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SVF CLUB ending 45 years as a charter club

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Have a safe and a
HAPPY THANKSGIVING

MEETING AT FIELD NOVEMBER 7, 10 AM

Sun Valley Fliers

Presidents Report For November 2020

Hello all,
Hope you and your families are all well and safe. The weather is beautiful and I see some snowbirds are coming back.

The weather is still dry and so is the desert so please be careful of fires. We have a fire extinguisher down on the West side. The code is the same as the gate code. We are leaving it open when we fly so it is immediaely available in case of fire. The last person out please lock it up. I am going to get 2 or 3 more extinguishers and put them up along with some rakes. Thanks to John Wanner for donating 2 new shovels! Thanks John!

There will be no Family Fly In this year due to the limitations set forth by the State of Arizona. Sorry for that news. We will look forward to it next year.

Please guys don't not throw your personal trash in the dumpster! Please DO NOT PUT LIPO BATTERIES IN THE DUMPSTER! Please if you see the garbage cans filling up please empty them.

Well that is it for now enjoy flying and stay safe. **Our Membership Meeting will be held on this Saturday Nov.7th at 10:00 Am at the field**. Please try and come out and support your club. There will be NO FLYING while meeting is in progress. Hope to see you there. Thanks

Lou Pfeifer IV.

10/03/2020 MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

Officers: **President- Lou Pfeifer, V.P. - John Geyer, Treasurer- Oliver Heinen, Secretary- Bobby Santoro**
Board Members: **Charlie Beverson, Jamie Edwards, Wayne Layne, Ernie Mack, Frank Moskowitz, Bob True, Tony Quist.**
Absent: **Jamie Edwards, Charlie Beverson, Ernie Mack, Bob True**
Open: 10:02 Thanks for coming.
Guests: Larry Reese - Model railroader who is interested in getting into flying.
New Members: **none**
Solo Pilots: **2 currently in the works**
Secretary's Report: **Bobby Santoro**
No approval
Membership Report: **Bob True**
1. Membership renewals have been opened, to soon for renewed members but some have already renewed
2. Paypal is the only payment type accepted, do not need a paypal account to pay with pay pal

Treasures Report: **Oliver Heinen MOtion : John Geyer Second: Frank Moskowitz**
1) Approve September Financials

Safety Officers Report: **Ernie Mack**
1) A plane almost went into the pits, Luckily stopped by our fencing but was due to pilot error. Its important that spotters are not just hanging out and they are paying attention to what is going on in the air. - John Geyer

Old Business:
1) None

New Business
1) Discuss recent fires NO BATTERIES IN DUMPSTER. Kenny Rhoads to have the floor.
2) Fire extinguisher down on West end. Code same as the Gate code. To be unlocked in the morning by a member and re locked by the last few people at the field. This is to be sure that the fire extinguisher is readily available when an emergency happens.
3) If any fire occurs please notify me immediately after containment. Lous number is available on the website, main gate, and on the sign in the pits.
4) Kenny Rhoads on 1/8th event. The event will be held the last weekend in October (Thursday -Sunday) and all scale models are welcome. SVF Field has been retained by the 1/8th air force and any scale model is welcome to participate. The pilot fees are $30 and all scale models are welcome! There will be a manned open gate all weekend, no charge to attend the event.

Door Prizes:
1) Craig Demarcus, John Wanner, Larry – Guest, Oliver Heinen, Randy Morgan, Tony - Passes Mike Dollin, Wally Balfour, Spencer Kleinhans - Donates to gene

50/50 Raffle: **none?**
Show and Tell: none
Adjourn at 10:38 Motion: Lou Second: John Geyer

10/12/2020 Board Meeting Minutes

Officers: **President- Lou Pfeifer, VP. John Geyer, Secretary- Bobby Santoro, Treasurer- Oliver Heinen**
Board Members: **Charlie Beverson, Jamie Edwards, Wayne Layne, Ernie Mack, Frank Moskowitz, Bob True, Tony Quist.**
Absent: Frank Moskowitz, Ernie Mack
Start: 18:46
Open: Thanks for coming. We will have an Executive Meeting immediately following our Board meeting.
Guests:
Secretary's Report: **Bobby Santoro**

1. Approve past meeting minutes for September **Motion: John Geyer Second: Jamie Edwards**

Treasurer's Report: **Oliver Heinen**

1. Approve Financials for September. **Motion: Tony Quist Second: Wayne Layne**

Safety Officers Report: Ernie Mack

1. Fires can happen to the best of us, everyone needs to be careful in regards to fires at the field. What can we do to handle this? It is inevitable that it can happen, and we need to be prepared. Fire extinguishers are available at the field, and we will be adding shovels and rakes as well as more water sources. **EVERYBODY NEEDS TO BE AWARE AND PREPARED OF WHAT TO DO IN THE EVENT OF A FIRE**

Membership Services: **Bob True**

1. 2 New Members have been signed up with 3 more in the process.
2. Membership stickers for 2021 are available, please contact any members of the board for the new stickers.

