

Reno Radio Control Club Field Rules

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1. AMA membership is required for flying at the RRCC airfield.
2. The RRCC airfield is only open to use for flying by Club members in good standing.
3. RRCC members may sponsor non-Club members to fly if the non-members can provide proof of AMA membership or are engaged in a short term Club sponsored training experience.
4. Non-flying visitors are welcome without Club or AMA membership.
5. All spectators, and children under age 6, should remain behind the pit area unless escorted.
6. Alcohol and firearms are not allowed.
7. AMA Safety Codes, RRCC directives, and common sense safety precautions will govern all flying activities.
8. All aircraft are to be evaluated for airworthiness prior to flight. This includes an examination for structural integrity and range checking the radio system.
9. The transmitter impound is to be used when operating 72 MHz radio systems.
10. Engines will be started on starting stands or in the taxiway area.
11. Under normal circumstances, a maximum of 5 aircraft may be aloft at any given time.
12. All takeoffs and landings will be made from the active runway only, unless otherwise coordinated with those present.
13. All pilots will observe the traffic pattern and coordinate changes of pattern as needed.
14. Most flying should take place beyond the far runway edge.
15. Call-out takeoffs, landings, and low passes over the runway.
16. No flying over the pit and parking areas.
17. Please limit your flight time to 15 minutes or less to allow other pilots the opportunity to fly.
18. Consideration should be given to student and novice pilots by avoiding distracting flying.
19. Do not distract pilots while they are assembling aircraft or starting engines (unless safety issues are observed).
20. Coordinate the retrieval of downed aircraft with those present. Call-out when crossing the runway.
21. When retrieving downed aircraft, make sure all onboard lithium type batteries are accounted for and removed from the flying site.
22. Turbine powered aircraft shall not be flown at the RRCC airfield.
23. Beyond-Line-of-Sight flight operations are not allowed at the RRCC airfield.
24. First Person View flight operations are allowed with a safety spotter present and next to the pilot.
25. It is the responsibility of all members to help maintain the facility. Please police the area for trash and unattended equipment. Make arrangements to get the unattended equipment back to the owners or to a Club Officer.
26. The last person leaving the field is to ensure that the outhouse door is closed and that the Conex and entry gate are locked.
27. Anyone intentionally violating these rules may be asked to leave the facility. Repeated violations may result in disciplinary action.