

September 24, 2025

THE WINDSOCK - SEPTEMBER 2025

ACTIVITIES AT THE FIELD:

Repairs made to our entrance gate and a new camera installed.

FUEL UPDATE:

If you wish to purchase more glow fuel, just contact one of the Club officers and we can help you. Currently we have 16 gallons of 15% at \$48 per gallon. You must bring the exact change or write a check.

REMINDER:

Our fire season is getting to be almost all year. Any aircraft that uses LiPo batteries has a potential risk of starting a fire if involved in a serious enough crash that would damage the LiPo battery pack. PLEASE take immediate action and get to the crash site to prevent or put out any flames. If it appears that you will not be able to extinguish the fire immediately, PLEASE DON'T HESITATE and call 911 or the Fire Department.

SHIRTS, CAPS AND SWEATSHIRTS:

We have great looking polo shirts, caps, Tee shirts, and sweatshirts available at the field. Costs are \$35 for Polos, \$20 for Tee shirts, \$20 for hats, and \$40 for sweatshirts. See a club officer for yours.

MEETING UPDATE:

Our NEXT regular Club and Board General Meeting will take place on Wednesday, October 22, 2025 at the Black Bear Diner, 23626 Valencia Blvd., Santa Clarita. A number of us will be there at 6:00

PM for dinner so please join us for that or be there at 7:00 PM for the regular group meeting.

SPECIAL NOTE:

We are always looking for anyone who can participate in a simple "Show & Tell" at the end of our meetings. We have had many great participants that have brought RC projects that are in the near completion phase and those that are fairly new or even not yet had their maiden flights . Always an educational and fun time. On behalf of the CCW Board, stay safe and we hope to see you soon at the flying field. HAPPY LANDINGS!

Steve Killian

President

SEE SECRETARIES MEETING NOTES BELOW

Wednesday, September 24, 2025

Canyon Crosswinds September Meeting

8 present

Treasurer's Report: Steve Killian shared

- Mower maintenance for \$960.66 includes pick up and return
- Added \$5,000 to CD
- Total assets \$38,430.99

Update on Field Camera (activated this week)

- New camera has crisp resolution and updates the view every 15 seconds
- We have ability to see the road and look at license plates and zoom in on things
- \$1,800 for whole new system, plus labor costs
- It includes security system with voice that comes on when you get near the building
 - Question was asked why we don't have a continuous live feed... Steve was going to inquire but discussed rate of speed or capacity may be the reason.

Mowing Update

- Bill and Steve met with six guys over the last several weekends for training
- Bill will set up a group text to communicate and plan mowing

Tax Exempt Status

- Paper work was submitted, but no updates and none expected for awhile

Gate Update

- Steve spoke to Hector re the County's progress on replacing the gate - Hector is leaving his position and they're looking for a replacement. Chris Mawry (spelling?) is his interim replacement and therefore our contact.

- Hector said that the request to have the County cover the cost and perform work of repairing/replacing the broken gate was shut down by the Parks Department. Hector recommend we keep it low key due to our lease arrangement and we do not want to ruffle any feathers. There was more discussion.
- We have the quote from a repair company to repair/replace the gate and move it to a safer location. It was a good price and seems like a good option. The gate is difficult to open and security is a concern.
 - Motion: Bill Ardizzone motioned to proceed with needed repairs/replacement and movement of the gate through the manufacturer who gave Steve the quote.
 - Seconded. Voted. Motion carried.

Next meeting is October 22 at Black Bear Diner.

