

# Hot Air



## Message from the President

October 2017

Not a lot to report over the last month. Flying has been sporadic, due to the various weather systems that have rolled through the area. Hopefully, we will see some moderate weather patterns that will allow us to toss planes at Del Cerro. Entradero isn't as affected by the weather and is available weekday mornings with school having resumed.

Take a look at the AMA event calendar included here. There are a lot of soaring, scale and aerobatic events listed for October. It is really an impressive listing of events. Snap some pictures and write up your experience for the Newsletter if you attend one.

The vandalism at Entradero Park that was focused on the Little League facilities appears to have subsided. My experience is that the high school kids get bored towards the end of the summer and start doing stupid stuff like breaking into the buildings and tagging walls. Once school starts back up, the damage stops. I do not know for certain if that is what happened over the last two months, but the timing appears to be about right. Please continue to be vigilant and if you see any vandalism taking place contact the police.

With school back in session, flying is pretty much wide-open weekday mornings. Get out and fly. Weekends are not as open, due to scheduled games on the field. I will try to let you know if open weekends appear on the calendar.

Please contact a club officer if there are any issues with gate or field access. Remember that only club officers can distribute the combinations to club members.

There will not be a Fun-Fly at Entradero Park in the month of October. This month's Fun-Fly at Del Cerro will be held Saturday, October 7th. Guys usually start arriving between 12:00 and 1:00. The long range forecast is for clear skies and winds out of the west-northwest in the 10 mph range. If the wind direction holds, flying may be a challenge. Keep an eye on the weather and hope for a shift in direction.

All the best,  
Jeff

### Next Meeting

**October 4th  
La Romeria Park  
7:30pm**

### Upcoming Fun-Flys

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| <b>Del Cerro</b> | <b>October 7th</b> |
| <b>Entradero</b> | <b>None</b>        |



## October Modeling Meets in California

10/5/2017 -- Lost Hills, CA (AA) BOB WHITE MAX MEN INTERNATIONAL. Site: Lost Hills. William Booth CD PH: 760.842-1079 Email: booth@boothsuarez.com. Sanction #17/1269. Sponsor: MAX MEN

10/6/2017 - 10/11/2017 -- Lost Hills, CA (AA) KOTUKU CUP. Site: Lost Hills. Brian Van Nest CD PH: 760-873-5073 Email: bisheatfla@aol.com. Sanction #17/1836. Events; 150-155, 157-159, 165 CAT I (JSO). Sponsor: SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AERO TEAM

10/7/2017 - 10/8/2017 -- Bakersfield, CA (C) JOHN POND COMMORATIVE OT/RC CONTEST XXXXII. Site: 3130 DiGeorgie Rd. Robert Angel CD PH: 805.937.5145 Email: samrcflier@verizon.net. Sanction #17/1700. Ten basic SAM RC Events. Plus 7 SAM soecial events will be flown. SAM rulebook will be used, plus all applicable AMA rules. Sponsor: SAM 26

10/7/2017 -- Chino, CA (C) CLASSIC PATTERN/SWAP MEET. Site: Pvmac Prado Field. Calvin Orr CD PH: 805.937.5145 Email: calorrflyrc@hotmail.com. Visit: pvmac.com. Sanction #17/1813. Classic Pattern contest, all classes flown, entry fee \$20. Lunch for sale at field. PVMAC Chino CA. Check classicpatternassociation.com for call cards, membership not required. Contact CD or Robert Fish at akmotov@pacbell.net. Sponsor: POMONA VALLEY MODEL AIRPLANE CLUB INC

10/7/2017 - 10/8/2017 -- Sacramento, CA (AA) 28TH ANNUAL "BUD GARRIC" PATTERN CLASSIC. Site: Sacramento Area Modelers. Robert Obregon CD PH: 916-207-5470 Email: obregondds@gmail.com. Visit: sacramento-rc-flyers.com. Sanction #17/1218. Lunch served both Saturday and Sunday. Enjoy our potluck Saturday evening gathering and bring your night flyer! Contestant judging. Camping and RV's welcome, no hook ups available. Sponsor: SACRAMENTO AREA MODELERS

