**Welcome to the Livermore Flying Electrons**

Livermore Flying Electrons (LFE) offers an opportunity to participate in Radio Control airplanes, helicopters, and even cars! We are a chartered club with the Academy of Model Aeronautics (AMA). The AMA is a national organization that supports and advocates for model aviation. Membership in AMA includes a monthly magazine, as well as liability insurance.

You must be a member of AMA before applying to join LFE. You can join AMA online at:

<https://www.modelaircraft.org/membership/join-renew/membership-enrollment>

The application form for New Membership with LFE is located at:

<https://www.lferc.com/downloads/LFEApplicationandReleasenew.pdf>

New Member fees for adults are pro-rated for the first year, as shown on the application form. This amount includes a one-time initiation fee of $150. Annual dues in subsequent years for adults are $100.

Youth membership, under 19, is $30. Youth members are not charged an initiation fee. Annual dues are $30 until reaching the age of 19.

Please review the LFE Field Rules before applying for membership.

<https://www.lferc.com/downloads/LFEFieldRules.pdf>

Contact Lou Rodriguez, the LFE Membership Chair, if you have any questions. He can be reached at [rcpilotlr@gmail.com](mailto:rcpilotlr@gmail.com) or (925) 640-3496.

**Training** is available for “Student” pilots and is free of charge. Contact Jeff Hollfelder, our Chief Flight Instructor, at [jhollfelder@cecmain.net](mailto:jhollfelder@cecmain.net). Jeff can coordinate a training schedule and advise you on appropriate RC equipment. New pilots will learn how to safely operate and fly RC aircraft. Your instructor will give an “OK to solo” endorsement after completion of your training.

Thank you for your interest in model aviation and joining our club.