



# The Gold Country Flyer

## September 2022

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### Date: Sept. 1, 2022    Monthly Club Meeting

1. Called meeting to order: 7:00 PM                      Members attending: 16
2. Approval or correction of the previously published meeting minutes.    Approved
3. Guests/New Members:    NONE
4. Vice President's (Brock Brown) report: Nothing to report
5. Treasurer's (Alan Ross) report:        Members 76
6. Reports from each of the Appointed Positions.
  - a. Safety Office's (Dick Belden) report: Nothing to report
  - b. Newsletter (Dee Merrill): Nothing to report
  - c. Website (Tom Minger) Information: Nothing to report
  - d. Club Raffle (Chuck Powell): Nothing to report
7. Committee Reports.
  - a. Swap Meet: this year swap meet with great! Planning to do this next year also.
  - b. Christmas Party: Dec 8th. Everything is on schedule.

- c. Promoting Flying: Nothing to report
  - d. Field Maintenance: Field maintenance continues to be of concern. We are looking for volunteers to be part of the workgroup to distribute the load amongst multiple individuals.
8. Announcements and reading of any pertinent correspondence.
9. Discussion of old or continuing business items.
- a. Field Maintenance Workgroup volunteers are needed. It would be easier to maintain the field in an ongoing effort, rather than having workgroup go out and repair large damage.
  - b. The last AeroScout Race this year was a great success. Fun was had by everyone that came out and participated. Do we want to plan on having AeroScout racing for next year? In the January meeting we will set up a contest director and start planning for the races next year. We need a volunteer to run races, Jim Moor did a great job this year.
10. Discussion of new business items.
- a. A proposal for Contact Combat. Crash test hobbies sells a delta wing airplane design for contact combat. Several of our members have purchased these airplanes and we are preparing to possibly have contact combat for next year as an event.
11. Presentation of member's modeling projects (show and tell).
- Jon Teeling showed his modified foamboard twin boom Bronco II.
- Fred Carter – example of 3d printing using both filament and resin printing.
12. Dummy of the month.
- a. Fred Carter for not bring the award to meeting.
  - b. No other "whistle-blowers" came forward.

The winner is Fred Carter!

Club raffle!!

## Adjournment



**MAY 1944 - Lt. Hubert Hackmann, his guns jammed, rams his Messerschmitt into Capt. Joseph H. Bennet's 336 Ftr Sqn P-51B Mustang, destroying it. Bennett was captured after parachuting safely over Germany. He and Hackmann became friends, meeting regularly for reunions after the war.**