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PVMAC President's Message by Phil Goodwine



Hello once again to all PVMAC members and fellow friends and flyers. December and the Holiday season of giving and sharing good times is upon us.

The 10th annual PVMAC Toys for Tots event was held at Prado on December 7, 2008.

What a great day it was. The rain and wind held off so we could all get in some great flying, and better than

that, the PVMAC had a great turnout of pilots and friends donating 262 toys, and cash donations to purchase other toys for the kids.

We should all thank Steve & Teri Parola, and Lonnie & Betty Morrison for doing a wonderful job orchestrating this event, their diligent efforts, and a great job well done.

We would all like to thank those companies that for many years have contributed to this wonderful event ~ Horizon Hobby Chris Tehl/ Ontario Dist. Center

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Welcome to our new monthly newsletter!

We pledge to do our best to provide you with interesting and useful content on a monthly basis, and we welcome your input.

Feel free to email your submissions to Larry Marsh.

2008 PVMAC Board

President: Phil Goodwine
 V.P.: Chuck Pozanac
 Charley Mitchell
 Dave Arellano
 Martin Nelson
 Paul Smith
 Roy Barringer
 Steve Parola

Newsletter: Teri Vernieri

Calendar of Events

January Events

- Tues 1/6/09 Board Meeting @ 7 pm
- Tues 1/13/09 General Meeting @ 7 pm



Important Messages

Be Safe, Carry the Essentials

This serves as a reminder that everyone using our fields should carry a fire extinguisher and First Aid kit in their own vehicle or trailer.

Anything can happen at the field, and usually does when you're unprepared.

Be Safe... Be Prepared!

Prado Field

If you are the last person out at Prado Field, PLEASE make sure you lock the yellow gate behind you!

Norton Field

Some arriving fliers at the Norton have found the field cable unsecured.

Please remember, if you're the last flier out at the field please make sure you put the cable across the runway and ensure it is padlocked on both ends.

You've Been Spotted

We've started a new feature called "You've Been Spotted", highlighting some of our members who have flown at our 2 fields.

In order to keep the newsletter from being too huge to download, we are putting this feature on our website. To see who's been recently been spotted, click here:

<http://www.pvmac.com/youvebeenspotted.htm>

If you cannot open the page by clicking on the link, copy and paste the link into the address bar of your browser.



MY LIFE BROKEN DOWN INTO SEGMENTS



General Meeting December 9, 2008



Signing attendance sheet, making yourself eligible for free drawing.

For more pictures of our December 9th General Meeting,

Click this link: http://pvmac.com/12_9_08_gen.htm

A group of seniors were having lunch at the Senior Center and talking about all their ailments.

Floyd said, 'My arms have gotten so weak I can hardly lift this cup of coffee.' 'Yes, I know', said George. 'My cataracts are so bad I can't even see my coffee.' 'I couldn't even mark an 'X' at election time, my hands are so crippled', replied Don.

'What? Speak up! I can't hear you!', said Harold. 'I can't turn my head because of the arthritis in my neck', said Beth. To which several nodded weakly in agreement.

'I guess that's the price we pay for getting old', winced old Frank as he slowly shook his head. The others nodded in agreement.

'Well, count your blessings,' said Bess cheerfully, 'Thank God we can all still drive!'

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ACE Hobby's – Jeff Fassbinder, Hobby Club USA, Stater Brothers, Home Depot.

We would like to thank Neil NeSpiros and Ben Demers from the Inland Valley Newspaper for their article and pictures of our Toys for Tots event.

Without many of our members and friends, this or any other event would not be possible. Those I would like to thank are, Roy Barringer for taking on the

Bar-B-Que duties and the home-made chili. Richard Smith, Larry Marsh and Charlie Mitchell for handling the buddy box flying duties. Marty Nelson for handling the PVMAC photography assignments. Cal Orr for coming up with all of the outrageous fun fly event ideas. Beth Goodwine for handling the sign in sheet and raffle ticket sales. Robert & Ryan Wilson, and Kyle Goodwine for their help in set up and tear

down. We even had some great noontime demonstrations. Jeff Fassbinder from ACE Hobby's once again amazed us with his helicopter freestyle prowess. We got the young and talented Matt Szeuber come out and show us his abilities handling his choreographed to music freestyle routine, which pretty much WOWED the crowd.

We had a demonstration race of "Sundowner" race planes flown

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We Want YOU!



Got an idea for a great story? How about a "Don't Let This Happen To You" tale of woe? What about that some great tips or shortcuts that will help your fellow flyers?

We're looking for a few good men (and women) to contribute their expertise to this newsletter.

Please feel free to [contact us](#) with any ideas, stories, or other valuable input.

Why We Miss Rodney Dangerfield

Because he said...

- It's tough to stay married. My wife kisses the dog on the lips, yet she won't drink from my glass!
- A girl phoned me and said, "Come on over. There's nobody home." I went over. Nobody was home!
- I was making love to this girl and she started crying I said, "Are you going to hate yourself in the morning?" She said, "No, I hate myself now."
- I'm so ugly I stuck my head out the window and got arrested for mooning.
- My wife is such a bad cook, if we leave dental floss in the kitchen the roaches hang themselves.

