

Cedar Rapids Skyhawks
LOG BOOK

Established 1962 - AMA Charter 1007

crskyhawks.org

MAY, 2020



Todd Davis' 1/4 scale Lavockin
LA-7 in flight.

Photo by John Cox



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Upcoming Events.

Saturday, June 6, 2020, (Rain Date, June 7). **Flight Demo Day.**
1:00 to 4:00 PM. **CANCELLED DUE TO COVID-19.**

Sunday, June 7, 2020, Club meeting at the field, 7:00 PM.

Saturday, July 18, 2020, Warbirds Over Iowa.

Saturday and Sunday, August 22-23, 2020, Pattern Contest.

September, 2020, Possible club fly 'n swap meet at the field.

A pilot who says he has never been frightened in an airplane is, I'm afraid, lying.

~Louise Thaden

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

**Daniel Gibbins, ISA
Former 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 President's Notes

May 11, 2020

Hello fellow Skyhawks, I hope you are all staying safe and keeping busy through these trying times. Even though we were not able to have a May meeting, I thought I would send out a letter.

The field is open, and we will hope for some good flying weather to get here soon. Everyone should do their part to help maintain social distancing while at the flying field. If you have any symptoms (you all know what they are by now) please stay home. Remember, many of our members are on the older side, and may have conditions that make it important for us to keep them safe from Covid-19. Since we're outside, I don't believe it necessary that we all wear masks, just try to keep your distance.

The runway is not too bad, but it could use the typical spring roller treatment. If anyone has a truck with a hitch and would be willing to help pick up and drop off the roller from A-1 Rental, let me know. The exact day we will get it will depend on the weather and availability of the roller, as well as the availability of the truck to haul it.

We plan to have the next meeting at the field on June 7. We will not have a demonstration day that was originally scheduled for June 6. All other events are still on at this time since they are later into the summer.

Remember to get your membership submitted to Geoff. Once you have paid, you can get your 2020 badge from me the next time I see you at the field.

I hope to see you all at the field, I am sure we could all use a few nice days outside in the sun.

Todd Davis, President, Cedar Rapids Skyhawks.

From Dave Logan: I've almost completed my Pacific Theater P-47 Razorback. It's modeled after the final plane flown by MOH recipient Col. Neel E. Kearby. He had 22 Japanese kills and was a leading ace in the Pacific Theater. I need to get with the warbird master and run the engine and check out all my settings, do a few touch ups and she'll be ready for a maiden.







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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Helicopter Instructors

NAME	PHONE	EMAIL
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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
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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.