

# Central Florida Sport Flyers 2019 Bylaws

## ARTICLE I: NAME

### A. NAME

Central Florida Sport Flyers

### B. LOCATION

Mailing Address:

Central Florida Sport Flyers  
PO Box 871  
Sorrento, FL 32776

Field Address:

37711 Lake Norris Road  
Eustis, FL

## ARTICLE II: PURPOSE

To further the sport of model aviation

## ARTICLE III: MEMBERSHIP

### A. QUALIFICATIONS AMA membership required

### B. DUES

Dues are:

1. Open Members \$125.00 per year
  - a. May be pro-rated at the discretion of club President based on date of new membership application, and is applicable for current membership year only.
2. Snow Bird (6month away) \$90.00
3. Youth Members \$50.00 per year
  - a. Must be less than 18 years of age.

### C. RESIGNATION

Any member in good standing may resign his/her membership by giving written notice to the Club. Club dues are not refundable.

#### D. TERMINATION

If any member ceases to have the qualification necessary for membership in the AMA, his/her membership in the Club shall thereby terminate, subject to reinstatement upon restoration of eligibility at the officers' discretion.

#### E. EXPULSION

This section provides for enforcement of the Safety Rules that are related to flying activities or any other unacceptable behavior by an individual member or members. Any individual may be expelled from membership from the Club if in the officers' determination, such individual willfully commits any act or omission which is a violation of any of the terms of these Bylaws, or the Rules of the AMA, or which is detrimental to the Club, the AMA, or to model aviation.

#### F. REINSTATEMENT

The officers' approval is required for reinstatement to the club.

#### G. 90 DAY PROBATION

All new members serve a 90 day probation period, during which there membership may be terminated by the officers of the club. If terminated during the probation period any membership dues and/or Initiation Fee will be refunded.

### ARTICLE IV: OFFICERS

#### A. OFFICERS

President – Walt Tillman  
Vice-President – Jim Nevill  
Secretary/ Treasurer – Carey Shurley  
Safety Officer – Robert Litwinski  
Field Marshal – Jon Gardner

#### B. TERM OF OFFICE

Annual. The incoming president is appointed by the out-going president.

#### C. DUTIES

President shall preside at meetings.  
VP shall preside in the absence of the president.  
Secretary maintains compliance with AMA paperwork.  
Treasurer maintain adequate books and records of the club's finances. Safety Officer shall enforce compliance with AMA safety requirements as it pertains to all flying activities.

Field Marshal manages the maintenance of the flying field.

D. APPOINTED OFFICERS

Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Safety Officer, Field Marshal.

E. VACANCIES

Officer vacancies are to be filled by appointment of the president.

ARTICLE V: MEETINGS

Meetings will be called by the president on an as-needed basis.

ARTICLE VI: RECORD KEEPING

All records are passed on when new officers are appointed

ARTICLE VII: COMMITTEES

None

ARTICLE VIII: N/A

ARTICLE IX: MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

A. FISCAL YEAR –January 1 through December 31

B. NEWSLETTER -via email from president

C. CLUB LOGO

D. MEMBERS' CODE OF CONDUCT

1. Any member who brings a guest pilot to the field is primarily responsible to ensure that the guest is a member in good-standing with the AMA.
2. Any member who allows a non-member pilot to, in the view of the officers, become a "freeloader" in the club shall have their membership immediately terminated without a refund of dues at the officers' discretion.
3. Any member who, in the view of the officers, subjects other members at the field to harassment, verbal abuse, physical threat, or any other offensive behavior such as (but not limited to) incessant complaining about the club, its members, or its officers shall be subject to membership termination without a refund of dues.

## E. DISSOLUTION OF CLUB

The duration of the club shall be perpetual. The club may be dissolved with the approval of two-thirds vote of the membership. In the event of dissolution, the club's assets net of liabilities will be donated to the AMA to further the sport of model aviation.

## ARTICLE X: AMENDMENT OF THESE BYLAWS

### A. PROPOSED:

Any member in good standing may propose an Amendment to the Bylaws

### B. APPROVAL:

All Amendments to the Bylaws must be approved by the Officers of the Club.

### C. VOTING:

All approved Amendments will be subject to a majority vote of the membership at a meeting called by the President of the club.

## ARTICLE XI: GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE (FLIGHT AND SAFETY RULES)

The club's officers reserve the right to immediately terminate, without refund, any member's membership due to unsafe, thoughtless, or any activity which jeopardizes the club's sanction with the AMA or the general population's safety. At least one witness is required.