

Salem R/C Pilots Association

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Salem R/C Pilots Assn.

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SR/CPA FLIGHT INSTRUCTORS

Matt Myatt CFI	(503) 881-5155
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If you need flight instruction, call one of these instructors and find out when they are available to help you. Please make arrangements to meet them at the field. Do not assume they will be available when they are at the field.



At GAME 2025, owned by Kevin Craft, I think

Meeting night, bring any project to show and tell. Visitors are always welcome and encouraged to attend. For more information about the club, attend a meeting as a guest or contact any of the club officers. Club dues are \$75.00 per year. We are listed with the local hobby shops.

Next Meeting:

Thursday, March 19, 7:30 PM

In Case of Emergency:

Tell the 911 operator you are at the radio control model flying field.

Garmin Industries

**2345 Turner Rd SE, Salem, OR
Please wait at the main entrance for an
escort into the building.**

Treasurer's Report			
From			
02/01/26	Balance Forward		\$5,660.61
to	Income		340.00
02/28/26	Expenses		218.05
	Balance		5774.87
	Dedicated Funds		0.00
	General Fund		5774.87
	Total Income This Year		3990.00
	Total Expenses This Year		1035.76

Treasurer's Report			
From			
03/01/26	Balance Forward		\$5,774.87
to	Income		450.00
03/03/26	Expenses		170.00
	Balance		6054.87
	Dedicated Funds		0.00
	General Fund		6054.87
	Total Income This Year		4440.00
	Total Expenses This Year		1205.76

Our secretary is spending some time in the hospital. Sorry, February meeting minutes are not available.

What does it take to make this fly?

[I finally did it. A scale RC Batwing](#)

I believe our club vice-president, a tool geek, sent me this one:

[CLEVER things to do with an Oscillating Multi-Tool!](#)

The beginning era of modern jet travel:

[The British Jet That Fell From The Sky: The Tragedy of the Comet](#)

[When a Test Pilot Barrel-Rolled a 4-Engine Jet Airliner. How Boeing Won the Jet Race](#)

These guys like to make really large R/C aircraft:

[Flying the world's biggest RC Airbus A380 for the first time with Tyler Perry](#)

INSANE! I agree, that word describes this video. Where can I hide?

[INSANE! 12S J-10 flown by Tyler Wells At Florida E-Jet Fest 2026 | Motion RC](#)

Talk about little R/C airplanes... this would be a challenge for me!

[Making Nano sized RC Airplanes!](#)

My father-in-law use to navigate the full-sized one of these in WWII:

[\(3952\) RC B-24 LIBERATOR "WITCHCRAFT" DEMO FLIGHT - YouTube](#)

A sad ending:

[Last Flight World Biggest RC Junker JU-52 Scale Airplane Model](#)

This aircraft had electric starters built in. Cool!

[RC B -17 FLYING FORTRESS "FUDDY DUDDY"](#)

Are you familiar with the Lavochkin La-7?

[RC Lavochkin La-7 ☆ Лавочкин Ла-7 ☆](#)

See you at the meeting!