

# The PRANG



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## Meeting Minutes

### March meeting of the Austin Radio Control Association

President Tom Sewell called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. There were 23 members present.

The minutes of the February meeting were read and accepted as read.

The treasurer's report for February was read and accepted as read.

### Old business;

Pat said that the club would only be paying for the cost of materials for the new sign. An extra lock was found on the front gate and was removed by ARCA and the gun club. The gate at the field entrance has been left open and must be closed and locked or the club is in jeopardy of losing our lease. The roadwork is being put on hold for a short time. The idea of a swap meet and fun fly are on hold for now, if someone would like to organize and run such an event talk to the executive committee. The club needs volunteers to work the two events in April. And remind everyone to come to the field cleanup, April 10th. Donations of Coke products to sell at the events would be greatly appreciated. Pat has gotten some response from various manufacturers for the Jet Rally.

### New business;

There was no new business discussed.

### Blue Max nominees

Sam Michael's crashed his old faithful PT-19 and walked off with Blue Max

Ham donated a case of fuel, which was raffled to the members present.

Thanks to Ham for his continuing support to the club.

Robin Masek won the gift certificate door prize.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:25 PM.

## Central Texas Jet Rally

This years Central Texas Jet Rally started off with the promise of light winds and beautiful weather. At least the weather did stay nice, but the winds came a blowin. Some of our regular guests arrived as early as Thursday to start flying. The Mississippi contingent arrived with Vernon, David, Dennis and his son Paul. We also had a few of the Colorado bunch show up this year as well after missing last year's event Greg Moore and Paul Munninghoff as representatives. Attendance jumped up to 41 registered pilots this year. We also received some special treatment from KXAN channel 36 with their decision to broadcast portions of their "Firstcast" morning news show live from the field with Dan Robertson the weatherman. This boosted attendance way up by the spectators as well. I want to thank all those who helped make the event happen. Especially Bobby Ziegar for spending his Sunday bending stainless and galvanized metal to get the grille functioning again, Loyd for all of his help before

Next Meeting  
Thursday Evening  
April 29th  
7:00 pm  
at the Flying Field

### Upcoming Club Events:

April 29th	Club Meeting
May 27th	Club Meeting
June 24th	Club Meeting

**ARCA  
Anysize  
Warbird  
Coverage  
Next Month**

### 2004 ARCA Officers

President	Tom Sewell
Vice President	Pat Fernandez
Treasurer	Loyd Ligon
Secretary	Dick Maus

### Members at Large

Robin Masek & Steve Sarlis  
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[www.austinrc.org](http://www.austinrc.org)

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Central Texas Jet Rally

during and after the event. Robin, Bill, Bob Price, Bob-O, and the whole cooking, parking and ticket selling team, and to all who helped with the field cleanup as well. ARCA can be proud of your efforts as the event received rave reviews from the pilots, spectators, and the newsies who attended.



Central Texas Jet Rally Awards

top gun

Paul Lott  
BVM Bobcat

best scale

Tom Perry  
Avonds F-16

best sport

Steve Ellzey  
Miss America Kingcat

pilot's choice

David Reid  
BVM Kingcat

people's choice

Beau and Sean's  
Yellow F-15



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