

COUNTY LINE R/C MODELERS

BY-LAWS

February 26, 2009

I. NAME

The formal name of the organization shall be County Line Radio Control Modelers, and shall be known and designated herein by the short title of CLRC.

II. OBJECTIVES

- A. To promote and encourage the construction, design, building, and flying of radio control model aircraft.*
- B. To promote fellowship among radio control modelers in the participation of this activity and hobby while upholding and supporting the policies and guidelines set forth by the Academy of Model Aeronautics.*
- C. To teach and instruct individuals how to fly and become familiar with and appreciative of the hobby.*

III. ACTIVITIES

Activities and functions will be scheduled according to the wishes of the membership. Functions are regarded as, but not limited to, fly-ins, fun-flys, racing, demonstration and instruction. Club meetings will be held as necessary. Meeting location will be designated and determined as necessary. Membership will be notified at least one (1) week in advance when a meeting is scheduled.

IV. OFFICERS

The officers of CLRC shall consist of a President, Vice-President, Secretary/Treasurer, Safety Officer, and Field Marshal.

V. TERM OF OFFICE

The term of office for all officers and committee members shall be for a period of one (1) year beginning February 1 of each year. The officers will be nominated and elected at the January meeting of each calendar year. Should any office become vacant during the year, an election will be held at a business meeting following the vacancy, provided that all members have been notified at least two (2) weeks in advance.

VI. COMMITTEES

The President shall ask for volunteers for committees regarding functions and special activities. There will be one (1) committee for each activity scheduled for the calendar year. These committees shall consist of at least three (3) members including at least one officer of the club.

VII. MEMBERSHIP

A. Flying member

1. Be a member in good standing with the Academy of Model Aeronautics.
2. Be current in all club dues.

B. Non-flying member

1. Be an associate member.
2. Not be required to be a member of the AMA
3. Be current in all club dues or be designated as a lifetime member who requires no payable dues for services rendered. The board will make this determination.

Junior membership, when applicable or requested, can be considered by the board.

VIII. APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

A. Any radio control modeler may make an application to join CLRC provided the modeler meets the following criteria:

1. Announce his/her intention for membership and complete the personal information on the application.
2. Hold a valid and current AMA membership card.
3. Be thoroughly versed in these by-laws as well as the rules and regulations set forth by the AMA and CLRC.
4. Submit initiation fee and dues payable to CLRC with membership application.
5. Flying member is entitled to full voting privileges and a key to the entrance gate.

B. Anyone may make an application to join CLRC as an associate member provided the person meets the following criteria:

1. Submit a membership application with the appropriate dues
2. Be thoroughly versed in these by-laws and the rules and regulations set forth by the AMA and CLRC
3. An associate member is restricted to non-voting privileges. Key to the entrance gate will not be issued to an associate member.

C. Profanity and vulgarity is prohibited.

IX. DUES

Dues shall be payable in the month of January of each calendar year or upon the application for membership to the club. The amount of dues to be paid will be fixed according to the wishes of the membership.

A. Dues structure:

1. Flying member--\$65.00 per year with a one-time \$35.00 initiation fee.
2. Associate member--\$35.00 per year.

B. New members who join at any other point in the calendar year shall pay \$5.00 per month remaining in the year, plus the \$35.00 one- time initiation fee.

C. In the event it becomes necessary to revoke or terminate a membership, the member will be notified by the President of CLRC. Termination of the members' privileges will be the direct decision of the board. No reimbursement of paid dues will be made to the terminated member. Gate key in possession of terminated member will be returned to the President of CLRC.

D. Any changes in the dues structure of CLRC shall be proposed, discussed and voted upon at a scheduled business meeting by members present.

X. RULES AND SAFETY REGULATIONS

All applicable AMA Rules and Regulations must be observed by club members. In addition, CLRC Rules and Safety regulations are contained in a separate document, "Rules and Safety Regulations for the County Line R/C Modelers." All rules and regulations set forth in that document must be observed by club members.

XI. BY-LAW CHANGES

Any change in the by-laws of CLRC shall be proposed, discussed and voted upon at a scheduled business meeting. Any decision made to change the by-laws shall be based upon the VOTE of the MEMBERS PRESENT at the business meeting.