

Victor Valley R/C Flyers, Inc.

"A California Nonprofit Corporation"

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GENERAL MEMBER MEETING MINUTES

Location: VVRCF Airfield

Date: April 12, 2025

A. **Call to Order:** 09:24 AM

1. Attending Board Members:

President: Office Vacant

Vice President: Rocky McCarter

Secretary: Andrew Fischrup

Treasurer: Office Vacant

Safety: Ike Vander-Weide

Field Marshall: Dan Curiel

Event Coordinator: Brian Huffmeier

3. Members in Attendance: 25

4. Guests/New members: 0

B. **Officer Reports:**

1. President: Vacant Office

2. Vice President: Discussed the lawyer's response to the board votes on club president removal and status of the ongoing litigation. A request to hold vote to have any board members to be removed by the club due to our actions as a board. No votes were recorded for the removal of current directors.

3. Secretary: Reviewed the club's special board meeting minutes.

4. Treasurer: None due to Vacancy of the office

5. Safety Officer: stay hydrated and watch sun exposure, was mentioned about respect for people on the runway. Make sure you announce you taking off and keep you plane clear of people.

6. Field Marshall: Dan is going to clean up the weeds and Tuesday will work with Jim on pylon repair. Status of the drag repair need for money donations. 250 dollars raised.

7. Event Coordinator: Spring war bird race April 26, Jets over the High Desert May16-18, Cinco de Mayo May 3, Desert May16-18, September 13-14 IMAC, and October 18 war bird race. All events are on the calendar.

D. Old Business:

- Drag needs repair, donations were raised for the repair. Required 250 dollars for the repair.
- Water Tank needs to be filled. Before jet event and check for leaks.
- March madness fly in and lessons learned from the event. Thanked members for their help with making the event as good as it was.

E. New Business:

- Open format discussion of the removal of the president and causal factors for the removal. There was continued discussion on if the vote in January was valid or not. The General behavior of the past president was not conducive for a striving club growth.
- Second fly in scheduled for May 3. All fun fly is a fly what you have event no restriction within reason. Talked about the 3 graded events. Plans for the event, menu, and caution about flying while the event is underway. But only during the graded events. Field will be open to everyone to fly not only the competitors.
- Need volunteers for the war bird race, also need to help people to help with outreach for the events. Please contact Rocky or Brian for assistance in volunteering.
- Brian Nominated Christopher Fischrup for Treasurer
- Rocky McCarter was nominated for President
- If anyone is wanting to nominate somebody for position on the board, there will be link on the website and or Facebook Groups page with 30-day grace period to complete nominations. A ballot vote will happen on the next General meeting.

F. Open Discussion:

- Raffle was held Rick was the lucky winner of E-flight F-16.
- June 14th Fun fly event trainer race and build glider race event. Jumbo Glider can be purchased at hobby Lobby for 10.00 and there is a \$100.00 dollar build budget for the race glider. Receivers are open and not part of the \$100 build budget. Basic PNP set up.
- July 12 War bird rally get those war birds dusted off and ready to show them off
- Hoodies for the jet event available for \$25.00 get with Brian for size and availability.
- Talked about Jet crash from Jay. The fire bottles need to be replaced and come up with an inspection requirement.
- If a Battery gets damaged, please after it is safe take it with you and dispose of the battery.
- Remarks were made by Tom Galland over the removal of him as president.
- Secretary made remarks about the reason for Tom's removal and why it was done read from the special board minutes and time stamps of text messages to the board of directors for request to reach out to Lake Arrowhead without club approval.
- Time limit is set to two minutes for new business to keep the meeting fluid and positive direction.
- Hangar 9 ultra stick will be held for raffle prize at a planned Christmas party 5.00 a ticket.
- We are a small group of happy fliers we should be able to be respectful to each other and move past all the arguments and focus on safe and fun flying.

D. Adjourned: Motion to adjourn and seconded at 10:33 AM

Minutes Submitted by Andrew Fischrup, Secretary

4/15/2025