

# The Windsock

Canyon  
Crosswinds  
November 6, 2019



Happy Halloween and Thanksgiving,

Not a lot going on this month, seems like we have moved into the windy time of the year.

As of the October Meeting the membership was at 98.

**MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL.** With Membership renewals getting here, I'll give you another reminder about 2020 Membership dues. The dues for 2020 are again \$250 for open membership and \$80.00 for Junior Membership. Your dues may be paid anytime from **NOW** until **JANUARY 31, 2020**. After January 31, 2020 refer to the previous paragraph. If you are ready to renew print out a club application and change the year to 2020 fill it out and sent it in with your check. Keep in mind the cutoff date so if there is a waiting list you don't get left out.

For a long time, the club has given a grace period of one month with a \$10.00 late fee on renewals. This **HAS** been changed with the new cap. Starting in 2020 if a member's dues and not received by January 31, 2020 and there is a waiting list then the first person on the list will be invited to join the club. The existing member who didn't pay their dues by January 31<sup>st</sup> and wishes to join will be treated as a new member and put at the **END** of the waiting list. This action falls in line with our Club Constitution.

With the number of members that didn't renew in the past and the number of new members and the fact that the field locks have been in service for a number of years, we should be changing them out next year.

In the current issue of Model Aviation magazine in the District ten column Lawrence Tougas talks about the Letter of Agreement process between clubs and

the FAA. He states the even clubs in uncontrolled air space will be next in the process. Check out his column.

Club Cooks. After years of cooking at club events, Jack Allaway and Bill Ardizzone are going to step down from this task. Many thanks to Jack and Bill for doing this and other club members will need to step up and handle the event cooking if we still intend to serve food at our events.

One other item and this has some time to go is club elections. The elections take place at the June Meeting for Club Officers. Nominations normally open in April and close at the May meeting. I'm bringing this up to make sure that the membership has time to fine a couple of candidates to run for President and Vice President. After seven years I'm going to take a break and as of this writing Bill Ardizzone will not be running either. So, it's up to two of you to step up and take your turn in the barrel. The only requirement is being a CCW member for three years.

Just a reminder when flying to the west of the pits. This is for both the fixed wing and heli fliers. Watch out for each other as there seems to be an area where there could be some air space used by both aircraft that normally is not used by either.

**FUEL UPDATE:** As of this writing we have 36 gallons on hand. Thanks to Bob for getting this ordered and picked up and Thanks to Smith Brothers Hobby for selling us the fuel at their cost. The price is still \$20.00 a gallon.

The Board welcomes your ideals 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** November 20, 2019 at 7:00 PM. **NOTE: This is a week early to avoid the Thanksgiving Holiday.** Come join us for dinner or a piece of pie, 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,

Jim Desautels

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# Canyon Crosswinds

## Treasurer's Report

As of: Wednesday, October 23, 19

Beginning Balance.....	\$	14,820.37
Ending Balance.....	\$	16,296.47

### Debit / Checks:

9/25/19	\$	38.64	SoCal Edison
9/30/19	\$	296.00	Food and propane for tanks
10/10/19	\$	62.26	Andy Gump
10/16/19	\$	252.00	Old website fee

Total: \$ 648.90

### Credit / Deposits:

9/26/19	\$	625.00	Member dues
10/16/19	\$	1,500.00	Member dues

Total: \$ 2,125.00