10/7/2017 - 10/8/2017 -- Ukiah, CA (C) DAWN PATROL & WWI JAMBOREE. Site: Ukiah Prop Busters Field. Gus Stutsman CD PH: 707.239.0354 Email: gusstutsman@yahoo.com. Visit: ukiahpropbusters.org. Sanction #17/1259. Open flying, missions, maneuvers for all WWI aircraft and micro antic racing. Sponsor: UKIAH PROPBUSTERS

10/7/2017 - 10/8/2017 -- Van Nuss, CA (A) HI JOHNSON. Site: Woodley Park. Steve Schiff CD PH: 805.526.7924 Email: rovrn@aol.com. Sanction #17/1945. Events; 323-326 (JSO). Sponsor: VALLEY CIRCLE BURNERS

10/7/2017 - 10/8/2017 -- Visalia, CA (AAA) CVRC ANNUAL FALL SOARING FESTIVAL. Site: Club Field. Adam Nelson CD PH: 559-303-0737 Email: 4adam16@gmail.com. Visit: cvrsoaring.com. Sanction #17/1611. Events; 442, 444, 460. AMA Rule 5.2a & 5.2b in effect. Each contestant shall be limited to two models per class. Either model may be flown at anytime throughout the contest at the direction of the competitor. Modified AMA rule 10. Sponsor: CENTRAL VALLEY RC SOARING CLUB

10/8/2017 - 10/11/2017 -- Lost Hills, CA (AAA) SIERRA CUP. Site: Lost Hills. Mike Mckeever CD PH: 916-390-3212 Email: vamckeever@aol.com. Sanction #17/1351. Events; 150-155, 157-159 CAT III (JSO). An American Cup and World Cup event for FAI Free Flight events. F1A, B, C, Q. Sunday mini events, Monday F1E 10/10 Reserve Day 10/11. Sponsor: SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AERO TEAM

10/9/2017 - 10/16/2017 -- Buttonwillow, CA (C) BEST IN THE WEST JET RALLY. Site: Elk Hills-Buttonwillow Airport. Joseph Castelao CD PH: 310.831.0074 Email: fl6jc@aol.com. Visit: bestinthewestjetrally.com. Sanction #17/1706. Sponsor: BARKS INC

10/12/2017 - 10/15/2017 -- San Diego, CA (C) SPATS INVITAIONAL. Site: Chula Vista Model Rc. Randy Hinton CD PH: 877.680.7685 Email: randy@bedrockboulders.com. Visit: cvmrc.com. Sanction #17/1307. Giant scale fly-in, minimum 78" wingspan. Nigh flying. Raffle prizes.



## October Modeling Meets in California (cont.)

10/13/2017 - 10/15/2017 -- Fallbrook, CA (C) SAN DIEGO HELIWEEN FUN FLY. Site: Johnson Field. Shane Brown CD PH: 760-554-5963 Email: shane@commission-tracker.com. Visit: palomarreflyers.com. Sanction #17/1913. We will be holding a Heli Fun fly. It will be similar to the Fun flys we've traditionally held in May, but we'll add a little Halloween flavor to it. Watch for the official notice on HeliFreek and mark your calendars now to attend. Sponsor: PALOMAR RC FLYERS

10/14/2017 -- Lake Balboa, CA (C) VALLEY FLYERS POKER FUN FLY. Site: Apollo Xi. Robert Smith CD PH: 661/298-2614 Email: bobthesmith2003@yahoo.com. Visit: valleyflyers.com. Sanction #17/1916. Please join us in our Annual high/low hand wins, poker fun fly. Prizes awarded for winning hands. See our flyer on our website. Sponsor: SAN FERNANDO VALLEY RC FLYERS, INC

10/18/2017 - 10/22/2017 -- California City, CA (C-Restricted) RACE OF THE CHAMPIONS VIII. Site: California City Airport. Anthony Husak CD PH: 440-474-9677 Email: racer749@gmail.com. Visit: usrainfo.org. Sanction #17/1595. All aircraft and pilots must adhere to USRA rules. All pilots must be AMA and USRA members. Unlimited, F1 Pro, F1 GT and Sportsman/sportsman pro class. To retrieve race info, see our website.

