

Cedar Rapids Skyhawks LOG BOOK

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Upcoming Events:

Sunday, December 2, General Club Meeting, Long Branch Supper Club, Marion, 7:00 PM. It is very important that everyone attend the December Club Meeting.

This is the meeting where the election of club officers for next year is held. Please be there!!

Saturday, January 12, January Club Party, Long Branch Supper Club, Marion, 6:00 PM. Put this fun social event on your calendar now! Remember that the Long Branch provides us our meeting room for the entire year free of charge. In addition, they have shown they appreciate our business by keeping the price for the party nearly the same as last year. Here is our chance to show our appreciation to them by having a great turnout.

Minutes of Club Meeting November 4, 2007

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm with 18 members present. The treasurer's report was given and all accounts were in order. The minutes from last month were read and agreed to.

The first item of business was the club web site. It was agreed that because of some major problems, the site will be taken down and rebuilt.

Next the nominations were read and the floor was open to new nominations, no new nominations were made. The election for 2008 club officers will be at the December meeting.

The club banquet was discussed next. Preparations are being made and Van will let the group know the details in December.

For the program this month Plenny Bates gave a presentation about how to apply monochrome numbers and letters to a model. Plenny also gave the members some tips on programming flaps and spoilers for sailplanes.

Respectfully Submitted, Randahl R Cady

What's happening to our web site?

Here is the story..... Our website got infected with some malicious malware. Our Webmaster, Paul Grubich, would remove it and then it would come right back. During this time, an organization that flags websites with potentially damaging web-pages, flagged our site as dangerous. This in turn was picked

up by Google, and caused a warning to appear everytime some one "Googled" for our site. Efforts to fix the website were not successful and it was determined that the site needs to be rewritten and moved to a more secure server.

Kerry Lawrence volunteered to do this and is currently rewriting the site and removing all malicious code on the pages. Paul has decided to let Kerry continue on as the new Webmaster once this rewrite is done. I know I speak for all Skyhawk members, when I say "Thank you!" to Paul Grubich, for his many years of great service as our Webmaster.

As of now, Kerry has "cleaned and rewritten" 75% of the website. The website is now being hosted on a temporary site as work continues to get it up 100% and placed on a new server.

When all is done, the site will look pretty much as it had in the past, but have no malicious code. The web address will remain the same and Kerry Lawrence will be the new Webmaster.

A temporary "redirect" has been placed on the old site to the new, 75% completed, site.

Notice

New members who pay dues after Oct 1 pay for the balance of this year and for all of next year. Proof of AMA membership for both years is required to receive a club membership card.

Reminder: You must have a current AMA Membership Card and Skyhawks Membership Card to fly at the field.

Your new Skyhawks membership card must be attached to your AMA card, and both should be placed in your frequency pin slot when you have the frequency clip. Thanks.

JANUARY CLUB PARTY

The Annual Skyhawks Dinner Party will be on Saturday, January 12, 2007 at the Long Branch Supper Club, Marion. Cash cocktails at 6:00 PM, Dinner at 7:00 PM. The menu choices will be 7-ounce sirloin, barbeque ribs or honey-mustard chicken. The cost will be \$20.00 including tax, tip and gratuity. Additional details will be discussed at the December meeting.

Absentee Ballot

Vote for the Nominees listed, or write in your choice.

President: Wendell Maakestad _____
Vice President: Randy Cady _____
Treasurer: Martin Miller _____
Secretary: Jim Buttleman _____



Cut out and mail completed original ballot to one of the following:

John Spargo
5960 Shiloh Lane
Cedar Rapids, IA 52411

Van Winegarden
249 38th Street Drive SE
Cedar Rapids, IA 52403

Your ballot must be received no later than Saturday, December 1st in order to be counted.

Cedar Rapids Skyhawks Radio Control Club

Membership Application

Date: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Name: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (H) _____ (W) _____ Email Address: _____ AMA#: _____

Proficiency Level (Circle One): Student Pilot Instructor

Xmitter Frequencies Used: _____ / _____ / _____ / _____

Active (Circle all that apply): Power Glider Helicopter Other _____

How did you hear about our club? _____

Membership Fees

Family	Open	Senior Citizen (65 and up)	Junior (up to 14)	Senior (15 to 18)	Associate
\$65.00	\$50.00	\$35.00	\$10.00	\$25.00	\$17.00

All fees paid after October 1st each year will pay for the balance of the current year as well as for the following year.

If you are unable to pay at a club meeting, send your renewal with PROOF OF AMA (Photocopy of your current AMA membership card) to: Cedar Rapids Skyhawks, P.O. Box 11662, Cedar Rapids, IA 52410-1662. AMA MEMBERSHIP REQUIRED TO FLY MODEL AIRCRAFT. YOU MUST SHOW YOUR CURRENT AMA MEMBERSHIP CARD OR PROVIDE A PHOTOCOPY TO A CLUB OFFICER IN ORDER TO OBTAIN A CLUB MEMBERSHIP CARD. ASSOCIATE MEMBERS WHO DO NOT FLY ARE EXEMPT.

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Deadline for submissions is the Tuesday following the Board meeting or the fifteenth of the month, whichever is later.
Consideration for exceptions will be made where the information was not available in time and is of wide interest.