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Sundancer's RC field is located in Port Saint Lucie at 7901 Germany Canal Road, 34987. GPS Coordinates: Lat: N 27 19.413 Long: W 080 33764. Driving directions can be found on the website.

President's Message

Hello and welcome to all the Sundancers. A few things to talk about that are going on down at the field. Although the field is an ongoing project and there is always something to fix or maintain. Everything is up and running fine. We installed a new windsock at the main runway. We also installed a new smaller windsock at the lake for the float fly coming up December 1st 2nd and 3rd. Please try to attend, as club member turnout at our last event had been pretty low. This Float Fly should be real nice with a swap meet and the good possibility of live entertainment on Friday Night. See Walt Moucha for details on this event. I will post up the flyer as soon as I get it.

We will be hosting a very large car race at the track on Saturday October 1st. With Practice on the Friday before. The club will be cooking Friday and Saturday and could use some volunteers. South Florida Water Management are re-fencing all of the parcels of land surrounding ours for cattle, so please bear with the construction equipment and be careful on the roads with no barriers. We don't want anyone going in the canal.

We will be having elections in November and the candidates are as follows. All Officers will remain at their positions except for the following. Our current V.P. Ken Frehafer will resign his position and Dave Dickhart Sr. is nominated to take his place. If anyone else desires to run for any board positions let Doc or me know ASAP. We have a vacant Board position to be filled as well and will announce his replacement at the next meeting.

We spread the weed killer on the runway and will seed and fertilize the runway in a couple of weeks. The runway is looking real good.

I would like to remind everyone. There is no riding of motor vehicles on our property for recreational purposes. South Florida Water Management has told us so. They will be leasing the surrounding plots of land to cattle men. Please do not ride your ATV's (4 wheelers, dirt bikes, etc..) on the facility property or the surrounding parcels. If you have a downed aircraft or are camping for the weekend (As A Member) by all means use your cart for getting to the parts of the facility you need to. Please do not bring ATV's to the field for solely recreational purposes.

NEXT CLUB MEETING: OCTOBER 15TH, 2016 11:00 AM

Thank you ,

Fraternally yours,

President, John Martorano

Member Spotlight



This edition of the member spotlight reflects one of the founding members of the Sundancers. Larry Olsen. Larry has been into Model Aviation since the 1940's starting with control line models and in the early 1970's made the transformation into Radio Control flying. He has been very active in our sport until this very day, judging many contests and holding many official positions in various clubs as well. He and 2 other members started the Sundancers in 1988 with just 26 members. Flying off of the streets in PSL. Larry is a well respected man around our facility. He has held almost every title in our club from Newsletter editor to President and is still the clubs head instructor training new pilots all the time.

In my opinion every club needs a Larry Olsen. He is always polite and soft spoken. Very courteous and knowledgeable. He would help anyone in need. Larry recently celebrated his 90th birthday and we were all glad to have a little coffee and cake in his honor. In 2006 Larry was made an A.M.A. Fellow. This is a rather high honor being that there are less than 100 A.M.A. Fellows in the whole Country. The A.M.A. thinks highly of Larry Olsen. I think highly of Larry Olsen and I'm sure many, many other people think highly of Larry Olsen also. He really is a Gentleman.

So, if you see Mr. Olsen down at the field say Hello. He is sure to give you a smile and some good model airplane talk. Thanks for your contributions to the Model Aviation community and all you have done for our club Larry.

Club President,

John Martorano



SATURDAY OCTOBER 1st, 2016

2016 FALL SESSION

AUGUST 6TH
NEWRED HOBBIES
OCALA, FL

SEPTEMBER 3RD
BEACHLINE RACEWAY
COCOA, FL

OCTOBER 1ST
SUNDANCERS R/C
FT. PIERCE, FL

OCTOBER 29TH
DAYTONA RC PARK
DAYTONA BEACH, FL

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2016 SCCS Classes

- 2wd Buggy Expert Stock
- 2wd Buggy Independent Stock
- 2wd Buggy Modified
- 2wd Buggy 40+ Open
- 2wd Truck Stock
- 2wd Truck Modified
- 2wd Short Course Stock
- 4wd Short Course Modified
- 4wd Buggy Modified
- 4wd Buggy 13.5
- Novice Open

