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# NEWS

Seven Towers R/C Club, Arlington, Texas  
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Mail Correspondence and Membership Dues to:

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## Club Upcoming Events

**Club Meeting – May 2th at 6:30 P.M.**

**Meeting at Our Airfield**

**Rookie Races**

Is anyone interested? Contact Duane

# Meeting Notes

**Our next Meeting is Monday May 7th, 6:30 PM, at Our Airfield**

April's Meeting was at our airfield.

Pat, John, and Scott are doing a great job keeping our airfield mowed and neat. Pat replaced our windsock that had considerable damage due to the recent high winds. We are replacing the torn orange safety fence.

There was a suggestion that we install a charging station that our pilots could use for charging our transmitter, receiver, and aircraft batteries. Scott put this idea forth as a similar unit is in good use at Hawk Airfield.

**Please be on the watch for vandals and trespassers destroying our property or the landfill's equipment.**

**Club Dues for 2012 are now due!**  
**Members: \$60/year, over 63 Senior: \$40/year.**

We remind all fliers to **use catch bottles** to contain the overflow when refueling your powered aircraft. This prevents damage to our worktables, runway, and grass. It also prevents the landfill from getting in trouble for fuel spills on the floodplain. **Do not fuel your aircraft on the worktables.**

## **ROOKIE RACING**

Duane Riedel has changed our club's Pylon Racer Specifications to allow 40 to 46 ball bearing engines and open sport propellers. We welcome new fliers but ask that no hopped up race planes participate. The AMA maximum speed limit is 100 mph.

Please pick up after yourself at the airfield, remove trash, and put the chairs away when finished.

**Please make sure the gate is closed behind you if you had to open it to enter or leave.**

**Seven Towers Radio Control Club**  
**Arlington Texas**  
(AMA Charter No. 2421)

**Membership Application**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**AMA Number: (Mandatory)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Radio Frequencies:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**e-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**e-mail or paper copy newsletter:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Flying Experience Level:**

**Beginner:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Novice:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Advanced:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Special Interests:**  
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**About The Club:**

The Seven Towers RC Club (STRCC) is a relatively small club with roughly 35 members. Most of the folks are very laid back and are in the hobby strictly for pleasure. STRCC holds monthly meetings, usually the first Monday, to share info & swap stories.

We are chartered with the Academy Of Model Aeronautics (AMA) and are governed under their

guidelines as well as some of our own club rules. The AMA provides many services but the main benefit is insurance. They provide liability coverage for each member at a very affordable rate. The cost is about \$58 per year. (That price includes a great monthly magazine)

Our club rules mandate that each person must be a current (or have at least applied for) AMA membership before becoming a STRCC member. This greatly reduces the clubs insurance rates and allows us to lower our membership costs.

The annual membership for STRCC is **\$60** per year.

Seniors 63 or greater are **\$40** per year.

To join STRCC during the year, new membership dues are prorated at \$60/year (\$6/month remaining).

Return Completed Applications to Any Club Officer or Mail to:

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