

Cliff Notes

Honeywell–Garrett Retirees Club of Arizona

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March 2022

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Mar 2022 Meeting was held at the Scottsdale Senior Center, room 8. The subject was model aircraft competition pylon races and control line aerobatics. The presenters were Jim Allen and Jim Hoffman. Both had their entire careers at AiResearch/Garrett/Allied Signal/Honeywell and are now retired. Jim Hoffman is a Club member.

The presentation covered competition RC pylon racing and control line aerobatics. Also were descriptions of the technology in these models as well as their construction, control systems power-plants, and finishes. Included were flight videos, photos of completed and in process builds, as well as several models and power trains on display. Aircraft have wingspans up to 5 feet and are powered by electric or internal combustion engines.

Jim Allen, the pylon racer pilot described the three pylon ¼ mile lap racecourse and how the ten-lap race is conducted. The racers can reach 195 mph.

Jim Hoffman is the control line aerobatics pilot. He described his event where the aircraft perform a variety of maneuvers including loops, figure eights and triangles. During the maneuvers, the models are often heading toward the ground at about 60 mph pulling out at 5 feet altitude.

Both types of competition are very exciting, and the Pilots are very skilled. It was a great meeting. There were about 25 attendees.

New Members

None this month

Fix-It-Guys help club members including surviving spouses who may need assistance with handyman type jobs. We provide labor and you provide materials.

Frank Holman is the Fix-It-Guys Coordinator and his phone number is 602-695-2565.

All three local clubs participate in this activity Honeywell-Garrett Retirees Club, Honeywell Retiree Social Club, and Aero Activities Club. Current Fix-It Guys are:

HGRC	Frank Holman		
HRSC	Lee Rippstein	Dan Schott	Paul Wiley
AAC	Bob Farney	Kevin Vetter	

Kevin Vetter responded to a request for help with some plumbing issues. He successfully solved the issues. Cost of service....one cold beer.

Our **mission** is to provide fellowship, networking among retirees, and interesting speakers at monthly Club meetings. We also promote philanthropic community and academic activities.

Lee Ripstein has been requested to respond to a past recipient to help assemble a file cabinet.

The Scholarship Foundation

This is a joint Honeywell-Garrett Retirees Club and Honeywell Retiree Social Club activity. Our Scholarship Foundation Board members are:

Cheryl Wiley, HRSC	Board Chair	azwileys@cox.net	623-512-1634
Frank Holman, HGRC	Vice Chair	frankholman@cox.net	602-695-2565
Brian Unsworth, HGRC	ASU Representative	brianuns@aol.com	480-946-5194
Cheryl Wiley, HRSC	UofA and NAU Representative	azwileys@cox.net	623-512-1634
Jim Brink, HGRC	Treasurer	azstbbjb@cox.net	602-510-6064

We have 5 applicants to date, 4 from HGRC and 1 from HRSC. All have been successfully confirmed. April 1st is the deadline for application submission every academic year so be sure to get our information to any qualified family member in a timely manner. We have updated our on-line submission process and you will find the documents on-line at www.hrcaz.org. The criteria for the member and student are below:

- A college student who is a descendant (children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and/or great-great-grandchildren) of a Member of the Honeywell Retiree Social Club or Honeywell-Garrett Retiree Club. Member must be 50 years or older.
- Currently enrolled at Arizona State, Northern Arizona, or the University of Arizona as either a Sophomore, Junior, Senior, undergraduate, or graduate student.
- 3.0 grade point average (GPA) or better

If you meet the requirements then you are eligible for scholarship money from the Honeywell Retiree Clubs Scholarship Foundation.

In Memoriam

Recent Passing's Noted by Obituaries or Members, February 2022

- John Gourley
- Rex Allen Newman
- Joan Spears

Oak Street Gleaners

We need of one or two volunteers to help pick up on Oak Street between 52nd and 56th Streets in Phoenix. We have policed this stretch for over 20 years. Now only 1/2 mile as we share the other half with a local person. With only two current members, we could use backup regarding time away or illness. Please contact Al Stimac at 480-949-5598 or Mike Marinshaw at 480-721-0003 if you can help.

Your Board

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President, Vice President, Treasurer, and recording Secretary are elected positions
The others are appointed.

Plus, honorary board member Al Stimac and HGRC Photographer Volker Otto

Treasurers' Report for February

Jan 31, 2022, ending balance	\$9841.71
Dues income	\$35.00
Scholarship donations income for February 2022	\$10.00
Scholarship money sent to Scholarship Committee	<\$3230.00>
Scholarship money on hold to send to Scholarship Committee \$40.00	na
50-50 Raffle income from February meeting	\$10.00
Webmaster maintenance fee	<\$45.00>
Website Fee	<\$7.49>
Club miscellaneous expenditures	<\$918.50>
Feb 28, 2022 ending balance	\$5695.72

Treasurer recommended to the Board to **raise dues to \$15 starting the next season**, September 2022.
Expect Cub membership vote for approval at May 2022 meeting.

