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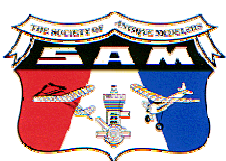
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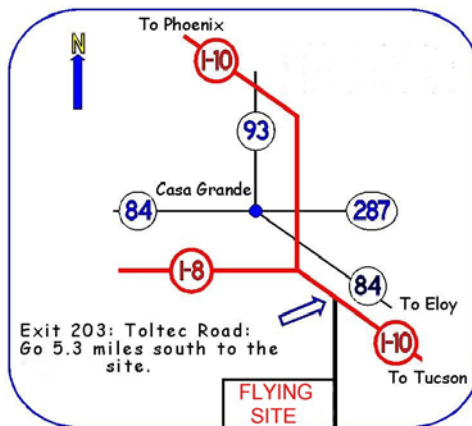
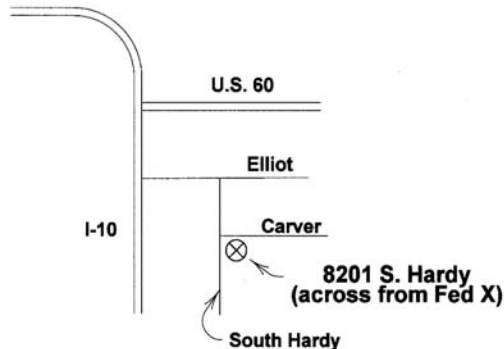
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NEXT MEETING
SEPTEMBER 11th
7:00 PM.
8201 S. Hardy
Tempe police Dept.
Auditorium

NEXT CONTEST
SEPTEMBER 15th
ELOY, ARIZONA

NEW WEB SITE

Thanks to Alan Petersen, we again have a web site

<http://www.freeflight.org/PMAC/>

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The **Magnificent Mountain Men** celebrate their 50th anniversary with their 42nd annual Rocky Mountain Championships.

A great contest with 4 PMAC members there. Dick Nelson, who won the Dawn Gas Event. Dick Woods, Peter Brocks, and myself were also there.

I left early Sunday right after I put up my three flights in Jimmie Allen as I had to be back in Albuquerque on Monday morning so I don't have all the results but in FAI Lee Hines won the F1A event (6 entered), Vanlandingham won the F1B (7 entries), and Etherington won F1C (3 entries).

A pleasant surprise was the turnout in FAC. They have always had a couple of scale events but this year they expanded it to include 3 mass launch events, Jimmie Allen, and Golden Age Scale in addition to Peanut scale and FAC scale. The Mass Launch events are not judged but there were 28 entries to be judged in Peanut, FAC Scale, and Golden Age. There were quite a few in the 3 mass launch events too.

I didn't get results but there were 15 P-30s , 12 in Classic Towline, and 11 in ½ A gas. A great turnout.

No field is perfect but if you weigh the plusses and minuses, this is a great one. I would also give high marks to the contest management.

Steve Riley



Dave Wagner from Santa Fe New Mexico returning from a long chase across the 27 thousand acre field

Another good contest coming up in November.
The San Valeers 20th All Nostalgia Annual in November. Check out the flyer elsewhere in this issue

I have also included some early news on the Southwest Regionals in this issue

**SAN VALEERS 20th ALL NOSTALGIA ANNUAL
LOST HILLS, CALIFORNIA * NOVEMBER 3-4, 2007**

C.D. Terry Thorkildsen 805/495-6135; Co C.D. Tom Laird 310/544-7606

**CAT 2- 3 MIN. MAX. THIS IS A NFFS NATIONAL CUP CONTEST
(Combined with Old Timer Contest the Same Weekend CD Ted Firster 951-776-4971)**

SATURDAY

8:15AM - 4:30PM

1/4 A NOSTALGIA

1/2 A NOSTALGIA

C NOSTALGIA

**NOSTALGIA GLIDER
(A1/A2) Proxy Towing OK**

SUNDAY

8:15AM - 3PM

A NOSTALGIA

B NOSTALGIA

1/2 A EARLY BIRD

BOTH DAYS

**NOSTALGIA CABIN combined
Any cabin design & engine size
including Payload (dummy optional)
must ROG &
Must Have Front Windshield**

**1 DESIGN EVENT:
Bounty Hunter 245 TD .049/.051 or
legal nostalgia engine.**

NOST RUBBER/Wakefield COMB

**COMBINED ONE DESIGN GAS
MODELS (All previous eligible designs)**

DAWN PATROL HOURS:

