

Annual Renewal of Document Awareness and Compliance

By signing this document, I agree that I have read the materials in (and/or referenced by) this package at the time of my annual membership renewal. I agree to all conditions they may impose on my activities associated with the Boerne Area Model Society (BAMS). I further agree to abide by all Federal, State, and Local laws and restrictions applicable to my activities at BAMS flying field.

In particular, please check the boxes below signifying that you have read the current versions of the included or referenced documents:

- BAMS Flying Site Guidelines (attached)
- Release And Indemnity Agreement And Rescue, Medical Assistance, Transport Contract (attached)
- BAMS Limited Use Agreement (attached)
- Academy of Model Aeronautics National Model Aircraft Safety Code (please use this link to view)
(<http://www.modelaircraft.org/files/105.pdf>)

Only this page must be signed and given to a BAMS officer on or before the first Saturday in January of each year. The subsequent pages are provided only for your convenience - there is no need to sign and submit them

Name: _____ Date: _____

B.A.M.S. Flying Site Guidelines (Revised 5/5/16)

A. General

Flying at the club site is restricted to club members and their guests. All pilots must be AMA members. All operations shall be conducted according to the AMA National Model Aircraft Safety Code and club guidelines. Engine mufflers are required on all engines over size .15 cubic inches. Engines must not exceed the maximum sound level of 94 dB at full power, 10 feet from and perpendicular to the fuselage center-line on the right hand side with the model pointed into the wind and the microphone placed one foot above the ground and in line with the motor. For safety reasons, no pilot should fly alone. A spotter is recommended. Pilots should fly from established pilot stations. The fire extinguisher shed's door will be open during flight operations. All new member pilots shall be assigned a sponsor by the president.

B. Emergencies

Call 911 for all emergency services. There is a first aid kit located in the green frequency box behind the assembly tables. You are in Kendall County at the Kendall County Joshua Springs Park and Preserve north of Boerne on IH-10. Your GPS coordinates are 29° 53' 20" N and 98° 49' 8" W . The closest hospital is near Boerne. Take I-10 East to exit 540 (Hwy 46), stay on access road 7/10 mile. A fire extinguisher is located in the storage building.

C. Transmitter Impound

A transmitter impound area with frequency control board is at the bulletin board by the flying field. 72 MHz transmitters must be impounded upon arrival at the flying field. To retrieve your transmitter for flying, you must insert your current AMA membership card into the appropriate slot.

D. RC Flying

Permission must be obtained from any pilots in the pilot stations before any person or airplane enters the runway. All traffic patterns shall be flown away from the pilot stations. Flight in the vicinity of the runway, at less than 50 feet above the ground (other than take off, landing or touch-and-go), shall be no closer to the pilot stations than the far edge of the runway.

E. Visitors and Guests

Unaccompanied visitors and spectators may not enter the pit area, flight line, or the over-flight area. Each guest pilot must be accompanied by a club member.

F. Student Training

All student training prior to solo must be conducted on a buddy box. For non-AMA members, a single, one-time flight is permitted using the instructor's radio equipment trainer aircraft or the club trainer aircraft. Under no circumstances shall the non-members aircraft or flight equipment be used.

G. New Member Pilot Sponsor Duties

The New Member Pilot Sponsor will, before a new member pilots first flight: Brief the member on the transmitter impound procedure. Demonstrate and perform a pre-flight inspection of the aircraft and radio (or observe the new member performing them). Review the AMA Safety Code, BAMS Flying Site Guidelines, any flight restrictions, along with field and flight courtesy. Brief the new member on: safe fueling and engine starting, taxiing, takeoff, flight, and landing procedures. Notify club officers when the new pilot has demonstrated knowledge and proficiency in the items of this section. At least one flight is required by the new pilot.

H. Flying Site Etiquette

Pets are allowed on the flying site on a leash. They are not allowed in the assembly table area, starting area, pilot stations, or runway area. Please report any runway surface strikes, crashes or other mishaps that cause a tear in the runway material to the field manager. Trash barrels are located behind the assembly stands and are emptied regularly by club members.

