

Cedar Rapids Skyhawks  
**LOG BOOK**

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Walt McKee and his  
Extra 300



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## Upcoming Events

**Sunday, January 31, 2016**, Iowa City Aerohawks Swap Meet & Auction

**Sunday, February 14, 2016**, 7:00 PM, General Club Meeting at Hiawatha Public Library.

**Saturday, June 4, 2016**, Skyhawks Demonstration Day

**Saturday July 23, 2016**, Warbirds Over Iowa. Rain date July 24th

**August 12-14, 2016**, Owatonna Warbirds

**August 18-20, 2016**, Fond du Lac Warbirds and Classics

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He who demands everything that his aircraft can give him is a pilot; he who demands one iota more is a fool.

~Anonymous

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“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

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

**Your current Skyhawks identification badge must be worn when you participate in a flying activity. If you are flying on a 72 MHz frequency, you must use a frequency clip. Thanks.**

### **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.

## **Club Party Report**

### **January 9, 2016**

Per past practice, the January meeting was replaced by the dinner banquet. This year it was at the Lone Star steak house, Saturday, January 9th.

There were 25 people in attendance that enjoyed an evening of good fellowship and a nice meal.

This year's event was a more low key atmosphere, no prizes or games, but plenty of chat and chew.

Todd made mention that no prizes given this year due to saving money for the new runway mat, which will be a big club project coming in the near future.

Todd had his new Hawker Hunter there on display, and several attendees wore spiffy airplane design ties, so there was sufficient eye candy there to remind us this was an airplane event .

A very enjoyable evening. If you missed it, you missed a good one. Make plans to attend the one next year for sure.

Happy New Year to all.

Skyhawks Secretary,

Jim Buttleman

PLEASE POST

Mark the date! Huge Eastern Iowa  
Swap Meet & Auction, **GREAT LOCATION!**  
It's the 13th Annual Iowa City Aerohawks

# R/C Swap Meet

**SUNDAY, January 31, 2016**

At the **National Guard Armory, Iowa City**

Table set up at 8 a.m., Doors open at 9 a.m., **AUCTION** at 12.

All RC control interests welcome! 120+ tables! **Vendors too!**

Easy load/unload. Breakfast & lunch: coffee, donuts,  
bagels, soda, pulled pork sandwiches, chips available.

We've rented a HUGE facility with lots of space, and our  
members, vendors, and friends will be putting out LOTS  
of GREAT stuff from their workshops and home hangars:

**PLANES, CARS, TOOLS, HELICOPTERS, BOATS, KITS, ARFs**

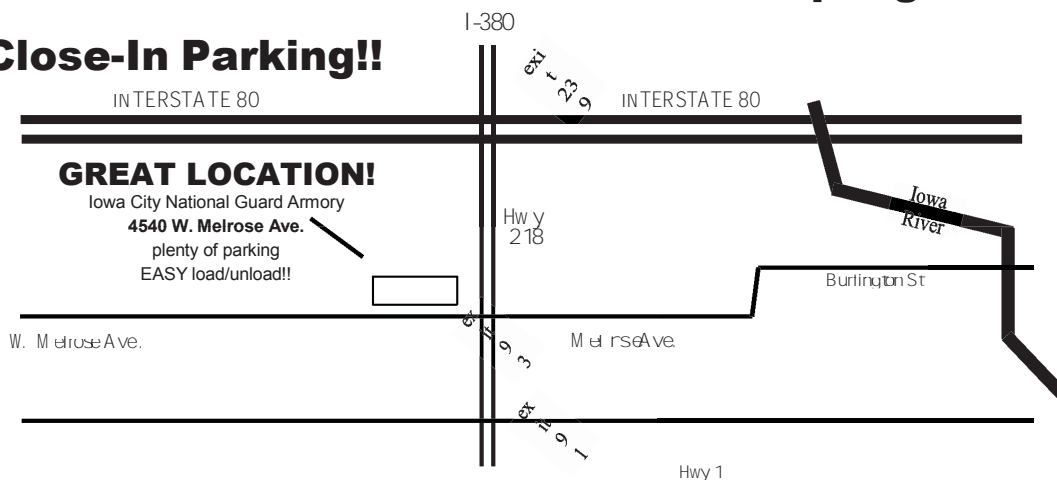
\$5 admission, Kids 12 and under FREE!

