

# Sierra Sagebrush Flyers, Inc

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## ***WHAT A CREW...***

**Next Meeting at Jim Kelso's Shop  
May 3rd at 7:00p.m.**

**The Next Event-** Hickey Day Fun-fly  
at the Club Flying Field May 19<sup>th</sup>.



All of us owe this stellar group of guys and gal a gigantic thank you. Their hard work guarantees all of us have a great field to fly off of in the coming year.

I personally want to thank them all for the effort they put in on our behalf. Hopefully those of us who couldn't participate will make other contributions this year to show our appreciation for their commitment









Many thanks to Barb Mower for making the pics of the work detail and to Dennis for sending the from the field. Without their support the newsletter would not be possible. Again.... Many thanks for their support. BJ

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Minutes of Monthly Meeting  
April 5, 2018

- I. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by President Jim Kelso. Fifteen members and guests were present.
- II. The minutes from March 1, 2018 meeting were read by the secretary and approved.
- III. Treasurer's report: nothing to report.
- IV. Field report: Bob Heitkamp will schedule a workday this month to fill cracks in the runway.
- V. Old Business:

- Jim Kelso read the Calendar of Events scheduled for our club.
- July 28<sup>th</sup> is a family potluck scheduled at Jim Kelso's shop.

New Business:

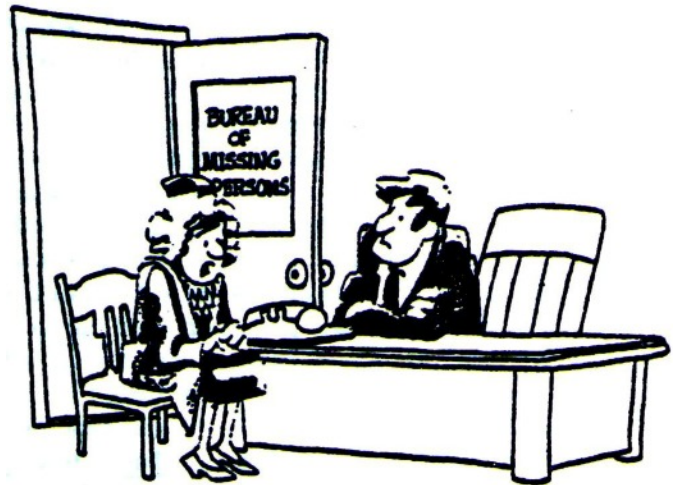
- Barbara Mower gave a presentation of the Sierra Sagebrush Flyers website which she has redesigned. Go to [sierrasagebrushflyers.org](http://sierrasagebrushflyers.org) and check out our homepage, event calendar, field map, pictures, videos newsletters and contact information. Great job Barbara. You can also find us on Facebook; search for sierra sagebrush flyers.

- VI. The Golden Cow Pie Award: The Golden Cow Pie Award was awarded to Bill Kosenski for crashing his P-51. Bill described trying to perform a low altitude barrel roll down the runway. The low altitude soon became zero altitude and the plane was a total loss. Sorry Bill; no points for that maneuver!

VII. Show and Tell:

- Ray Brindos showed his F-27 Evolution bind and fly foam wing with camera from Horizon Hobbies. This is a first person view with goggles and Ray has had good success flying this model. The plane sells for \$179.00 and is easy to transport in the box it comes in.
- Bob Heitkamp showed his most recent composite ARF jet (#4). It has a 100 inch wingspan, powered by a 30 lb thrust turbine engine and has about 7 minutes of flying time.

- VIII. Adjourn: The meeting adjourned at 8:15 pm. The next club meeting will be Thursday, May 2, 2018 at 7:00 pm at Jim Kelso's shop.



*"The last time I saw him, he was down in his workshop making a silly pair of wings."*

Scheduled Events for 2018

5/19	Hickey Day Fun Fly & BBQ @ Club Field
5/26-28	Castle AFB, Giant Scale Fun Fly
7/1	Turn & Burn, SAM Warbird Race
7/14	Death Ride, Topaz Rest Stop
7/28	Club Family Picnic @ Jim Kelso's
8/5	Nitro Madness, SAM Warbird Race
8/11	Military Plane Contest @ Club Field
8/13-14	Blue Angels @ Minden Airport
9/12-16	Reno Air Races
9/15	Hickey Day Fun Fly & BBQ @ Hickey Field
9/21-22	Trashman Classic, SAM Warbird Race
10/6	Fun Fly, Family Day & BBQ @ Club Field
10/19-21	NATS Warbird Racing, SAM Club Field, Sacramento
12/6	Christmas Party @ Carson Valley CC
TBD:	Boy Scouts Learn to Fly / Open House

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