RELEASE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT AND RESCUE, MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, TRANSPORT CONTRACT

In exchange for being allowed to enter real property owned by Kendall County and/or participate in activities on County property, I am freely signing this RELEASE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT AND RESCUE, MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, TRANSPORT CONTRACT.

I understand that entering the real property of the County and/or participating in activities on County property may be hazardous to my personal health and safety (and that of my minor children), and that for the privilege of being allowed to enter County property and/or being allowed to participate in activities on County property, I am accepting all risks associated with being on County owned property and/or participating in activities on County property on behalf of myself (and my minor children).

I understand that such risks associated with being on County owned property and/or participating in activities on County property, include, but are not limited to, bodily injury, property loss or damage and death.

I understand and accept that my voluntary participation in activities on Kendall County property exposes me to a heightened risk of injury, property loss, damage or death and that those risks are possibly beyond the ordinary risks associated with such potentially hazardous terrain and/or activities.

Knowing this, I hereby **RELEASE, DISCHARGE AND AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS Kendall County, its officers, employees, agents, volunteers and assigns from and against any and all liability, claims, demands and judgments which I may have, or which my heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns may have or claim to have against Kendall County, its officers, employees, agents, volunteers, or assigns, for any and all claims, demands, actions, and causes of action of whatever nature or character, known or unknown, which may be asserted by any person, firm, or corporation, whosoever claiming by, through or under me for personal injuries, death, and/or property damage caused by or arising out of, my entry on to Kendall County property and/or participation in activities on County property.**

I agree that if I (or my minor children) require rescue and/or emergency medical assistance and/or transport, I WILL PAY THE COSTS OF SUCH RESCUE AND/OR ASSISTANCE AND/OR TRANSPORT and I, or my heirs will reimburse Kendall County for the costs incurred in performing any rescue and/or assistance and/or transport on my behalf within thirty (30) days of receipt of written demand.

I am 18 years of age or over, or I am accompanied by a parent or guardian who is authorized to sign this release on my behalf. I have carefully read this RELEASE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT AND RESCUE, MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, TRANSPORT CONTRACT or had it read to me in a language that I fully understand and I understand all of its terms. I am signing voluntarily and with full knowledge of its legal consequences and of the personal risks to me and/or my minor children. I have not relied on any information from Kendall County, its officers, employees, agents, volunteers or assigns in deciding to make this release and agreement.

SIGNED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 20____

Participant (Printed): _____

Participant (Signed): _____

Address: _____ Tel: _____

Parent or Guardian (Printed): _____

Parent or Guardian (Signed): _____

Address: _____ Tel: _____

BAMS – Limited Use Agreement

- Check in and out with park staff when entering or exiting the park. Members must physically check-in with park staff at the check-in station or by going into the office.
- Usage of park limited to current operating hours. Only members of BAMS or approved guests can use designated area. A separate lock will be placed on the gates of approved area. Gate will remain closed at all times when field is in use as a safety precaution.
- BAMS will post appropriate signage on gates and other necessary areas. (Signs must be approved prior to posting by authorized parks staff)
- BAMS can mow and maintain the field and surrounding area. Parks staff will shred the field as necessary.
- BAMS will be allowed to stage a portable building in the area to store mower and other equipment. (portable building will need to be approved by authorized park staff)
- BAMS will be required to put up markers for flying stations, pit areas and other necessary markers to comply with AMA rules for safety. This includes a temporary fence separating areas (all markers and fencing will need to be approved by authorized park staff).
- BAMS will meet with Park Naturalist prior to planting anything in field area. Any additions to field area must be aesthetically appropriate with park atmosphere and will require prior approval from authorized park staff.
- A signed “RELEASE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT AND RESCUE, MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, TRANSPORT CONTRACT” by each member and approved guests must be on file with Kendall County prior to use of the park.

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