



Hangar Rat

Spillway Radio Control Club, Inc.

AMA Chapter 979

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Next Meeting:

The next meeting of the Spillway Radio Control Club will be Thursday, June 14th at 7:30 PM. at the P.A.C.E. 750 Union Hall in Norco, LA at 601 Good Hope Street.

Minutes:

Nathan called the meeting to order at 7:32 PM.

Old Business – The club officially has two safety benches that were built from plans in the April Model Aviation. Al built the first bench and Nathan has followed Al's lead and built another. More information about the benches can be found online at [Meroke](#).

Field improvements were made last month, which included extending the North side of the field by a

few feet. Also, Al and Barry applied the mole cricket poison and weed and feed to the field for the summer.

New Business –

Nathan, Loren, David Lee and Bill Phelps are now registered as an Introductory Pilot Instructor under the new program offered by the AMA. If you would like to become an Intro Pilot Instructor, please contact a club officer or fill out the form on the club website and bring it in to a club meeting. In order for a new student to be trained for the intro pilot program, a student application form must be filled out and sent to the AMA. We will get a copy of this form and have it available to members as well as online.

Loren announced that Bill Smith's daughter is looking to sell many items from Bill's estate. He has two storage units full of model airplane accessories including kits, engines and radios. If you are interested in purchasing any items he has left, please call his daughter Lauren Sensibe at (985) 764-2079.

We are accepting potential dates for the fall fun fly – it's never too early to start planning. Last year it was held on the first Saturday after the October meeting – which this year would be October 13th.

New prospective member John Stevenson introduced himself at the May meeting. He is a past member and an experienced pilot.

For **Model of the Month**, Bill Phelps brought in his Top Flight P-47 Thunderbolt "Jug" giant scale. It has a wingspan of 85" and is powered by a Zenoah g-62 with a jump-start and a 24-ounce tank. It has a monokote covering in the Hun Hunter scheme. It is controlled by a Futaba 9c PCM radio and has 10 servos.



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The SRCC would like to thank Hobby Hut for helping to provide our door prizes for each meeting.

The SRCC thanks the PACE Union for allowing us the use of their hall for meetings.

Members please be courteous and pick up trash and straighten chairs after each meeting.