

THE WINDSOCK

APRIL 2021

Greetings to all, hope this finds you and your families all still well.

Club membership as of April 1st stands 100 Members, that puts the Club at the membership cap.

ACTIVITIES AT THE FIELD:

Not much going on at the field, a little flying and a lot of windy days. Hopefully the windy days will be behind us. Vice President Bill did get a chance to mow down the weeds around the site when we had a break in the wind.

MEMBERSHIP DUES:

Just a reminder that your membership dues are NOT due until June 1, 2021. So, enjoy the extra time to pay them. The Club will accept your 2021-2022 due any time you wish to renew but your dues must be paid by June 30, 2021 or you will be dropped from the membership and any waiting people will be invited into the club.

ACTIVITIES AWAY FROM THE FIELD:

As you may have noticed this newsletter looks different from the normal letter. It is in progress of being changed due to the fact that our long time Newsletter Editor Jim Schwagle has had to step down from his position. I wish to thank Jim from me and on behalf of the club for getting the newsletter out for many years. Jim took over these duties not long after I became club president and this month is column #107 for me. So, Jim getting these out to you is about the same amount. Thank you, Jim, for all your work all these years.

On Friday member Chris Dittes called me about a community event that was being sponsored for 4 weeks by the Castaic Area Town Council. This event is drive in movies at the lake. This goes on all summer on Saturday nights and is a double feature with reduced entry fee to the lake. The Castaic Area Town Council was looking for donations to hose their 4 weeks as Covid-19 shut down all their fundraising events last year. I met with the Board for discussion on this and the Board decided to donate \$1300 to this cause. Part of this is that our club logo and name will appear on the screen before the start of the movies and it can't hurt to show the Castaic Area Town Council and the lake that the Canyon Crosswinds has a vested interest in the community. Can't hurt either since the Council deals with both the Lake and the County Supervisors.

NOMINATIONS FOR CLUB OFFICERS:

As in past years we open the floor for nominations at the April and May meetings as the Club elections take place at the June Meeting.

We will be having an April meeting at the Field to allow for this. So come to the meeting, step up, and get nominated for a Club Offer position. There is no pain in it.

FUEL UPDATE: As of this writing we have 24 gallons of fuel on hand. Thanks to Bill for getting, it ordered and picking it up. **A Note on fuel cost:** The cost has been going up on fuel and Smith Brothers has been kind enough to sale the club fuel at their cost but with their price increase we had to raise the cost to \$25.00 a gallon. Please bring correct change for your fuel as we don't keep change at the field.

CLUB HATS, SHIRTS, AND SWEATSHIRTS:

The club has new hats and sweatshirts available at the field. They came out very nice. The cost is \$20.00 for hats and \$40.00 for sweatshirts. See a club officer for yours.

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.

NEXT MEETING:

The next regular Board-General Meeting will be on **THURSDAY APRIL 29, 2021 (notice the day of the week change) at 7:00pm at the field.** The day change is so that ALL board members came make the meeting. I'm hoping to resume having our meeting and by having them at the field we can maintain a safer environment for our members. Also bring a plane and come early and get in a few flights. On behalf of the CCW Board, take care of yourselves and your families. Stay well, stay safe.

Take care and see you at the field,

Jim Desautels

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TREASURERS REPORT MARCH 2021

As of 3/24/2021

BEGINING BALANCE					10525.66
ADDITIONS					
	DATE	FROM	FOR	AMOUNT	
	3/10/2021	Scott Marnoch	Dues	250.00	
	3/10/2021		Cap	20.00	
TOTAL				270.00	10795.66
EXPENSES	DATE	CHECK/DEBITO	FOR	AMOUNT	
	2/27/2021	Debit Card Harbor Freight	Tools	59.11	
	2/28/2021	Debit Card Autozone	Battery	67.64	
	2/28/2021	Debit Card Amazon	Wind Gage	86.18	
	3/5/2021	Debit Card Verizon	Internet	75.08	
	3/18/2021	Debit Card SCE	Electric	30.21	
	3/22/2021	Debit Card Andy Gump	Porta Potty	62.26	
	3/24/2021	#1307 BillArdizzone	Weed Killer	126.93	
TOTAL EXP.				507.41	507.41
ENDING BALANCE					10288.25



April 2, 2021

Dear Canyon Crosswinds Flying Club,

I thank you very much for your generous donation of \$1,300.00 to the Castaic Area Town Council (CATC). We are an organization that relies on donations such as yours, and cannot continue to fulfill our mission without the support of its donors.

The CATC is a non-profit 501c3 advisory board representing the community of Castaic. We advise the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors and various County Departments regarding decisions that impact the Castaic Community. The CATC is comprised of ten elected representatives from five regions, within unincorporated Castaic.

We graciously thank you for your support!

Our tax I.D. number is 95-4809070 as listed in the IRS Publication 78.

Best Regards,

Jessica Roussel Chambers

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