Classified Ads

For Sale ~ \$180.00

Ace 4-60 (shoulder wing)-Saito 80 Golden Knight four stroke engine, Cirrus Excel 4 channel radio channel 14, good condition, flies great.

**Thanks,
Mike Petrie
(951) 685-2532**



For Sale \$2,000.00

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**Desert Aircraft 100cc
Futaba 9c**



Too many features to list here. For details, please click here visit our website:

http://pvmac.com/classified_ads.htm

On behalf of the PVMAC Board, have a safe and happy holiday season!

2008 Membership Fee Schedule

- Existing member annual dues - \$80.00
- New member initiation fee and annual dues - \$200.00
- New member initiation fee and annual dues after June 30 - \$160.00
- Spouse or child of current member (child less than 18 years) - \$10.00 (Reduced - \$20.00 in 2006)
- Jr. Adult (under 22 years, id required, no initiation fee) - \$60.00
- Youth (under 18 years, id required, no initiation fee) - \$20.00 (Reduced - \$60.00 in 2006)

Learn to Fly Free

Have you taken advantage of the PVMAC Learn-to-Fly Program?

PVMAC is giving free flying lessons to anyone interested. Lessons are at the Norton Field in San Bernardino or Prado Field in Chino. Both are excellent flying fields and will give you the chance to try out your flying skills.

The PVMAC takes great pride in its ability to encourage new potential RC pilots of all ages to enjoy the hobby. With that in

mind the PVMAC and its members invite you to learn how to FLY.

The club will provide the training aircraft, fuel, radio and a knowledgeable experienced flight instructor at NO cost to you.

You will fly on a "Buddy Box" which allows you to control the aircraft in the air, and if control is lost, the instructor will take it back, get it level and turn control back over to you.

For further information on how to take advantage of this great offer, please click the link below to visit our website:

<http://www.pvmac.com/learn2flyfree.htm>



Board Openings

The Club needs your help. We have a vacancy on the Board of Directors. If you are interested, come to the Board meeting Tuesday, Jan 6th 2009, 7 PM and submit your name. The members of the Board will pick out the individual as per our By-Laws

We also need help in the Newsletter Dept. and need help in assisting with the Web Site. Talk to any one of the Directors if you are interested.



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by Terry Williams, Kip McCearry, Dan Eglhoff, Cody Mclean and Kyle Goodwine. It was all great.

This was a great event, great day and a great cause. It was good to see everybody that came to fly, watch, and donate. It was good to see lots of old friends.

But, back to the PVMAC news at hand.

The PVMAC has acquired it's spaces at the AMA Expo in January at the Ontario Convention Center. Roy Barringer has been busy handling this event and is looking for many volunteers to handle duties at OUR booth.

This year represents the PVMAC 50th year as a club supporting radio control model aircraft enthusiasts.

As some of you may know 50 years ago Ken McSpadden Sr. held the first PVMAC meeting at his house, and he is still showing up to our meetings. That is dedication to his hobby. Thank you Mr. McSpadden.

In recognition of the PVMAC 50th anniversary, the PVMAC is

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offering a discounted 2009 New Member fee. **This discount is ONLY eligible at the AMA Expo.** Please copy the flyer on Page 8 of this newsletter to give to your friends.

The PVMAC is having an AMA Expo raffle with some amazing giveaways in recognition of the PVMAC 50th anniversary. See the flyer on Page 7 of this newsletter for prizes, raffle ticket cost and rules.

At our December general membership meeting we had lots to do. We gave away a lot of money and ate a lot of pizza.

We had over 50 members, probably the largest turnout I have ever seen of PVMAC members at a meeting. They voted into place their 2009 Board of Directors, Chuck Pozanac, Dave Arellano, Roy Barringer, Charlie Mitchell, Marty Nelson, Steve Parola, Paul Smith and myself Phil Goodwine.

For any of you PVMAC members interested at our January 6, 2009 Board of Directors meeting, the Board of Directors will have to fill one vacated Board Member position. So if you are interested please show up and let us know.

Many club members won Visa gift cards at this month's meeting. This way you could spend the money anywhere you want for Christmas gifts.

Those lucky ones were Scott Farris, Marty Nelson, Charlie Mitchell, Jose Brea, Joe Augino, Steve Parola, John Maxwell, Bill Johnson, Paul Smith.

The 50/50 was given away to two individuals this month Joe Augino and Phil Vaughn were the lucky ones.

PVMAC members allowed money to be spent to spray the weeds at Prado. Agriserve weed control was out on Saturday 12/13/08 and Tuesday 12/16/08 and did their spraying, and with this rain the weeds should be abated for the next year.

Richard Smith has done some tractor work on the main road into the field, cleared the pipes and brought in some rock base. Too bad nobody else using the main road cares for it like the PVMAC.

We got the new PVMAC banner done. It was displayed at Prado at the Toys for Tots event and will be hung proudly at the AMA Expo.

The t-shirt artwork is done. If you attended the December meeting, you probably saw the next-to-last edition. The T-shirts will be for sale right after the beginning of the year, so get ready because they are colorful and have 10 planes covering the front and back.

