

Cedar Rapids Skyhawks LOG BOOK

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crskyhawks.org

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Happy Trainer, Geoff Barrance's Tiger
Moth at WOI 2016

Photo by Todd Davis



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Upcoming Events

Saturday, July 22, 2017, Warbirds Over Iowa. See Flyer in this Logbook.

Sunday, August 6, 2017, 7:00 PM, General Club Meeting at the Skyhawks Field. In case of inclement weather, the meeting will be at the Hiawatha Library.

August 10-12, 2017, Owatonna Northern Alliance Military Fly-In. Details at: www.namfiflyin.com

August 17-19, 2017, Fond du Lac Warbirds and Classics Over the Midwest. Details at: www.midwestwarbirds.com

August 24-27, 2017, Ottumwa-AMA Foundation Jet Rally. Details at: <http://amablog.modelaircraft.org/amafoundation/jetrally/>

The only time an aircraft has too much fuel on board is when it is on fire.

~Sir Charles Kingsford Smith

“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

All club members must read and follow the safety rules. They are available on the website.

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 or Ham band, 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.

Skyhawks Meeting Report

July 2, 2017

The meeting at the field was opened at 7:00 pm with 14 members present.

Treasurer's report

Geoff gave his report.

Secretary's report

Jim read the minutes from the June meeting.

Old business

Todd discussed the coming Warbirds Over Iowa event.

KCRG Television is giving about \$11,000 worth of advertising for the event.

Tower Hobbies is donating four \$25.00 gift certificates.

The new Warbirds Over Iowa T-shirts are done.

An e-mail from Todd will be going out checking for volunteers for the Warbirds Over Iowa event.

A submission form can be made out by the club for a grant from the AMA for good publicity.

New business

The recent vandalism at the field of the parking area, fence, and the garage was discussed. Wendell and Jim Buttleman discovered the vandalism Thursday, June 29th, and reported it to the Park's Department and the Sheriff's Department. Access into the garage was gained by kicking in the door, damaging both the door and the lock hasp. After checking, it didn't appear that anything of value was taken from the garage. The parking area was rutted up by a vehicle with large, aggressive tires spinning doughnuts throughout the area. The spectator fence was also hit and stretched out of shape. Two Sheriff deputies reported to the scene and took information and pictures. The Parks Department repaired the damage to the garage entry door, and Wendell added a hook at the bottom of the door to help keep it shut. Using trail cams in strategic locations to possibly record these vandalism events was suggested and discussed.

Mark Barnett discussed the details of the pattern contest for the weekend of July 8th and 9th.

Meeting adjourned @ 7:45 pm

Skyhawks Secretary,

Jim Buttleman



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2017

WARBIRDS OVER IOWA



Saturday, July 22 (Bad Weather Date July 23)

9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

At the Cedar Rapids Skyhawk's R/C Airfield 500' x 70' hard-surface runway

On-site refreshments, great fellowship and lots of flying.

More info available at CRSKYHAWKS.ORG

**\$10.00 Flying Fee, Spectators Free. Proceeds Benefit HONOR FLIGHT
Awards for Pilot's Choice, Best scale appearance, Best flight, Best WW2**

AMA Membership Required

Aircraft must be real warbird replicas, (no modified Extras etc.)

No Park Flyer type aircraft (under 2lb)

Times may be reserved for demonstration flights of special aircraft.