Upcoming Meetings

April 6 - Scottsdale Granite Reef Senior Center, room 2 Ballroom, opens 100pn, Presentation 200pm. Bob Buddecke, Vice President of Integrated Supply Chain for Honeywell Aerospace is our guest speaker. Supply Chain management is extremely important in today's world. Bob has considerable experience as a member of the Honeywell executive management organization, and has particular experience with the Garrett Auxiliary Power Systems organization. His presentation will be a very relevant discussion relating to today's business atmosphere. Past presenters from the Aerospace corporate headwaters were very popular with Club members. We anticipate a large number of attendees. We also welcome Club members from HRSC and AAC.

April 20 Honeywell – Garrett Retirees Club Spring Roundup – see flyer next page.

May 4 -- Scottsdale Granite Reef Senior Center, room 8, opens 100pn, Presentation 200pm
Katherine Gudgel, "Scams we need to be aware of"

Volunteers needed for several positions.

Club **Editor**: This position was held by Stu who resigned. New and recent Members who like to write and see their material published This job is for you.

Frank Holman could use two **Fix-It-Guys** volunteers

We also need **all members to refer our Club to recent retirees**. Direct them to our website www.garrettretireesaz.com

Page 6 has photos of the March 2 meeting

March 2 Board minutes are on page 7

By the way, all Club members can participate in the Board meeting. You just have to give us advance notice so we can be prepared for extra attendees.

Wishing everyone good health

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Retirees from AiResearch, Garrett, Allied-Signal, and Honeywell International

Honeywell-Garrett Retirees Club Spring Roundup Mark your calendar for this event.

What better way to celebrate that taxes are done (hopefully) then attending the Honeywell-Garrett Retirees Club Spring Roundup on **Wednesday April 20**.

Location is **McCormick-Stillman Railroad Park**. Located at the south east corner of Scottsdale Road and Indian Bend Road. We will be using the Stillman Ramada.

Time is 11:00am to 3:00pm. Lunch served noon to 1:00pm and catered by Waldo's Barbecue.

Delicious meal consists of: Barbecued pulled port and pulled chicken, coleslaw, cowboy beans, green chili cornbread and fudge brownies, ice tea , lemon aid.

Price \$19 each

You can bring your own beverages (soft, wine, beer, etc.) but they must be cans **no glass** or you can purchase beer from Frank Holman.

We need at least 45 Attendees to be a go.

RSVP Diane Bennett, phone 480.994.5243, email AZBennett3@cox.net by April 5. Send your **payment** made out to Honeywell-Garrett Retirees Club to Honeywell-Garrett Retirees Club, PO Box 11633, Scottsdale AZ 85271-1633 no later than April 15.

The Railroad has lots of features and all are open 9am to 5pm

Train and Carousel rides - Model railroad building - Historical Railroad Museums





Honeywell-Garrett Retirees Club Board Meeting Minutes

March 2, 2022

President Dolf Strom called the Honeywell-Garrett Retirees Club (HGRC) Board meeting to order at 11:00 AM. Those in attendance were: Diane Bennett, Frank Holman, Ken Krieger, Bob Davenport, Diane Rencenberger John Cunningham, Dolf Strom and Brian Unsworth. The meeting was held at the Gecko Grill on McDowell Rd..

Minutes from the February, 2022 meeting were approved.

Dolf opened with the discussion of the need to raise the club dues to \$15. This would require an announcement to the members and a vote by the members. This could potentially be accomplished during the April and May meetings.

It was determined that John Cunningham would be the membership contact for all questions regarding status of the members in the club....either active or deceased. He would be the sole custodian of the member roster.

A discussion of how to treat members in arrears was held and it was decided that prior to dropping a member from the active roles an attempt to contact the member would be made to determine the reason the member was in arrears and determine if the member wanted to be eliminated from the active roster.

The Operating Guidelines were reviewed and approved by the Board .

The speaker schedule was reviewed. March speakers will be on “Model Aviation Today, Competition RC Pylon Racing and Control Line Aerobatics” by Jim Allen and Jim Hoffman.. The April speaker will be Mike Madsen, President of Honeywell Aerospace and the May speaker will be Katherine Gudgel, “Scams we need to be aware of”.

Frank brought up that he has received messages from our website “Contact Us” that requires some action but the message doesn’t show if any other Board members received copies. Dolf took an action item to contact our webmaster and modify the system per Frank’s comments.

There was a brief discussion on Membership Directory plan. It is a 55-page document last issued Mar 2019 and mailed to about 400 members. Dolf made suggestion publish about 100 to 150 copies and hand them out at meetings. This might increase meeting attendance.

The meeting was adjourned at 12 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Frank Holman for Mark Steele