10/19/2017 - 10/22/2017 -- Madera, CA (AA) GOLDEN STATE STUNT CHAMPIONSHIPS. Site: Madera Municipal Airport. Brian Massey CD PH: 559.645.8018 Email: bjmassey2@gmail.com. Visit: californiacareclubs.com. Sanction #17/1189. Events; 322-326 (O). Open practice starting at 1pm Thursday and all day Friday. Old time and classic stunt on Saturday. PAMPA classes on Sunday. Saturday awards banquet at Host Hotel. Sponsor: PC FLYERS

10/20/2017 - 10/22/2017 -- Visalia, CA (A) CVRC FALL AEROTOW. Site: Cvrc Club Field. Christopher Pratt CD PH: 559.733.5188 Email: cmesoar@sbcglobal.net. Visit: cvrcsoaring.com. Sanction #17/1136. Events; 444 (JSO). It's that time of year again. Time for the Annual Fall Aero tow at CVRC all grass field. Tig pilots fly free. Camping, campers, motor homes ect are all welcome and lunch will be available Friday and Saturday, see you there! Sponsor: CENTRAL VALLEY RC SOARING CLUB

10/21/2017 - 10/22/2017 -- Lost Hills, CA (C) SAN VALEERS 30TH ALL NOSTALGIA ANNUAL. Site: Lost Hills. Terry Thorkildsen CD PH: 805/495-6135 Email: tthorkildsen1@yahoo.com. Sanction #17/1997. Sponsor: SAN VALEERS MODEL AIRPLANE CLUB

10/21/2017 - 10/22/2017 -- Perris, CA (AA) NSRCA DISTRICT 7 CHAMPIONSHIPS. Site: Riverside Rc Club Field. William Wallace CD PH: 951-246-2061 Email: bandagbilly@yahoo.com. Visit: riversidercclub.org. Sanction #17/1977. Events; 401-404, 406 (JSO). P-17 Silver class will be flown. Lunch will be provided for \$5. Bring your EZ Ups if you have one. Sponsor: RIVERSIDE RADIO CONTROL CLUB

10/21/2017 - 10/22/2017 -- S El Monte, CA (AA) VIRGIL WILBUR MEMORIAL SPEED & RACING. Site: Whittier Narrows Rec Area. Howard Doering CD PH: 714/638-4937 Email: hdoering@socal.rr.com. Sanction #17/284. Events; 301-310, 313, 329, 331, 334-335 (JSO). All speed events including A&B Electric, NASS sport jet, C Speed, Perky. Racing; F2CN, Super slow rat/fox, NCLRA Clown, formula unlimited, mouse I, scar Goodyear, quickie rat. Combat; 75mph & F2D Fast. Sponsor: CL SPEED FLYERS OF SOUTHERN CA

10/22/2017 -- Fallbrook, CA (A) RAID ON BOLGAINVILLE. Site: Johnson Field. Darrell Albert CD PH: 760-741-2505 Email: dalbert779@aol.com. Sanction #17/943. Events; 755, 760 (JSO). Sponsor: PALOMAR RC FLYERS

10/28/2017 -- Perris, CA (C) LAKE PERRIS HALLOWEEN FLOAT FLY. Site: Lake Perris Sra. John Kupinski CD PH: 951-201-5767 Email: jjkupinski@juno.com. Visit: larksrc.org. Sanction #17/1555. Halloween Float fly at Lake Parris State Recreation area. \$15 landing fee. State Park entry fee \$10. Flying from 8am - 2pm from a large sandy beach with parking. A Park snack bar and camping available. Sponsor: CORONA RC CLUB