

AMA Club #617

## NEWSLETTER

December 9, 1974

Meeting Notice:

Where: Southwestern Savings

When: December 12, 1974; 7:30 p.m.

Who: Hosts: food--Natham Grantom

drinks -- Dan Hitch & Dave Church

Program: Lars Giertz; "What Makes Them Fly?"

THANKS to Joe Williams, Bill Breazeale & Frank Fotorny for the food and drinks for the November meeting. We enjoyed them greatly.

DUES: Your \$5.00 for the 1975 MSCRCC membership is now due. See Dave Hoffman at this meeting to pay for it. Please know your AMA number, your FCC license number and your frequency (s) of your radios.

address correction: Dave Hoffman, Treasurer

5247 Cripple Creek Ct. Houston, Texas 77017

phone: 941-8485

DECALS/PATCHES: We have a quote from Velvetex for decals. We will be discussing them this month. Approximate cost is 25¢ to 30¢ each. Quotes are still pending on patches. So far, cost estimates are \$3.50 to \$4.00.

AUCTION: Our auction netted the club treasury \$119.92. Many guests we talked to said they enjoyed it a great deal and are looking forward to next year's.

TRAINER: Paul Claeys, ph 333-2105, informs us that the trainer is alive and doing well. It's out on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month; usually in the afternoons. Paul is the I.P. so if you want to arrange a special time, he is the man to call.

FUEL: We still need about 20 to 25 1-gallon cans for the 55-gallon drum of Duke's Fuel we bought. Bring them on in this month. Dave Hoffman will be taking the \$5.00 per gallon at this meeting(this lets us know who gets how much when we do make the pour). If you have questions or need additional information call Jim Mathenia, ph 941-1890 and he can give you the answer.

HANGER FLYING: The building will be open at 7:00 p.m., so we can get together and do some informal hanger flying. Remember, the lying starts at 7:00 and the actual meeting is at 7:30 p.m.

CONTEST PROMOTORS: Roy Davis, ph 946-9107, and Paul Jaschke, ph 471-4342, have agreed to be contest promotors for 1975. If you want to set up a contest, help at one, or just just need some information, these are the men to call.

LIBRARIAN: Mike Gaudiano, ph 334-2186, is the club librarian. He has the RCM Anthology Library (at least the parts we have bought). Give him a call if you would like to look these over--there is a great deal of good information in them.

MODEL OF THE MONTH will again be held this month. Bring all those new and shiny aeroplanes out and show off a little. (As Jim Mathenia said it sure beats looking at pretty girls).

FIELD SAFETY: Just because we are all good pilots (never crashed one, did we?) we should <u>not</u> ignore safety rules at the field. Let's watch where we set the pits and remember to use the frequency pins.