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August 2016

## **Message from the Club President**

Summertime is definitely here, it is really getting hot and humid in the afternoon. Those of us that get up early in the morning have a few hours to get in some good flying. So if you don't like the heat, come out early.

Hogs have stayed away lately, which is a good thing. Looks like swift mud's trappers have done a great job and we appreciate it very much. The runway repairs are coming along, and the grass is filling in nicely. Thank you again to all of the people that helped, with the repairs.

We must be doing something right, because we have gained 32 new members this year. We welcome all of them to our club. If you have a chance to meet any of them, introduce yourself and help them in any way that you can. Courtesy to everyone goes along way.

Hernando Aero Modelers Club has a swap meet coming up on August 20<sup>th</sup>, and the rain date on August 21<sup>st</sup>. Spectators are \$3.00 per person or \$5.00 per car load. Keep in mind Bay City Flyers Golden Era Fly-in will be held on the 10<sup>th</sup> of September at area 52 flying field.

It has also been brought to my attention, evidently some people cannot read and obey some of our field rules. One of our rules states you cannot fly when the birds are on the runway. But you may walk them off without harassing them. If you cannot comply with this, disciplinary action will be taken by the board that is stated in the bylaws, which can lead up to expulsion from our club. It takes everyone to comply with the rules, to have a safe flying field.

See you at the field.

Werner

## Meeting Minutes – July 2, 2016

**The meeting was called to order** at 10:10 a.m. by President Werner Keil

**The Pledge of Allegiance** was led by Joe Barzyz

### **New Members:**

Fred and Barbara Mulholland and Cameron Ernst were introduced as new members.

**June Minutes:** were approved. Motion by Werner Keil, second by Rich Ernst.

**Treasurers Report:** was presented by Treasurer Mike Sperato. Noted.

### **Old Business:**

**Indoor Flying:** Pete Rundel is heading up this project. He was not present to discuss.

**JROTC visit:** Darryl Sweetwine's JROTC visit was reported by Darryl. Very successful. The students had a great time.

**Electric Fly-in:** Report given by CD Bruce Horvath. Attendance was 19 pilots. Perfect flying day. Everyone had a good time.

**IMAC Meet:** There were 14 contestants. Nobody present to report.

### **New Business:**

**Flying at Summer Camp at Church in Tampa:** The flying demo for the kids is scheduled for July 25<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. Jim Slaughter will do the demo. Anyone else interested should contact Jim.

**Edger:** Ron Haines has been doing a great job weed eating at the field. However, he is using his own equipment. We need to provide the proper equipment for him. Discussion ensued whether or not we have an edger attachment for our weed eater. Tabled until **the next meeting**.

**Trainer Batteries:** It was reported by Don Mriscin that the batteries are being stored in the pilot lounge which can get quite hot inside. He suggested that we purchase a small refrigerator to store the batteries. All agreed. A refrigerator will be purchased.

**50-50 raffle:** Jim Goodman won the raffle.

Meeting Adjourned: Motion to adjourn by Joe Barzyz, seconded by Jim Cooley.

**The next meeting will be August 6<sup>th</sup>, 10 a.m. at the flying field.**

## 2016 TAMPA BAY AREA R/C EVENT CALENDAR

All dates are accurate at the time of printing, but are subject to change.

Club Name (and abbreviation)	Contact Name	Phone #	Email Address
Bay City Flyers (BCF)	Werner Keil	727-510-0402	wkeil@tampabay.rr.com
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Florida Flyers Club (FFC)	Malcolm Smith	352-567-7961	malsmith@tampabay.rr.com
Hernando Aero Modelers (HAM)	Chris Balser	517-320-9125	chrisbalserct@gmail.com
Largo Flying Club (LFC)	Ed Rouisse	727-446-6658	erouisses@aol.com
Sarasota RC Squadron (SRCS)	Steve Sundheimer	941-400-5255	stevesun13@aol.com
S.P.A.R.K.S.	Ed O'Krent	727-252-3544	eowestgate@esterlineandsons.com
Triple Creek RC (TCRC)	Gene Garand	813-645-1230	egarand@tampabay.rr.com
Tampa Bay Radio Control Flyers (TBRCF)	Brian Gafford	813-468-7188	rctampaflyer@yahoo.com
Tampa RC Aircraft Club (TRAC)	Scott Kantrowitz	813-752-5610	scott.kantrowitz@gmail.com
West Pasco Model Pilots Assoc. (WPMPA)	John Flood	727-845-4844	jflood@tampabay.rr.com
Zephyrhills Can-Am Flyers (Can-Am)	Jim Carey	813-962-2062	jimciiii@tampabay.rr.com

