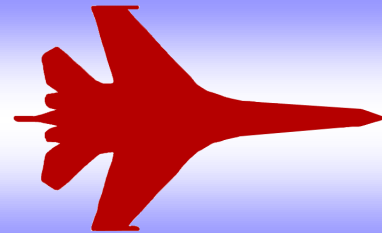


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FYI: The requirement to mask-up when within six feet of others (not in your household) remains in force at **TRAC**. We will advise you immediately when that is no longer the case.

Everyone,

This was reviewed by the County Attorney's office, voted on by the Board today and released just now by the County Administrator's office. Please ensure since you are utilizing county property that your staff continues to follow the same guidelines. Thank you.

Business Operations Manager

Operational and Security Services
Parks and Recreation

TRAC MINUTES

April 10, 2021

Meeting Call to Order

Meeting called to order by V.P. James Chambers at 11:00 a.m. with 22 signed-in members present.

Motion to accept minutes of last meeting was made, seconded, and passed.

Treasury Report

Secretary Devin Allen presented a detailed treasury report and break down of expenses.

Beginning Balance \$ XXXXXX

Income \$ 470.00

Expenses \$ 957.64

Closing Balance \$ XXXXXX

Runway Fund \$

Motion to accept the Treasurer's Report was made, seconded, and passed.

New Members/New Pilots

None.

Safety block

Masks required when social distancing is not possible is not being followed. Wear your mask anytime you are within 6 feet of someone and when you are under the shelters.

Old Business

None.

New Business

Hillsborough County contact is processing the new road sign.

The Fun Fly has been moved to May 15th Registration @ 8:30 am; event begins at 9:00 am. We ask that if you can get the word out by putting a copy of the flyer on your social media pages, or post on your bulletin boards at work and or church.

Devin Allen is updating the classified section on the web page, so if you have anything you would like to sell send him a picture, a brief description, and your contact information.

Devin has also started a new column in the Newsletter called "At the Field with Devin" he is interviewing members of the club as a way to help everyone get to know everyone. Last month's newsletter has an interview with Vince Cesario Sr. He will be doing a new interview every month so keep an eye out.

Show-and-Tell

None.

Adjournment

11:22 a.m.



Fun-Fly Competition!



Saturday May 15, 2021

Events Start: 9:00 a.m.

Trim Flights/Registration:

8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

For more information, call:
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www.tractampa.com



Featuring **FUN-FLY** Maneuver Sets

- ***Mystery* (to be announced)**

Aircraft Class Determined by CD (James)

*Bonus points for
spot landings & balloon burst!*

Driving Directions to TRAC 7208 N Taylor Rd, Seffner, FL

- 1) Take I-4 to Exit 10 - Mango Road Hwy 579
- 2) Head North .9 miles to Prueett Rd, and turn right
- 3) Head East .7 miles to Taylor Rd, and turn right
- 4) Head South .3 miles to 7208 Taylor Road
- 5) **TRAC** driveway is past Bing Park on right

Upcoming Events

TRAC - Club Meeting at Field, Saturday, May 8, at 11:00AM
TRAC - Club Fun Fly at Field, Saturday, May 15 at 9:00AM
TRAC - Club Meeting at Field, Saturday, June 12, at 11:00AM
TRAC - Club Meeting at Field, Saturday, July 10 at 11:00AM
TRAC - Club Meeting at Field, Saturday, August 14, at 11:00AM



At the field with Devin

I'm with Ivan Peck...

So Ivan how long have you been in the hobby?
Before the beginning of time

What attracted you to the hobby?

Love of Airplanes

Did you have an instructor teach you to fly RC or were you self-taught?

I had an instructor, Scott Kantrowitz was my instructor

What was the first plane you ever flew remote control?

A HobbyStar 60 Trainer

What was your favorite plane you ever owned and why?

The F4U Corsair because they look so cool in the air

What was your least favorite plane and why?

I don't really have any I like them all.

Do you have any planes with a special sentiment?

No not Really

What did or do you do for a living?

An Electrician for TECO

What are some of your other hobbies or interests?

I like hunting and fishing

Did you serve in the military and if yes what did you do?

Yes, I was a personal equipment specialist, I took care of all the pilots equipment like helmets and oxygen masks

Are you a gas, nitro, or electric guy what do you prefer and why?

I like them all I don't really have a preference

2 stroke or 4 stroke do you have a preference and why?

4 Strokes because you can do more with them like fly the bigger airplanes

Are you more of a builder or a flyer?

I like to do both

If you could have any RC plane what would it be tell me the model, what power and why?

Large Cub with gas power

For those new to the hobby what are some recommendations you would make to them?

Get a nitro trainer because you get a longer flight time than the electrics

Who in the club do you think is one of the best pilots?

Vincent Cesario Jr. and Dale Harwell

What would you like to see more of in the hobby?

More Students

What would you like to see less in the hobby?

Bickering

Do you have a Motto or philosophy you try to live your life by?

Follow the Good Lord





Another Great Build

First RC Flight on Another Planet



Did they get another Mars rover to spot for them?

Did they know which way the wind was blowing before take off?

Were they using FUTABA or Spectrum?

Did the Mars rover that dropped the 'copter on the ground and then backed up, holler "*coming out!*"?

Did they have an FAA number or a MAA (Martian Aviation Administration) number?

Was Pete flying this thing?