For more information contact: Todd Davis, CD, at 319-361-2513

2017 Iowa Pattern Championships, by Mark Barnett

The Cedar Rapids Skyhawks held their first pattern contest in 27 years on July 8 & 9. The weather was perfect. 21 competitors came from 5 states to participate including 5 flyers competing in their first contest. Club class and sportsman flyers were paired up with masters class flyers who worked to calm nerves, gave coaching tips and called maneuvers for their apprentices. Both masters and club/sportsman came away with good memories from the contest. Friday and Saturday nights many enjoyed a group meal at a local restaurant. Good lunches were served both Saturday and Sunday by Robin Barnett and Pam Gorden. The electronic scoring system was used and worked great. (* denotes first pattern contest)



CR field

Flight Order







Bobby with bat

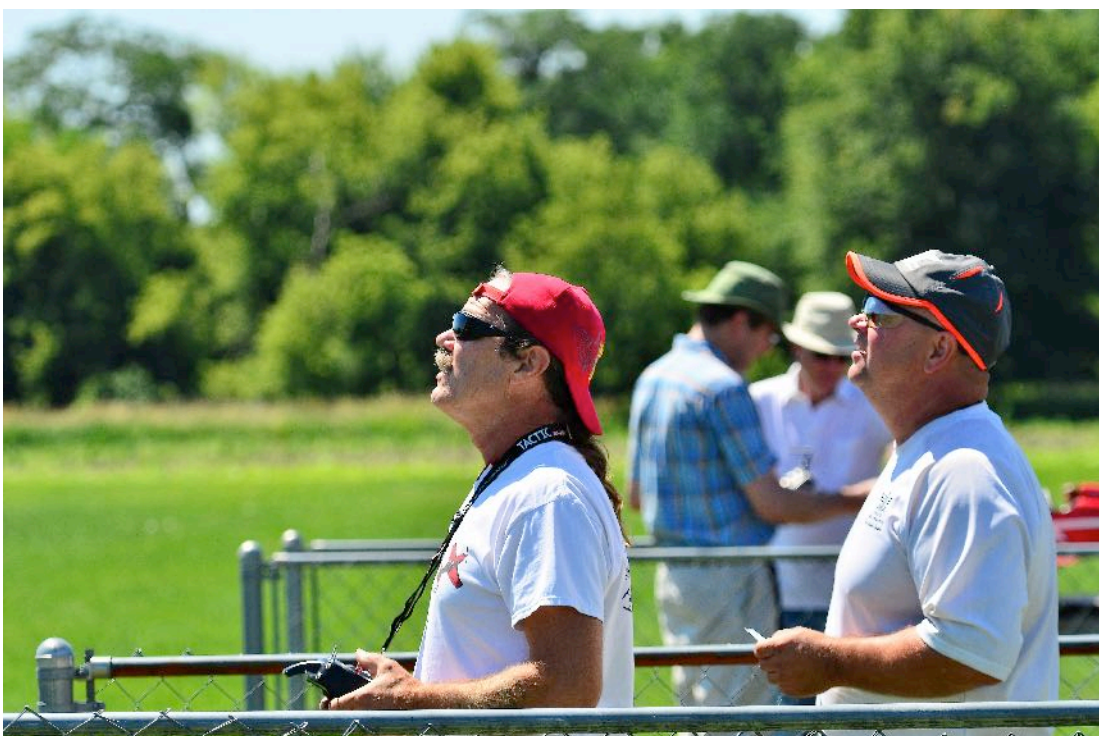
Club Class

Rex Strait * 3959

Geoff Barrance* 3936

Randall Davis* 3796

**Randall
and Evan**





Geoff and Jon



Rex and Ed

Sportsman

Wendell Maakestad	4000
Jonathan Wilke	3924
Ken Hanawalt*	3690
Lynn Richardson	3643
Mark Taylor*	

**Doc with
plane**



**Mark and
Mike**



Wendell and Mark



Dave and Ken

Intermediate

Jim West	3968
Jan Jansen	3965
Robert Wheeler	3782
Kevin Gorden	3712
Donald Grzina	3649



Kevin with plane

Advanced

Mark Barnett

4000



Robin with Lightning

Masters

Vicente Bortone 4000

Evan Krause 3971

David Snow 3935

Mike Mueller 3921

Robert Satalino 3789

Ed White 3759

Thomas Gilkey 3627



Dave and Evan

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.