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President's Message

Hello Fellow Club Members,

No message for this month.

David Jones

Editor

If you have any article, information or items for sale or trade you would like put into the Newsletter, please send your input either by e-mail (rossgtenn@gmail.com) or post to:

- Glenn Ross, 134 Chock Creek Road, Johnson City, TN
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Please send input no later than the 19th of the month to be included in the following month's edition.

THANKS!

Glenn Ross

Next Meeting

Tuesday, 28 September 2021, 7:00 PM at the Airfield, 120 Lancaster Road, Kingsport, TN.

Club Activities –

There were no formal events during the month of September.

September was lazy and hot.



With the exception of some individual flying, flight training sessions for new and prospective members, and the Tuesday evening Chills and Grills, which were well attended all month long, it was pretty quiet in the hills of East Tennessee and at Odom-Fennell Airfield..

Member Information

The September Membership meeting will cover a series of proposed changes to the club's by laws. The proposed changes are posted on the web site for members to review prior to the meeting. Below is a screen shot of one of the changed pages.

For every proposed change, the wording to be deleted is in Red with a strike through. Words to be added are in Blue. The source of the change or the reason for the change is noted on the right of the page in the comment blocks.

Some of the changes are to correct grammatical errors or put in notes that had been missed in the last revision. Some of the changes are driven by changes in other places, for example, it has been suggested that there should be a second officer added to the club check signing so that if there is an emergency the club can still pay its bills while a new treasurer is voted in. So that change is made in the Treasurer's duties and also in the duties of the President, who is proposed as that second officer.

During the meeting, each substantive change will need to be read, discussed and then voted on. Any modifications to each change as a result of the discussions must be captured and then the approved version captured in the minutes so that the document can then be finalized for signatures. If the members agree, all the grammatical and note changes can be covered and voted on as a group to save time.

2021 proposed changes to JCRC_BY-LAWS_v1.1 draft number 3.pdf - Adobe Acrobat Reader DC (32-bit)

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Article I – Organization Name and Membership

Section 1. Name
The Club shall be known as the “~~Johnson City Radio Controllers, Inc.~~” (Hereinafter referred to as JCRC), Charter #2306 in Association with the Academy of Model Aeronautics, (hereinafter referred to as AMA). The JCRC corporate control number is 0491950. The club flying field shall be known as Odom-Fennell Field at Tri-Cities Model Airport. “He” or “His” used hereinafter shall not represent gender but is used for clarity of information.

Section 2. Membership
The JCRC extends its membership to those who, upon filing a “JCRC Membership Application,” pay dues to JCRC and AMA, ~~and show a genuine interest in the hobby of aeronautical modeling~~ and comply with FAA requirements.

Article II – Club Objectives

Section 1. Objective
The JCRC was organized for the educational and recreational use of model aircraft. JCRC’s goal is to bring new people into the hobby of building, learning, and training new members to fly model aircraft and providing an opportunity to enjoy the hobby of aeronautical modeling and fellowship with other modelers.

Section 2. Activities
This objective is met with the promotion of growth and participation by:

1. Stimulating interest among the general public.
2. Instructional and educational activities.
3. Assisting in the art, design, construction, and flying of model aircraft.
4. Encouraging aeronautical interests.

Article III – Club Membership

Section 1. Types
JCRC shall offer several types of membership to enhance membership and maintain an operating budget. Types of membership shall be determined by the Board of Directors and designated in Appendix A.

Section 2. Visitor use of Airfield
Conditions for allowing visitors to fly at JCRC’s Airfield:

Comment [GCR1]: THERE WAS A QUESTION FROM DOUG ABOUT WHETHER WE NEEDED TO AMMEND THE BY-LAWS TO SAY MEMBERS MUST BE AMA MEMBERS TO FLY AT THE CLUB.
I DON'T BELIEVE WE NEED TO BECAUSE WE CLEARLY SAY WE ONLY OFFER MEMBERSHIP TO THOSE WHO PAY DUES TO AMA AND JCRC.