**7AM - 8:15AM
(Small Gas .001-.051/
Large Gas .052-.65)**

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(Small Gas .001-.051/
Large Gas .052-.65)**

***** JOHNSON .29R*** awarded by Raffle (One ticket for each event entered)**

EVENT PRIZES: MERCHANDISE * ENGINES*KITS*BALSA*ETC., TROPHY FOR JR. HIGH TIME

**ALL MODELS CHECKED AND WEIGHED LESS FUEL, BEFORE FIRST FLIGHT
(Except 1/4 A & 1/2 A)**

**DAWN PATROL ENTRY FEE \$1.00 PER FLIGHT. Winner is highest 2 flight total. 9 second motor run.
Two models per class permitted but only 1 model in air on official flight allowed. Official flight is timed to the
ground before another official flight can be scored. Flights must be posted after each official flight. Failure to
post an official flight will negate all succeeding flights.**

ONE DESIGN BOUNTY HUNTER EVENT PRIZES: \$45 FOR 1ST, \$30 FOR 2ND, \$15 FOR 3RD

**NOSTALGIA RUBBER: Designs from 1943-1956, Maxes: 2 min, 3 min, 4 min, & all flyoff flights 4 min max
ENGINE RUNS ALL EVENTS & 1 DESIGN: First 3 Flights 10 Seconds HL 13 sec VTO, all Flyoff Flights will
be 7 Secs HL and 9 secs VTO, all other rules per NFFS Rulebook No. 8 for CAT 2. DAWN PATROL no max,
9 sec motor run timed to the ground.**

**NFFS RULES LIST NO. 8. BUILDER OF THE MODEL RULES APPLY, BUT CAN FLY DECEASED
FLYER'S MODEL PER NFFS RULES. NO RE-ENTRY.**

Entry fees: Registration \$5.00, SR. & OPEN: \$5.00 per event, Jr's: \$2.00 All EVENTS ARE JSO

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***The 58th Annual Southwest Regionals
now expanded to 3 days !***

JANUARY 19, 20, & 21 - 2008

Eloy, Arizona

Our site is about half way between Phoenix and Tucson - at Exit 203, go south about 5.5 miles on Toltec Road to the site on the west side of the road. There's plenty of room for our three big contests:

~***AMA / SAM / NFFS Free Flight*** - now running all 3 days! We have lots of opportunities to fly including ALL of the National Cup events.

~***FAI Free Flight: The Randy Archer Invitational***

Saturday and Sunday. Includes the 3 big events, the 3 small events, plus F1P and F1Q. This is an America's Cup Contest.

~***SAM [Society of Antique Modelers] Radio Controlled Old Timers*** - running all 3 days.



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More information:

Check out the maps and event listings at:

www.aalmps.com/8info.htm which will be live soon.

Until then, you can see the event listings and maps at the old site [but remember that the dates are incorrect]:

www.aalmps.com/7info.htm

You can also contact the Contest Directors:

AMA etc FF: AL Lidberg, 1030 E. Baseline, Suite 105-1074, Tempe, AZ 85283 480-839-8154

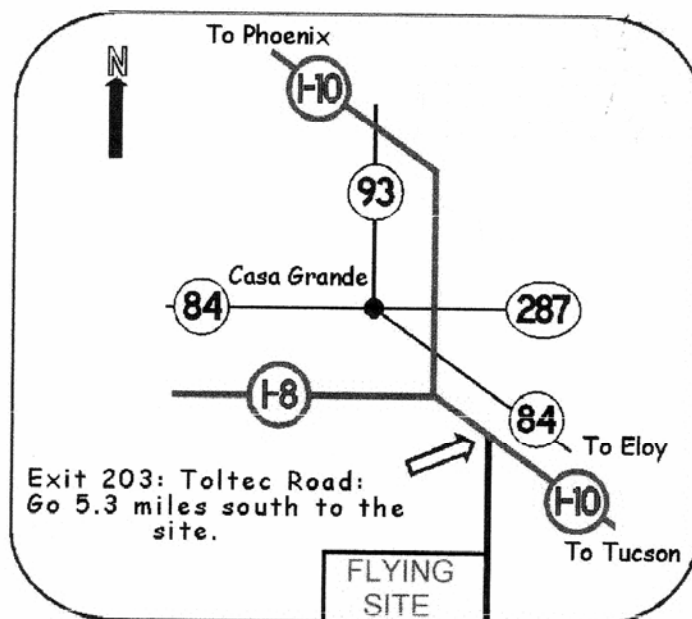
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