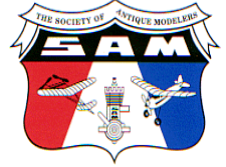




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Society of Antique Modelers

Chapter 21

AMA Charter Club 1470



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Next Meeting:

Thursday Jan 9, 2025
Dr. Alan Peterson's House
1115 Seena Avenue
Los Altos, Ca 93024
7 p.m.



SAM21 Current Affairs

Latest dope.....



- The December 9th meeting was the Holiday Banquet at Alan's abode. 10 people attended, 7 SAM21 members and 3 OCD members
- A lot of chit chat but no real business was conducted. White Elephant gift exchange was conducted according to the rules drafted by the late Lescher Dowling.
- The food was good and plenty
- The board voted to have the 2025 SAM21 membership dues reduced to \$0.00. Yes, it is \$0.00!
- All member currently on the roster in 2024 will be member automatically for 2025.
- Even though SAM21 2025 membership is \$0.00, You are still required to have AMA membership to remain a member of SAM21.
- Received words from Brian Sargent that due to his heavy work schedule, he is resigning from the Competition Chairman. He will still remain a member of SAM21.



2025 Meeting Dates

1st Thursday after
the 1st Monday

7:00 p.m.

Dr Peterson's House.
1115 Seena Avenue, Los
Altos.

January 9

February 6

March 7

April 10

May 8

June 6

July 10

August 7

September 4

October 9

November 6

December 4

Christmas Banquet

Don't forget to
renew your

SAM 21

membership,
the dues is

\$0.00

for 2025



December Meeting Pictures



Bill Vanderbeek brought this Cab Ruler (FF) for show and tell. It was beautifully built.



I'll give you three guesses who this belongs to!



Another view of Bill's Cab Ruler.



Ben and Bill.



Christmas Banquet/White Elephant Event



The "Watering Hole" or the "Thirst Station"!



Gina, in pink, is the other half of the host.



"The Spread"!



Alan, one half of the Host of the event.



Christmas Banquet/White Elephant Event



Alan is preparing the pick order of the White Elephant Gift Exchange.



Sam and Loren.



All eyes were on Loren, checking out the gift he picked.



The mandatory group shot!



Cliff is getting into the action of gift stealing!



They all tried to get Gina into the group picture.



Random Pictures....



Bill With Cab Ruler @ the Christmas Banquet.

Happy New Year!



Snowman, California Style! (Sandman?)



Brian with Foote Westerner @SAM27 flying site. This model used to be part of Dr. Joe Poco's collection.



"Landing is importanter than flying"!



Trading Post

For sale are two 1938 Comet Clippers , one ARF and one in short Kit form. These are from Tom Faith, He moved to Oregon and did not want to bring these two with him. So they are available for \$125.00 each



The Comet Clipper Mk II was built by Brian Dithers. It has a Orange Rx for DSM-2 Protocol. Motor and ESC are included. Just need a 3S (1500 to 2200) lipo battery and you are ready to go.

Clipper Number 2. Comet Clipper Mark II.

It is a Golden Era Model Service (John Eaton) kit. John's kits are top-notch.



More information can be found here:

<http://www.yolo.net/~jeaton/gems/clippermk2/clippermk21.html>

Tom can be reached at
seaspider@protonmail.com

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AMA-FAC-NFFS

AMA-FAC-NFFS rules classes for Gliders, Rubber, Gas & Electric powered models.

SAM

SAM rules classes for Rubber, Electric and Gas powered models.



For more information, go to:

<https://swregionals.org/>



2025 Southwest Regionals @ Eloy, Arizona

2025 Southwest Regionals Model Airplane Championships SAM RC Entry Form

Name (Last, First): _____ AMA #: _____ Jr / Sr / Adult : _____

Address, City, State, Zip: _____

Phone : _____ E-mail : _____

SWR Competition Fees	Entry Fees		Qty	Expanded cost
<i>Frequent Flyer (unlimited events) ></i>	\$	50	_____	\$ -
On-Field fees	First event	Additional events	Event count	
Event Fees (Juniors only)	free	free	_____	free
Event Fee (Senior and Adult)	\$ 20	\$ 5	_____	\$ -
Total Event Fees				\$ -
AMA License New / Renew Fees	Qty	Cost		
Adult (ages 19-64) \$85	_____	\$ -		
additional family members \$45	_____	\$ -		
Senior (ages 65 and over) \$75	_____	\$ -		
Total License Fees		\$ -	Total Fees	\$ -

SWR T-Shirt sizing () womens () mens ()small ()medium ()large ()extra Large ()2XL

It is important that you pre-enter by mail before January 1, 2025 Send check or m.o. payable to **'Southwest Regionals'**, plus a copy of your 2025 AMA license and this filled-out page so we'll know what you're entering. Late entries after Jan. 1 will be charged an additional \$5.00. If you can not attend the SWR after pre-registering we will refund your fee.

Event Pre-Registration Selections	Check mark events being flown	Event Pre-Registration Selections	Check mark events being flown	Event Pre-Registration Selections	Check mark events being flown
Saturday Events 1/18/2025 8:30am - 4:30pm		Sunday Events 1/19/2025 8:30am - 4:30pm		Monday Events 1/20/2025 8:30am - 2:00pm	
1/2A Texaco		Electric LMR		1/2A Texaco scale	
Antique Combined		Electric Replica		Brown Jr. LER	
B Ign/Glow Combined		Ohlsson Sideport		A Ign/Glow Combined	
Ohlson .23		Old Time Glider		Speed 400 - 120/10	
Electric Texaco		RC Glider SAM/Woodie		Spirit of SAM	
Old Time Glider		Speed 400 - 60/10		Foxacoy	
Wake Class Elec LMR		Texaco			
Speed 400 - 90/10					

Mail To: Walt Angus
PO Box 73215
Phoenix, AZ 85050

SAM RC Questions
Walt Angus - Contest Director
480-200-8832

A Friendly Reminder....The Renewal Process

SAM21, AMA* and SAM membership renewal links are listed below. (*newer AMA members might have a different renewal dates.) SAM21 still going with the old fashion way, forms and checks in an envelope and stamp on the outside.



Use the renewal form and send renewal fee to **Cliff Shekell, 2473 Briarwood Drive, San Jose, California 95125.** The SAM21 2023 membership is \$10.00.



Go to <http://www.mysamstore.com/> click on "**Join/Renew Membership**" on the upper left . It will redirect you to a renewal form. Fill in the form and click on the "submit form" button. The next page will be to select the online/print option. After that it will direct you to Paypal page to pay the dues.



<https://www.modelaircraft.org/membership/enroll>

click on the left box "**Renew A Membership**" blue box and follow the instruction. You might to registered first.

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SAM 21 - 2025 Membership Application Form

Check one: NEW Member RETURNING Member

Check one: FULL Member **FREE**

SAM No. _____ AMA No. _____
(Req'd if full)

Name: _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone: _____ Cell _____

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