Comment [GCR2]: PHIL HAS SUGGESTED MAKING THE FAA REGISTRATION A CONDITION FOR MEMBERSHIP.

Comment [GCR3]: Per Officers' meeting 29 Aug, added FAA Compliance

Please take the time to review the document and come prepared to discuss and vote. If you have any questions prior to the meeting, you can call Glenn Ross at 423-282-1197 between 10AM and 2PM Mondays through Saturdays through the 25th of September.

Upcoming Activities

The MASTERS'!

**Senior Pattern Association Event
9 AM till 4 PM, 9 and 10 October 2021
at
Odom-Fennell Field**

The field will be closed to member flying until after 4 PM on the 9th and after 1PM on the 10th.

Chill and Grill

**Chill and Grill ends on the 28th of September. So,
Join us for the last Chilling and Grilling of the
year.**

**Right after the chow, our monthly club meeting
will kick off at 7PM.**

You and your Family are Invited!!!!

JCRC invites all members and their families to the JCRC Club Pic Nic to be held on 30 October from 10 AM until 3 PM at the Air Field.

*The Pic Nic will be held in conjunction with our
Halloween Fun Fly and Swap Meet.*

The Pic Nic is open to all Club Members and their Family Members. JCRC will be providing the Hamburgers and Hot Dogs with buns and fixins. There will also be door prizes from Hobby Town to be given away during the day!

We would like each member and family to bring a special dish (favorite dessert, side dish, salad or appetizer).

We ask that if you plan to attend, please call Skip Weller at 423-946-3840 by 15 October. Let Skip know how many people will attend (also how many of those are children), and what type of dish you are planning to bring. This way, we will be able to plan on how many cows and pigs we'll have to rustle up!

So, tune up your planes, pack up the wife and kids, throw some folding chairs and a dynamite covered dish into the family Conestoga and come out for some real fun, fellowship and food. When you show up, bring your goodies up to the Grey Shed Cafe then stake out a spot and start having some flying fun.

We'll start serving at 11AM and turn off the grill at 1PM.

This event is being sponsored by Tim Edwards (also known as "Squirrel") in appreciation for club members having made the Tuesday evening Chill and Grills such a success.

FYI –

JCRC 2021 Event Schedule

Event	Date	Event Manager	Location	Status
	<i>Club Sponsored</i>			
First Fly	1 Jan 2021	Skip Weller	Air Field	Completed
Indoor First Fly	6 Feb 2021	Tim Edwards	KPT Auditorium	Completed
Indoor Second Fly	10 Apr 2021	Tim Edwards	KPT Auditorium	Completed
Spring Fun Fly	15 May 2021	Anthony Hall and Dave Jones	Air Field	Completed
Learn To Fly with JCRC	24 Jul 2021	Phil Swihart	Air Field	Completed
National Model Aviation Day	14 Aug 2021	Anthony Hall	Air Field	Completed
<i>Halloween Fun Fly, Club Pic Nix and Swap Meet</i>	30 Oct 2021	Skip Weller and Phil Swihart	Air Field	
	<i>Non Club Sponsored</i>			
Second Annual East Tennessee SPA Competition	10 & 11 July 2021	Vic Koenig	Airfield	Completed
Senior Pattern Association Masters Tournament	9 & 10 Oct	Jerry Black	Air Field	

For Sale –

2 - Onyx 68 batteries. 4000 Mah, 40C Priced at \$50.00 ea.

They have about 5 flights on them and then their plane got destroyed.

Call David Line at (423) 383 9327



Sponsors

Hobby Town USA

Located at 3515 Bristol Highway in Johnson City, Hobby Town offers a full range of hobby needs, from model rail roading, to automotive modeling and aviation modeling. A strong sponsor of JCRC, they offer JCRC club members a 10% discount. Phone: (423) 610-1010.

