



# The Plane Truth

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## CCF President's Message

### It's time to renew your memberships for 2024!

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 you're 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. Renew today & we'll see you at the field!

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>

### 2023 Board of Directors

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Hey everyone,

Jets Over Temescal Valley on Sept. 26th was a roaring success!!! What an exciting jet event we had with a full pilot turnout and huge number of spectating visitors. Fun, speed and excitement was served up in heaping portions! Jets, jets and more jets! Thanks to our VP Eric Whitcomb for being the EC on this, our Webmaster Erich Ische for the awesome flyer, etc. and thanks to everyone that volunteered to make this such a great event! There are lots of pics from the event on the CCF FB page, go check them out. We hope to do this event every year so if you missed it this year, don't miss it next year!

Effective immediately - Circle City Flyers at Deleo Field has a **NEW CLUB RULE: NO FLYING BEFORE 8:30am and NO FLYING AFTER DARK.**

This request of our membership has come straight from the Deleo Family as they received an environmental complaint concerning early morning flying that was disturbing a local endangered bird (an Owl) and its nesting habits. In case you weren't aware of how we got our wonderful field, almost 35 years ago Jerry Deleo, out of the goodness of his heart, gave a portion of his private land to the then members (some are still members) of Circle City Flyers to build a field to fly model airplanes. Jerry Deleo and now the Deleo Family have graciously allowed us to fly on their land all these years without charging us a single dime. We are their guests on their land and we are grateful that we can continue to operate the club at its current location. I know it's a bummer for all you early risers; however, you can still get there early, just don't fly until 8:30 (not 8:29). Your CCF BoD appreciates your understanding and compliance.

Please also mark your calendars:  
The Annual CCF Christmas Party will be Noon on Saturday December 9th  
Pizza & Raffle!!!

CCF BOARD MEETINGS ARE HELD AT DELEO FIELD on the 3rd Saturday of the month at 11am. The next meeting is on Saturday, October 21st. Stay well and see you at the field!

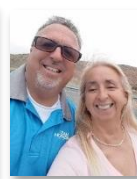
"On final approach, - Rick"

### Next Club Meeting

Saturday  
October 21st  
11:00A



# Jet Event Gallery



Submit your photos to our FB Group or email:

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



# Bulletin Board & Calendar



**FYI:**  
The field will be CLOSED on October 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>.

Like last year, we are opening our field to some of our neighbors that want to do some filming on the motorcycle tracks. Deleo Field will be CLOSED to all aircraft for the film crew's semi-trucks, camera gear, man-lifts, etc. so please observe the closure on those days.  
Thanks in advance!



**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>October 2023</h1>						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	<b>CCF CLOSED – KAWASAKI</b>				
		31	<b>HAPPY HALLOWEEN</b>			

**Club Meeting**  
 11:00A @CCF

# CCF Meeting Minutes

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## \*\*\*No September Meeting Was Held\*\*\* Next Club Meeting Saturday Oct. 21st

Hi! I'm your Editor and Webmaster, Erich.

As we have no meeting minutes to report this month I figured I'd utilize the space to highlight some recent developments for CCF.

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### UPCOMING CLOSURE:

**CCF Closed Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>  
For Kawasaki Demos/Filming**

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### FRIA STATUS UPDATE:

**WE GOT APPROVED!!!**

Thanks to the concerted efforts of our President Rick Tucker, we have finally received our FRIA approval from the FAA. This is a big win for CCF, more details to follow at our board meeting Sat the 21<sup>st</sup>.

# October Birthdays



**Amelia Ische - 7th**



**Kenneth Russell - 7th**



**Brett Baker - 8th**



**Brett Cifaldi - 10th**



**Chris Mobley - 10th**



**Patrick Hickey - 12th**



**Jesse Paz - 15th**



**Major King - 16th**



**Ryan Nguyen - 19th**



*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.

# Club Hints & Tips

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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.*

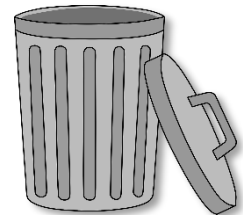
- Obey all AMA and Club Guidelines.
- Be mindful of your fellow members.
- Call out your intentions when flying with others.
- If someone is unintentionally endangering themselves, mentor.
- If you need flight with no air traffic, just ask for it.
- If you need help with anything, just ask.

*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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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.