**JAN** 16-18 Can-Am "S.A.M." MEET  
23 - DH SWAP MEET

**FEB** 20 **TRAC** - SWAP MEET  
27 **TRAC** - BIG BIRD FLY-IN

**MAR** 4, 5 SE Model Show (Perry, GA)  
7 - 9 **RED FLAG** (Lakeland, FL)  
10 - 12 **FLORIDA JETS** (Lakeland, FL)  
19, 20 MacDill AIRFEST  
19 **BCF** - SWAP MEET  
26 **TCRC** - WATT-FEST (Electric Fly-In)

**APR** 2 **HAM** - FUN-FLY  
5 - 10 EAA "*Sun-N-Fun*" (Lakeland, FL)  
16 **TCRC** - WARBIRDS  
23, 24 **SRCS** - Golden Eagle Air Fare  
27 - 30 Begin **TOP GUN** (Lakeland, FL)

**MAY** 1 (Cont.) **TOP GUN** (Lakeland, FL)  
7 **HAM** - SPRING BIG BIRD FLY-IN  
7-14 **JOE NALL WEEK** (Woodruff, SC)  
14 **BCF** - ALL-ELECTRIC FLY-IN  
21 **TRAC** - FUN FLY COMPETITION  
28 **DH** - SWAP MEET

**JUN** 4, 5 **BCF** - IMAC SPRING CLASSIC  
18 **HAM** - FUN FLY

**JUL** - No Events Scheduled

**AUG** 13 **TCRC** - "FLY-N-SWAP"  
20 **HAM** - SUMMER HOT DEALS SWAP

**SEP** 3 **TRAC** - 23<sup>rd</sup> ANNUAL OPEN HOUSE  
10 **BCF** - GOLDEN ERA FLY-IN

**OCT** 8 **HAM** - CHUCK HELLINGS FUN-FLY  
15, 16 **TCRC** - Fall WATT-FEST (Electric Fly-In)  
22 - **DH** - SWAP MEET  
29, 30 **TCRC** - HELI EVENT

**NOV** 5 - **WPMPA** - SWAP MEET  
5, 6 - **SRCS** - CORVIN MILLER SCALE MEET  
12 - **BCF** - FIGHTERTOWN USA  
19 - **HAM** - FALL BIG BIRD FLY-IN  
20 - **TRAC** - THANKSGIVING Charity Fly-In

**DEC** 3 - **SRCS** - WARBIRDS  
10 - **TRAC** - SWAP MEET  
17 - **HAM** - SWAP MEET

2016 AMA membership is required to fly after January 1, 2016.

Bay City Flyers Flight Instructors		
01/17/2014		
If you are new to our club and need flight instructions or a check ride please contact Bill Intini, our Chief Flight Instructor. If you are a current member and would like to become a Flight Instructor please contact Bill Intini.		
BCF flight insrtuctors Names	Phone	Email
Intro. Instr - Jody Lopez	813.843.4011	<a href="mailto:maxiim76@aol.com">maxiim76@aol.com</a>

Joe Barzyz is a club Intro Pilot for Civil Air Patrol Students only

**Jody Lopez has been added as AMA for intro pilot status  
Contact info will be available soon.**



# Club Sponsors

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**Next Meeting is August 6th, 2016 10:00 AM Area 52 Field.**

**Check out our web site:**

**[HTTP://WWW.BAYCITYFLYERS.ORG](http://www.baycityflyers.org)**

*Review the Bulletin Board and our Website to keep informed of what is happening at the flying fields.*

The main gate at the flying field 52 must be kept locked when entering or leaving the field. The four tumblers must be turned each time the lock is closed. When entering the field if you find only one tumbler has been turned, try to find the last member who entered the field and closed the lock incorrectly. Explain to the individual that all four tumblers must be turned.

