 9 for our upcoming events next month!**

# CCF Meeting Minutes

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**7/15/23**  
**1059hrs**

The meeting was called to order by President Rick Tucker at 10:59 am at Deleo Field..

**MINUTES:** The minutes for the June 17, 2023 meeting were read and approved.

**TREASURERS REPORT:** As reported by President Rick in the absence of Treasurer Don Ralston. The Treasurer's Report was approved.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

**EVENTS:** 4TH of July for next year was discussed.

**FRIA:** President Rick reported no news on FREIA.

**DONTATION:** President Rick offered free samples from RTL Fasteners.

**FACILITIES:** President Rick reported that Rightway (Porta-Potty) has been paid through December of this year

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

**MX USEAGE:** President Rick reported that Kawasaki Motorcycles will be using our field on Tuesday and Wednesday and will be closed for flying. (Dates already passed)

**COMMUNITY RELATIONS:** Rick Tucker reported that he printed some Club Flyers for distribution to Hobby Shops, etc.

**NEW MEMBER:** New Club Member Trey Pitruzzello was introduce to the members present at the meeting

Meeting adjourned at 11:28 am.

Respectfully submitted, Ethan Marsh -Secretary

# July Birthdays

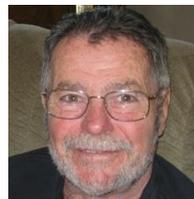


## Support our Local Hobby Shop!!

Circle City would like to thank **HobbyTown of Corona** for their continued support of our club! Make them your 1<sup>st</sup> RC Shopping Stop!



**Robert Frantal - 10th**



**John Loker - 16th**



**Jason Scott - 25th**



**Dheer Maheshwari - 29th**



**David Jones - 30th**



# Happy Birthday!

# Important Info



Support our LHS:

HobbyTown USA  
340 N. McKinley  
St. Suite 107  
Corona, CA 92879  
951/272-4020



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## **FIRE EXTINGUISHERS ARE MANADORY AT THE FIELD**

Please bring a fire extinguisher when you fly. *Make sure that the extinguisher is charged and at the ready!*

***THIS MEANS OUT OF YOUR CAR AND IN THE PITS!***

## **WEAR YOUR CLUB BADGES AT THE FIELD**

It helps us to both ensure our membership and allows us easier recognition and introduction of our newest members.

## **CLUB MEMBERSHIP DUES, APPLICATION FORM, AMA TRUST AND FAA REGRISTRATION NEEDED**

Your 2023 Club Membership Dues must be paid to maintain your flying privileges with CCF. Payments are most easily made thru our updated site at [www.CircleCityFlyers.com](http://www.CircleCityFlyers.com).

Alternately payment can be made directly to the Ethan Marsh, Club Secretary, or send a check (not cash) to CIRCLE CITY FLYERS, P.O. BOX 78732, CORONA, CA 92877. Complete application required including your AMA and FAA Registration Numbers. Once paid and information is vetted you will receive the new gate lock combination for 2023.

## **CLUB MEETINGS**

Our club meetings are currently held at the field the 3rd Saturday of the month. Meeting time is 11AM and it usually lasts approximately for 1 hour. There is no flying permitted during the club meetings. If you have any ideas, issues or concerns; please join us at the meeting and give them a voice.

## **NO INITIATION FEE FOR 2023**

Our club approved to drop the \$60 Club Initiation Fee for 2023. This makes joining the club a great deal for new members. The initiation fee for 2023 was waived per a motion at our September meeting.

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## HELPFUL FIELD AND CLUB HINTS WHILE AT THE FIELD

At CCF safety is our #1 priority, followed closely by having fun...  
...and we all know it's no fun when someone gets hurt.

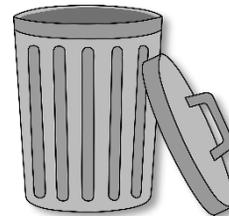
- Obey all AMA and Club Guidelines.
- Be mindful of your fellow members.
- Call out your intentions when flying with others.
- If someone is unintentionally endangering themselves, mentor.
- If you need flight with no air traffic, just ask for it.
- If you need help with anything, just ask.

CCF is focused on low stress fun and friendly mentorship,  
Take advantage!



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!  
Having an extra set of  
hands and eyes can  
always be helpful.  
Plus, someone will be  
there to confirm that  
awesome trick you just  
did, really happened..

# About Circle City

## Deleo Field

Is home to the Circle City Flyers. Nestled against the foothills just off the 15 freeway in secluded Temescal Canyon featuring a paved 500 x 50 foot runway. Running southeast to northwest our club site also features a 200 foot covered awning as well as waste facilities.



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St. Suite 107  
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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 and we have 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 (AMA Charter est. 1990) and member's interests encompass the entirety of aviation. We fly gas, electric, glow, & electrics; Scale, 3D, and FPV; Profiles, combat wings, multi-rotors, helicopters and even a couple turbines.

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 the most popular. Mornings are calm with winds generally increasing throughout the day.



# Upcoming Events



*Presents:*  
**Jets Over  
Temescal  
Valley**



**Come join us for our  
inaugural Jet Event!**



**Open to EDFs & Turbines  
(AMA & Turbine Waivers Required)  
Multiple Awards & Raffle Prizes  
Civilian, Military & Sport Class  
Flying, Fun, food and friendship  
Details to follow @**



**2 for 1! Both events held Sept. 16, 2023**

**[www.CircleCityFlyers.com](http://www.CircleCityFlyers.com)**

*Followed By:*



**After  
Hours  
Fun  
Fly**



**You guys know the drill..  
LEDs on,  
Flashlights out &  
Illuminate the sky!**

