

Cedar Rapids Skyhawks
LOG BOOK

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Upcoming Events

Sunday, November 3, 2013, 7:00 PM, General Club Meeting at the Long Branch Supper Club at 7:00 PM. Nomination of club officers.

“The Skyhawks are a great partner and add a wonderful recreational element to our city.”

**Daniel Gibbins, ISA
Parks Superintendent
Cedar Rapids Parks & Recreation
Department**

I used to have dreams when I was a kid that I'd go running down the street and jump up in the air and go flying and just fly through the air all by myself. That is what weightlessness is like.

— Robert Gibson

Cover photographs needed for the Logbook

We would really appreciate people submitting photos for consideration for use as the Logbook cover. Cover photos need to be in portrait mode, and should be as high a resolution as possible, preferably 2000 by 3000 pixels or more. Furthermore, the top third of the photo should be sky or some other appropriate background so as not to interfere with the banner of the Logbook.

Reminder: You must have your 2013 Skyhawks Membership Card to fly at the field.

Your current Skyhawks membership card must be placed in your frequency pin slot when you have the frequency clip. Everyone must use a frequency clip. Thanks.

Club Meeting Minutes

October 3, 2013

Todd opened the meeting at 7:00 pm with 14 members present.

Members introduced themselves and stated the projects they are working on.

Treasurer's report: Randy read the report.

Secretary's report: Jim read the minutes from the September meeting.

Old business: Geoff Barrance read the thank- you letter he received from the AMA collection manager for the donated "Fly Em" Sopwith C.L. model. Thanks, Geoff, for taking care of this for the club.

Todd discussed the birthday party "fun fly" we had at the field on Saturday, September 21st. The day was good for flying and many had the chance to fly on two of the "buddy boxes" that were in operation. Thanks to all that helped make this birthday party a big hit for the dad and the guests. The dad donated \$50.00 to the club.

There was a discussion about gate installation on the access road to the field. The Parks Department might install the chain again this year as it was last year. This would restrict access to the field during the winter months.

There was a discussion about building a shelter at the field. There are many variables and Parks Department guidelines involved in installing a shelter.

There was discussion about the possibility

of enlarging the field area for heli operations.

A motion was made by Mark Barnett and seconded by Dave Mazgaj to establish a committee to explore the idea of additional area at the field for heli flying. This committee will report back to the Club with their proposal.

New business: Mark Barnett asked if there could be a section on the club's web site specifically for members projects that are in progress. Randy Lepsch said it could easily be done.

Rich Dean said he is available to assist club members who are interested in instructing.

Nominations: Nominations of club officers for 2014 were opened.

President - Todd, nominated by Wendell.

Vice President - Wendell, nominated by Randy Lepsch.

Treasurer - Randy Lepsch, nominated by Geoff Barrance.

Secretary - Jim Buttleman, nominated by Gary Owens.

There will be nominations again at the November meeting. Elections will be at the December meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 pm

Show n' tell: Gary Owens was the lucky bidder on the Cub that was donated to the club.

Skyhawks Secretary, Jim Buttleman

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FOR SALE

Hangar 9 Cap 232, 73-inch wingspan, with Saito 180 Engine. \$750.00. Built by Wendell Maakestad. Contact John Spargo, 393-0171 or jspargo@spargoconsulting.com



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 \$78.00	Open \$60.00	Senior Citizen (65 and up) \$42.00	Junior (up to 14) \$12.00	Senior (15 to 18) \$30.00	Associate \$20.00
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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, 129 Meghann Dr., Marion, IA 52302. 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.