

# The Windsock

Canyon  
Crosswinds  
June 13, 2019



Greetings to all,

Maybe the rain has finally stopped. We went from May grey to June gloom, maybe we will start getting some sunny mornings soon. Of course, by then we will be griping about the heat.

As of the May Meeting the membership is at 75.

Thanks again to Bill Ardizzone for running the mower over the weeds again.

On May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019 the club held the annual Memorial Day Warbird Fun Fly. This year was the largest turn out of both pilots, planes, and spectators that we have had. I believe that we had more than 20 pilots. Lots for flying and the weather stayed pretty nice for the event. There was voting on the people's choice for "Best of Show" and congratulations to Norm Teague and his F4U Corsair for taking First Place along with a \$100 Amazon Gift Card. No other votes were cast for any other planes. Thanks to Kevin Thompson for running the fun fly and thanks to Jack Allaway and Bill Ardizzone for taking care for the cooking duties. They cooked 50 hamburgers and 30 hot dogs. At the end of the day we had 6 hamburgers and 1 hot dog left over. Thanks to Bill for picking up the food and drinks for this event. A lot of pictures were taken and hopefully they will show up on the Club's Facebook page.

Next Event: CLUB SWAP MEET, the swap meet is scheduled for Saturday June 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019 starting around

7:30 AM. So, come on up and check things out. The field will be open for flying during this event.

We are looking at a proposed event sometime in late July of a Giant Bird fun fly. This will be open to all members and just bring your largest plane.

On Tuesday May 28<sup>th</sup>, we had Rob "the brush clearer" come back to the field and clear the brush from the sides of our access road. Rob was back in town so we took advantage of this while he was here. Last time he was here was 2 years ago.

We were collecting a lot of old wood and trash at the field and we were looking on how to get rid of it. Well it's gone now and a special Thanks to John Snider for getting that junk removed. Thanks again John.

Voting for Club Officers in at the June Meeting. The current Board received the only nominations for office, so it looks like the membership will be stuck with us unless somebody at the last-minute steps up.

The weather station computer was replaced and it is up and running. Thanks to Doug Wilson for getting the programs moved from the old machine to the new machine. After we got it working Wunderground redid their web site and we lost the camera. After fooling with the camera setting for days, I checked Wunderground's site for camera issues. Found out they have an ongoing issue with no work around, (their words not mine), with no time frame for the

problem repair. The only thing I can think of is if we can get a URL address on the web site, we could have the pictures sent there.

The Club's website will be moving to canyoncrosswinds.org. Thanks to Bob Awtry for all the work he has done on the .com site but his schedule doesn't leave him the time to keep up with the site. Thanks you again Bob. The webmaster of the new site is Tom Schaefer and Tom has been working on the site for a while now. If you haven't seen it take a look.

**FUEL UPDATE:** As of this writing we have 14 gallons on hand. Thanks to Bob for setting up the purchase and getting it to the field. See a club officer to purchase your fuel. The price is still \$20 a gallon. We are going to order more fuel.

The Board welcomes your ideas to make the club a better place for all members. We also welcome your criticism as long as it's constructive criticism.

The next regular Board-General Meeting will be at Mimi's Café, 24201 W Magic Mountain Parkway on **Wednesday** June 26, 2019 at 7:00 PM. Come join us for dinner or a piece of pie, sorry Bob apple only, cake, or muffin and visiting. We meet at 6:00 P.M. for dinner. All members and guest are invited.

That's it for now.  
Take care and stay dry,  
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# Canyon Crosswinds

Treasurer's Report

As of: Wednesday, May 22, 19

Beginning Balance.....	\$	21,860.18
Ending Balance.....	\$	15,931.30

**Debit / Checks:**

4/22/19	\$	2,400.00	Lease Payment
5/1/19	\$	5,440.00	Field Expense
5/8/19	\$	26.62	SoCal Edison
4/25/19	\$	62.26	Andy Gump

Total: \$ 7,928.88

**Credit / Deposits:**

4/22/19	\$	500.00	Renewal
5/2/19	\$	1,500.00	Commercial Shoot

Total: \$ 2,000.00