



The Gold Country Flyer

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Newsletter: Position currently open! (Todd is filling in)

Date: **Wednesday, April 2, 2025 - Monthly Club Meeting**

Location: **Round Table Pizza, Jackson CA**

1. Meeting called to order: **7pm** Members attending: **17**
2. Approval or correction of previously published meeting minutes: **Approved**
3. Guests / New members: **Lee Letchworth (Rejoined)**
4. President's report: **Not Present**
5. Vice President's report: **See details on Old/New Business Items**
6. Treasurer's report: Members: **57 (Paid)** Account balance: **\$12,900**
7. Appointed position reports:
 - Safety Officer: **Nothing new from Lance. Dick was at the field alone and 3 strangers stopped in. Nothing nefarious occurred, but it was an uncomfortable situation.**
 - Newsletter: **Todd is still filling in to create the newsletter**

- Website: **Tom reported it is up and running. Fred cautioned about bogus emails.**
- Club Raffle: **There was a field trip to the Davis swap meet on 3/15, several items were obtained for the Christmas party.**

8. Committee reports:

- Events: **Lance has flyers for the Fun Fly scheduled for Saturday, April 12. Lee has flyers for the Control-Line Combat scheduled April 25-27. Lee will coordinate with Alan re: mowing the field before the control-line event.**
- Promoting Flying: **Lance and Alan reiterated that RC car folks need to also be flyers, the club is not willing to babysit youngsters whose parents drop them off just to run RC cars.**
- Field Maintenance: **Dick acknowledged and thanked Alan for his work keeping our field mowed., Jon volunteered to help Alan with upcoming field maintenance, he and Lance are planning to do some weed whacking on Wednesday, April 9th.**

9. Announcements / Pertinent correspondence:

- **Nothing to report**

10. Discussion of old or continuing business:

- **Lance has obtained 2 quotes for the runway expansion project, ranging from \$18K to \$20K. John Stoney has additional business cards for other contractors to get competing bids.**
- **14 of 17 members voted to setup a separate club fund to contain donations designated for the runway expansion project.**

11. Discussion of new business:

- **All members are requested to confirm their FAA, AMA and UAS membership/certifications are current! Please send any updates to Tom so he can update the club roster accordingly.**

12. Presentation of member's modeling projects:

- **Jon brought plastic wood filler from Ace Hardware, and brought a CloudHopper build to show.**

13. Dummy of the Month: **Jerry won for grabbing the fence with the cable on his tow plane. OUCH!**

14. Club Raffle: **No information available at time of publication.**