\$13 for 6 ft. table w/ chair (includes 1 admission), additional tables \$10

**BUT WE SELL OUT SPACES EARLY and YOU MUST RESERVE AHEAD!!**

Call Rich at **319-358-8519** or email: **rich.vedepo@gmail.com**

## Close-In Parking!!



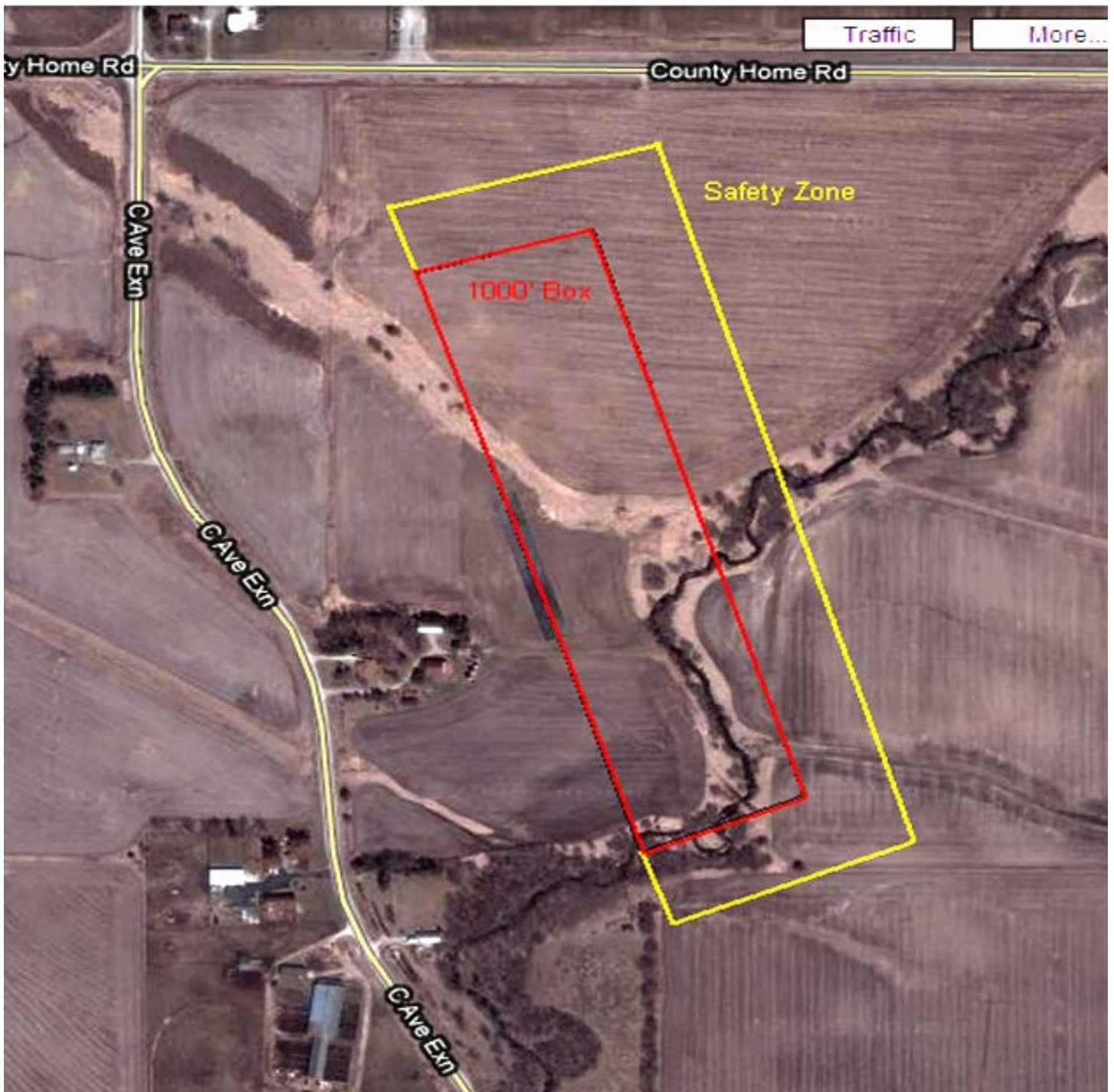
Iowa City Aerohawks is a radio control flying club. All Aerohawks are also  
members of the Academy of Model Aeronautics, Chapter 824

## Some reminders about our field flying area

There is a line that extends from the north and south end of the leading edge of the runway. Under no circumstances should aircraft be flown West of that line.

Pilots cannot fly from the other side of the runway in the morning to keep the sun out of their eyes.

As shown in the photo, we maintain the 1000ft X 500ft box as a flying area. We easily maintain the 250ft safety limit from County Home Road to the North.



# **Cedar Rapids Skyhawks Instructors**

We want you to have a positive experience learning to fly. The more successful you are starting out determines if you will enjoy the hobby. The most important first step is to find an instructor to help you get off to a good start. The best way to contact an instructor is to call and make an appointment. There is also an Instructor Availability Calendar on the Skyhawks Website.

## **Airplane Instructors**

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# 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, 1590 17th Avenue, 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.

**Cedar Rapids Skyhawks**  
1590 17th Avenue  
Marion, IA 52302

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.