Old Business:

1. John Geyer has updated us regarding the 1/8th Air Force event. According to the city any outdoor events including more than 50 people are prohibited unless all the safety protocols that are required by the state/city are implemented. Implementing these requirements will take time and it does not look like there will be enough time. As per the state/city the COVID rate needs to be below 100/1000 people to bypass the safety requirements from the city which also does not look achievable in time for the event. **Unfortunately the 1/8th Air Force Event will have to be cancelled due to COVID-19. Thank you John Geyer for all your hard work you put into trying to make this event happen.**

New Business:

1. Frank Moskowitz would like to have a discussion with the board regarding the facilities at the field.
2. Board email discussion to take place at the next meeting.
3. Regarding the trash at the field, the problem has been solved. All members please be responsible for your own trash. **THE TRASHCAN AT THE FIELD IS NOT FOR PERSONAL USE**

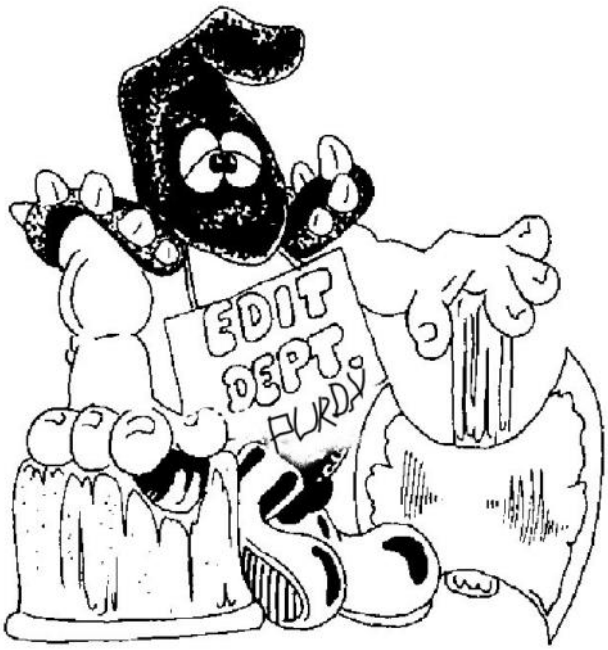
Adjourn at **19:18**

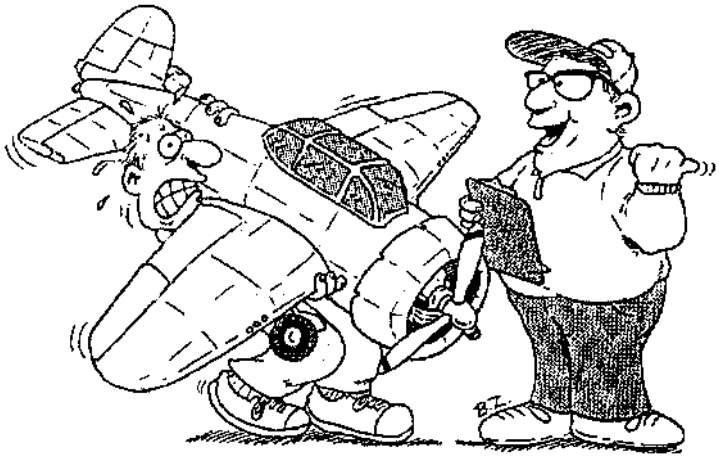
What's Happening

Landscape caught on fire very close to the entrance to our field. PLEASE be very safe in extinguishing your cigarette, and **any other items** that you have that can start a fire.

The dumpster at our field showing how someone is putting their personal trash from home here. This would be a **BIG** fire!
Editor: Time to put a coin operated dumpster here. $5.00 or Credit card. CC will tell us who!!

SVF Meeting October 3, 2020





"Oh, the Giant Scale check-in? ... It's that way 'bout half a mile, ... Top of the hill."

SAFETY MUST COME FIRST

By Kenny Rhoads

Greetings All

We live and work in a very legacious society with dangers at every corner. Even when you are safe in your own bed you have a threat of lawsuits hanging just above those sheets. If you don't think so, have you removed the garden hose from the front walkway?
Your liability jumped up considerably when you left your home and when you came through the SVF gate your liability jumped off the scale.

