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Next Meeting – Thursday, September 9th, Carson City Airport Terminal – 6:30 pm



15-19th of September

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High Sierra RC Club's Annual Picnic

and

Fund Raising Raffle

September 25th, 2010



I hope that everyone can make it out to the picnic this year. If you have not sent in your raffle tickets yet, bring them with you. You will also be able to purchase more at the field before the raffle of course. What a cool looking plane! Comes with a transmitter too. It's got your name written all over it!

I heard from the rumor mill that there will be a "Radian Roundup" at the picnic this year. So all you sailplane guys, bring out your stuff for a relaxing flight. Don't forget the mini-cams so we can put together a movie!

I was in the restaurant yesterday when I suddenly realized I desperately needed to pass gas. The music was really, really loud, so I timed my gas with the beat of the music. After a couple of songs, I started to feel better. I finished my coffee, and noticed that everybody was staring at me....

Then I suddenly remembered that I was listening to my iPod.

I am copying what I wrote down in the "minutes" of the last meeting; *"Tom (Howell) talked about the open house saying that in the 10 years he had been with HSRCC, this was the best showing of member participation he had seen."* I have to agree 100%. Even though times are tough, it seems that the members in our club have pulled together to make this year the best ever. I remember going to meetings when only a few people attended. Now, somewhere from 1/3 to 1/2 of the members participate. As a club, we are not perfect. But we try and we learn from our mistakes. That is why I personally have enjoyed being around you, ... my RC family! Give yourself a pat on the back! OK, ok,..... I won't get too gushy here, but, I hope to see you all at the field for the Annual Club Picnic. I'm looking forward to the raffle, BBQ Hamburgers, and giving everyone a big wet kiss on the lips! Hmmmmmm, maybe just the first two anyway!



So has anyone else seen these great looking planes besides Tom Howell? Designed by Philipp Steinbach, the Sbach 342 is a two place plane and the Sbach 300 sits one. It didn't take long for the modeling community to replicate these! Click [Here](#) to see a little bit about the real plane.

Of course the MX2 is a gorgeous plane as well. Rudy Zink from the Reno Club flew a green one at the Open House, just in case you were wondering!



I don't think I have talked about this plane yet, but it is one that I think is fantastic!

The GeeBee R3 or R4 is a fantasy racer originally drawn by an Italian named Mirco Pecorari. I have found two sizes on-line, a .60 with a 59" wing span and



one with a 400 cc Moki radial at 120". I think the larger one is a tad rich for me! Even the small one is \$400, if it is still available!

Oh Santa! I've been a good little boy this year!

Honest!



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