We need to get busy on scheduling any events at our PVMAC fields as soon as possible. The club could use everybody's help and ideas to get these events under way.

Beth Goodwine and John Maxwell have been working on the membership applications. Some members picked their cards up at the December meeting others were mailed out. Get your application in, don't be late. Remember December 31, 2008.

Well with another year coming to an end, I would like to personally thank all of the my fellow Board Members and Officers. It has

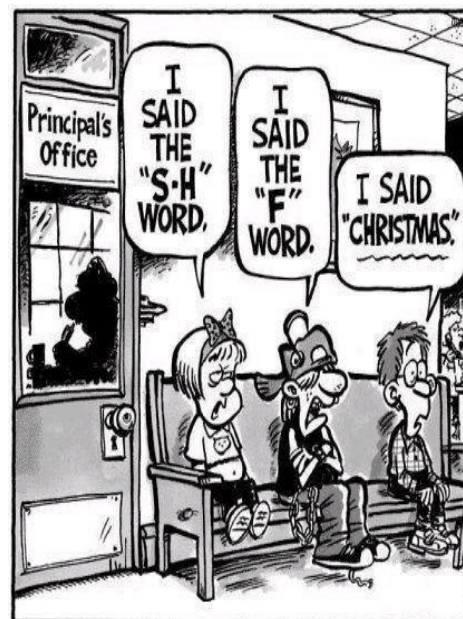
been a very busy and sometimes trying year, but we managed to have gotten through it.

I would like to thank Teri Vernieri for handling our website and newsletter, Richard Smith for jumping onboard and handling field maintenance at Prado.

I would like to thank all of those PVMAC members and friends that help out and show their support to this club.

I would like to wish to all PVMAC members, friends and their families a very safe and Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year !

Phil Goodwine



PVMAC AMA Expo Raffle Prizes



**In Recognition of
"Pomona Valley Model Airplane Club's"
50th. Anniversary
PVMAC / AMA Expo Raffle Prizes**

- 1 – JR 9303 Radio w/ 4-821 servos & DSM9000RX P/N JRP2910
- 1 – Futaba 10C w/o servos P/N FUTK9250
- 1 – DX7 w/ 4-821 servos P/N SPM2710
- 1 – Futaba 7C w/ 4-S3152 servos P/N FUTK7000
- 1 – OS 46AX2 Stroke Glow Motor
- 1 – OS 61 2 Stroke Glow Motor
- 1 – Saito 91 Golden Knight 4 Stoke Glow Motor
- 1 – Saito 100 Golden Knight \$ Stroke Glow Motor
- 1 – FS 1 Flight Simulator w/ controller
- 1 – GPMZ 4430 Flight Simulator

**Raffle Tickets Sold at:
PVMAC Booth / "AMA Expo" January 9-11, 2009
Raffle Drawings will begin Sunday January 11, 2009 @ 1:00 p.m.
Winners do NOT need to be present.**

Ticket Cost:

30 Tickets for \$20.00 or \$1.00 per Ticket *(Cash Only)*

These 10 prizes will be individually numbered 1 – 10, there will be a separate container with these 10 matching numbers. A current PVMAC member will pick a number referring to the prize number to be awarded to the next raffle ticket winner drawn. All prize numbers will be randomly done, NO specific order of prizes.

Membership Discount Flyer



In Recognition of "Pomona Valley Model Airplane Club's" 50th. Anniversary

**Exclusively at the "AMA Expo" January 9 - 11, 2009
2009 new membership applications will receive a
50% Discount.**

2009 New Membership and Initiation Fees will be \$100.00.

To qualify for this special offer you must be ready to do 5 things.

- #1 - See us at the AMA Expo in booth #708/710**
- #2 - Fill out PVMAC New Membership Application**
- #3 - Bring your 2009 AMA Card (or join the AMA at the AMA Expo)**
- #4 - Get YOUR photo taken at our booth.**
- #5 - Write check payable to PVMAC for \$100.00**

In return you will get 3 things.

- #1 - Your new 2009 PVMAC Membership Card.**
- #2 - Your key to 2 outstanding flying sites.**
- #3 - Lot's of FUN and FLYING with the PVMAC.**

****This offer is only available January 9 - 11, 2009
at the "AMA Expo / Ontario Convention Center, Ca.****



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We're on the web!
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The Pomona Valley Model Airplane Club is a non-profit organization dedicated to the advancement and enjoyment of R/C model airplane flying. The club is composed of approximately 400 members and currently enjoys two flying fields.

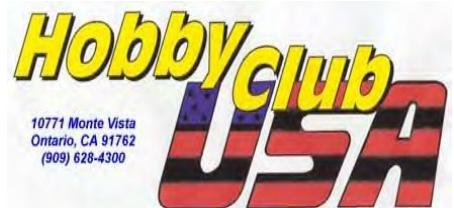
The club has a field in Prado Park and another field at the old Norton AFB. The Prado field is approximately 800 feet long with enough pit area to support 30 fliers. The Norton field is about 400 feet long and can support about 15 members at a time.

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