What a shock to find all of your assets tied up in a lawsuit for months! It happens every day to people just doing their job, their hobby, their interests, or what ever!

Having been a firefighter/engineer for the Phoenix Fire Department I have seen first hand what happens when attorneys see the dollar signs.

As everywhere in our lives we have rules and laws that we must abide by or we can face some harsh realities. However, even when you have followed all of the laws, rules and/or guidelines you can still find yourself in a legal situation that could negatively affect your life. As the saying goes "crap happens". However, if you have followed all of the those said rules, laws, and guidelines you look so much better in a court of law. I have been there and done that.

Hey, when was the last time you picked up some trash at the field and deposited in the can? Or took a full trash can and emptied it in the dumpster?

Have fun and be safe in all of your endeavors!

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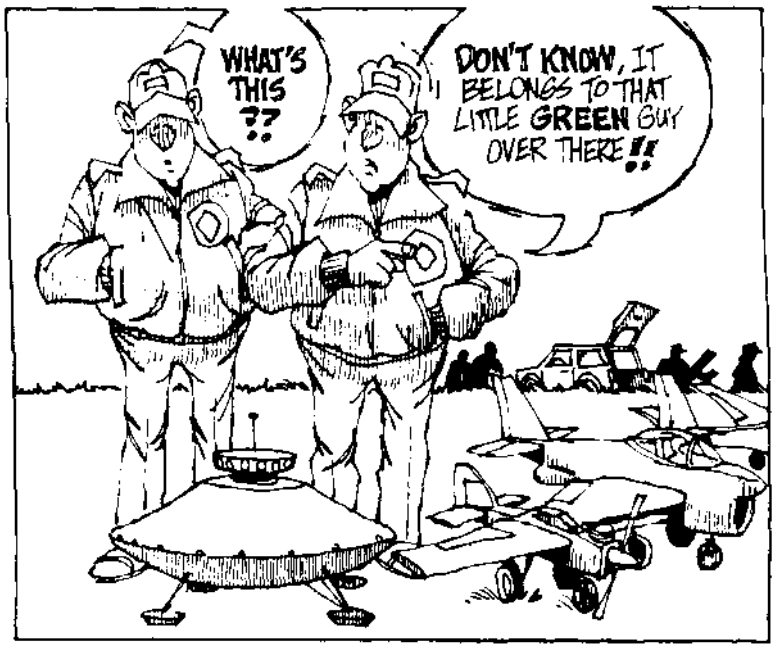