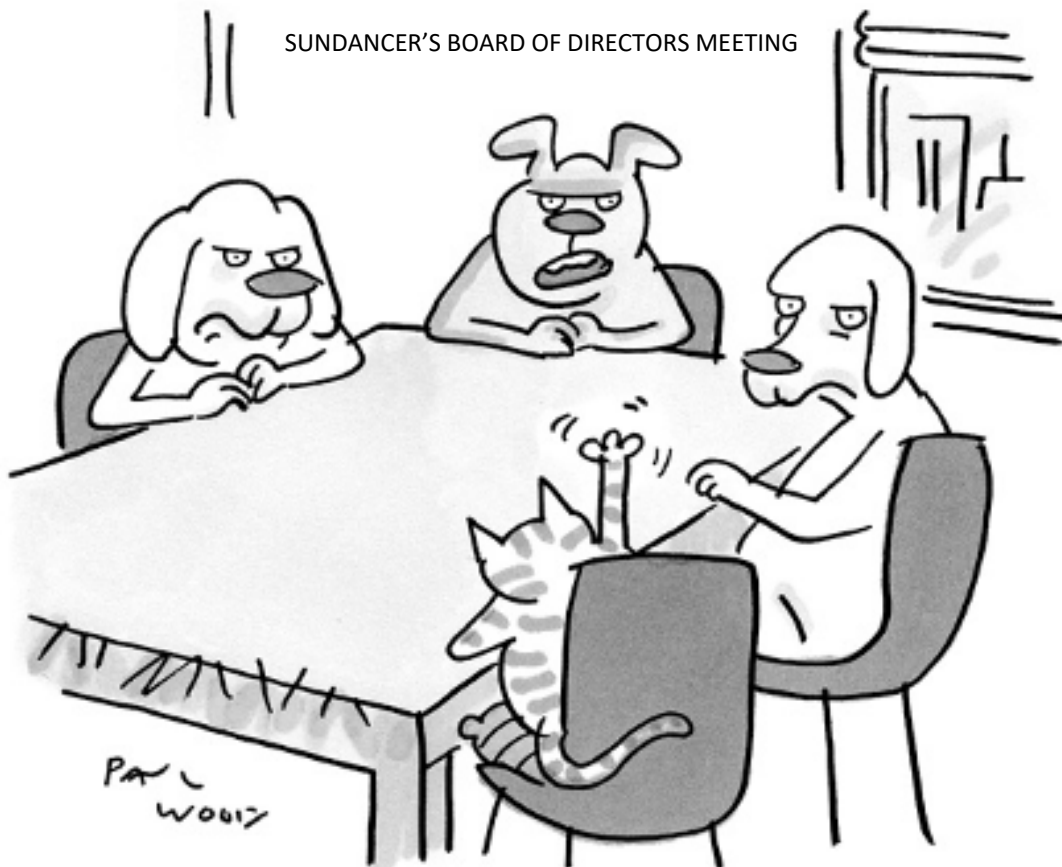
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\$25 First Class
\$20 Second Class
\$15 Third Class
\$10 Fourth+ Class

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SUN DANCERS RADIO CONTROL CLUB, INC.

2016 Membership Application

NameSpouse's First Name_____

Street.....

City..... State_____ Zip_____

PhoneE-mail_____

AMA Number.....ROAR NumberNAMBA NUMBER.....

Occupation.....(Former occupation if retired)

First name for membership badge

Family Membership (List family members names below):

Spouse AMA Number ROAR Number.....

Child..... AMA Number ROAR Number.....

Child..... AMA Number ROAR Number.....

List radio control transmitter frequencies (channel numbers) that you will be using on a Regular basis

The 2016 calendar year membership dues are as follows: Full Member \$150, Family \$165 (Full member, Spouse & all Junior age children, and Junior \$25 (less than nineteen years of age before July 1st). After June 30th all dues are half price for new members. Those initially joining the club after September 30th may pay dues for the full year and be entitled to membership for the balance of the year and all of the following year.

Memberships expire December 31st. Members have a grace period for renewal until January 31st, after which a \$25 late fee is required to renew the membership.

ATTACH A COPY OF YOUR 2016 AMA or ROAR MEMBERSHIP CARD to this application along with a check payable to Sun Dancers R/C Club for the membership dues. Send to Sundancers Membership Chairman, Ken Bridges, 9639 Fairwood Court, Port St.Lucie, FL 34986

Signature_____Date.....