

ACFC Newsletter

The Leading Edge in Asia's Sport Aviation

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Welcome to this First Issue

Paul Norrie, Editor

This is the first newsletter put together by the members. I hope that we can continue to keep you updated with events going on with the Angeles City Flying Club.

This newsletter is sent those members that have provided the club with an email address. It is also posted on the following Yahoo groups and website:

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/acflyingclub/>

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Aero_Club/

www.angelesflying.com/

In this issue I have included a link to an interesting article contributed by Al Malcolm sharing his experience during his flight to Vigan. It will also be sent in the next issue.

I am always looking for interesting articles to be included in the newsletter, so if you feel you want to contribute, please feel free to contact me at pnorrie@netvigator.com

Enjoy.

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Club Management

I have put this first as this issue is one of the more important.

Our longtime general manager at the club, Mel Troth has worked hard over the years to develop and improve the club. He has expressed his desire to step back from the direct management of the club. We have therefore been looking for a suitable replacement. This has been no easy matter because as we all know; Mel does a tremendous amount of work.

He wishes to reassure all members that he will not be leaving until he is fully confident that the club will continue to operate and grow. Therefore, he plans to stay on until he is comfortable that a replacement is up to the task.

In the last year there have been a few candidates who have worked on a temporary basis with the view to moving on to the general manager position. For various reasons, we have not been able to fill the position. The latest, Freddie Porto was with us for a training period of approximately one month. He has moved on to other things, and while the whole process has been a learning experience, the club is still looking to find a replacement general manager.

However, we currently have Daniel Goff helping out around the club. He is American and lives in Angeles City with his family. Over the next few weeks he will go through a probationary period, then possibly moving on to full time employment. If you see him next time you are at the club, introduce yourself and get to know him.

Blue Book Advertising

The following ad will appear in the May edition of Blue Book. The Blue book is widely distributed around Angeles City, Subic and other areas. It prints 10,000 copies each month so we should be able to get more exposure. As always, please continue to bring your families and friends to the club.

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Election of Board Members and Officers

As provided in our articles of incorporation we are required to have elections every two years for board members. This year the number of board members has been increased from five to seven. The board members are: Arthur Axcuna, Max (Boy) Guevarra, Terry Hockenhull, Edmundo Montanes, Paul Norrie, Theo Tan and Helmuth Zotter.

Mel will normally take care of the general management and running of the club. The board of directors is there to provide oversight and where necessary, establish overall policy.

Should you have any concerns with club matters, please see Mel or Terry, Paul or Helmuth. All of us are here to try to ensure that you enjoy your time at the flying club.

Al Malcolm's Trip to Vigan

As the file size is quite large, I have included it as a link. You can access the full document here:

http://docs.google.com/Doc?id=df88m7jw_0d99prvdc&invite=hcjnfwdw



Ednalyn & Jimmy--The happy couple take their vows.

New Membership Rates

By now, all members will have received notification of the new membership rates. A copy is shown below.

| ACFC NEW RATES as of January 1, 2008 | | | |
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| | SOLO RATE | DUAL RATE | TRIAL INTRO FLIGHT RATES = P6600.00 PER HOUR |
| RP-S1461 - QUICKSILVER MXL II Sport 503 engine | STANDARD TIF P2200 .3/4 HR (18 - 24 mins) | | |
| PER HOUR = SOLO = P2550 DUAL = P3400 | | | |
| RP-S1460 - QUICKSILVER GT-400 | MEMBERSHIP/ANNUAL DUES | | |
| PER HOUR = SOLO = P2200 | | | |
| RP-S1458 - DRIFTER 503 ENGINE | MEMBERSHIP P12,000.00 | | |
| RP-S1457 - QUICKSILVER MXLII Sport 582 Engine | | | |
| PER HOUR = SOLO = P2700 DUAL = P3600 | ANNUAL DUES P12,000.00 | | |
| RANS S-12 582 ENGINE | | | |
| PER HOUR = SOLO = P2900 DUAL = P3800 | HANGAR SPACE RENTAL P84 Per Sq Mtr FLOOR SPACE | | |
| HANGAR RENT WINGS OFF/FOLDED | | | |
| PER MONTH P1,800.00 | STANDARD UL HANGAR RENT | | |
| PER MONTH P5,000.00 | | | |
| PER HR P450 PLUS PARTS | APARTMENTS - MEMBERS RATE | | |
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| | 1 BED P1400.00 | | |
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| | 2 BED P1600.00 | | |
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That's it for this for this first issue. Remember to keep your email address current with the club so we can continue to update you with developments at the club. Also, be sure to register with the Angeles City Flying Club Yahoo group. By doing so, you will automatically receive notification of new postings.

Very best regards,
Paul Norrie