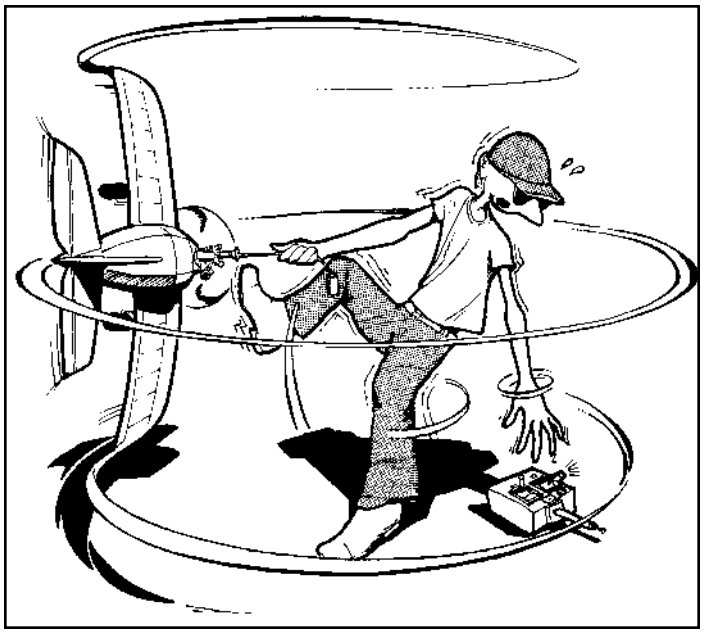

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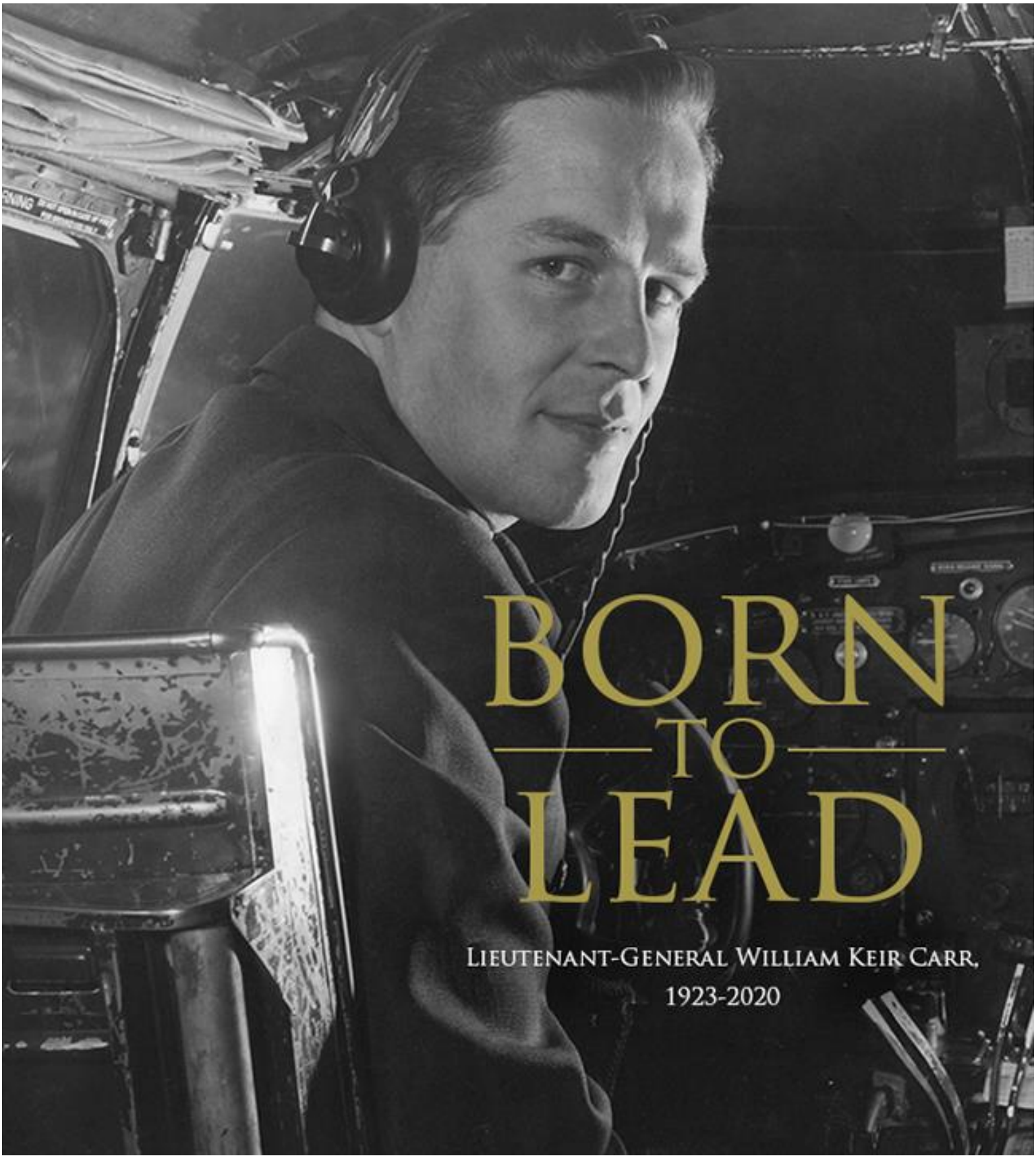

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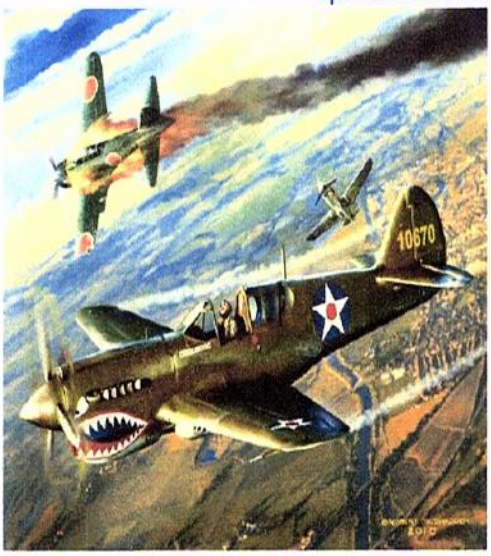

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My thanks to those who passed this info on.

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Michael Spandau
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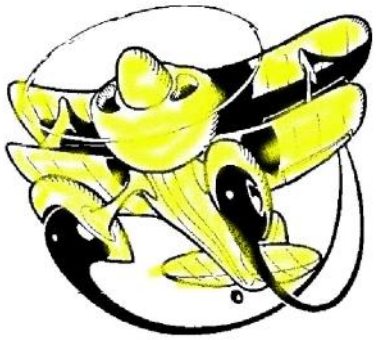

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