

## **A visit to the Miami Valley Radio Control Club** **([www.mvrcc.org](http://www.mvrcc.org))**

by Gary Quinn

On my way to meet with a customer last week in Ohio, I looked to my left and saw this RC field. After my meeting and on the way back to Columbus, OH, I stopped in for a few minutes and took some pictures. I had the chance to speak with Tim who has been a member for a while. He said that the club used to have over 200 members but they are around 100 now. He said they have a few youth members as well but not many. This club is in the middle of Dayton and Cincinnati and there are clubs in both of those areas. Tim says that makes it challenging to get new members. As I looked at the field, which was about a mile long with no trees in the flying area at all, I thought, Wow! Here are some of the things that you will see in the pictures below which I thought were just amazing for an RC field.

- No flight restrictions for the area
- They can fly anytime of the day or night
- The field has a paved runway for planes
- The field has paved helicopter pads
- Any type of plane can fly here (Giant, Turbine)
- Power is available at the field

The field was nice and Tim was a good guy in showing me around and even telling me about a large hobby shop in the area. But at the end of the day, an RC club is really all about its members. All the things that the MVRCC has at its field are nice, but I believe NVRC is one of the best clubs in the

country and the friendliest club in this area. And it's because of members like you! Go out and fly at your field!

Helicopters and Quads/Drones have their own landing pads and flying area.





This field has their own Power! Training is every Wednesday, for club members!





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They have regular and large plane holders along with a  
PAVED runway!







Large enclosed building and shelter for club meetings,  
storage and gathering







Enclosed board for posting rules, regs, club announcements.  
Training night includes food!



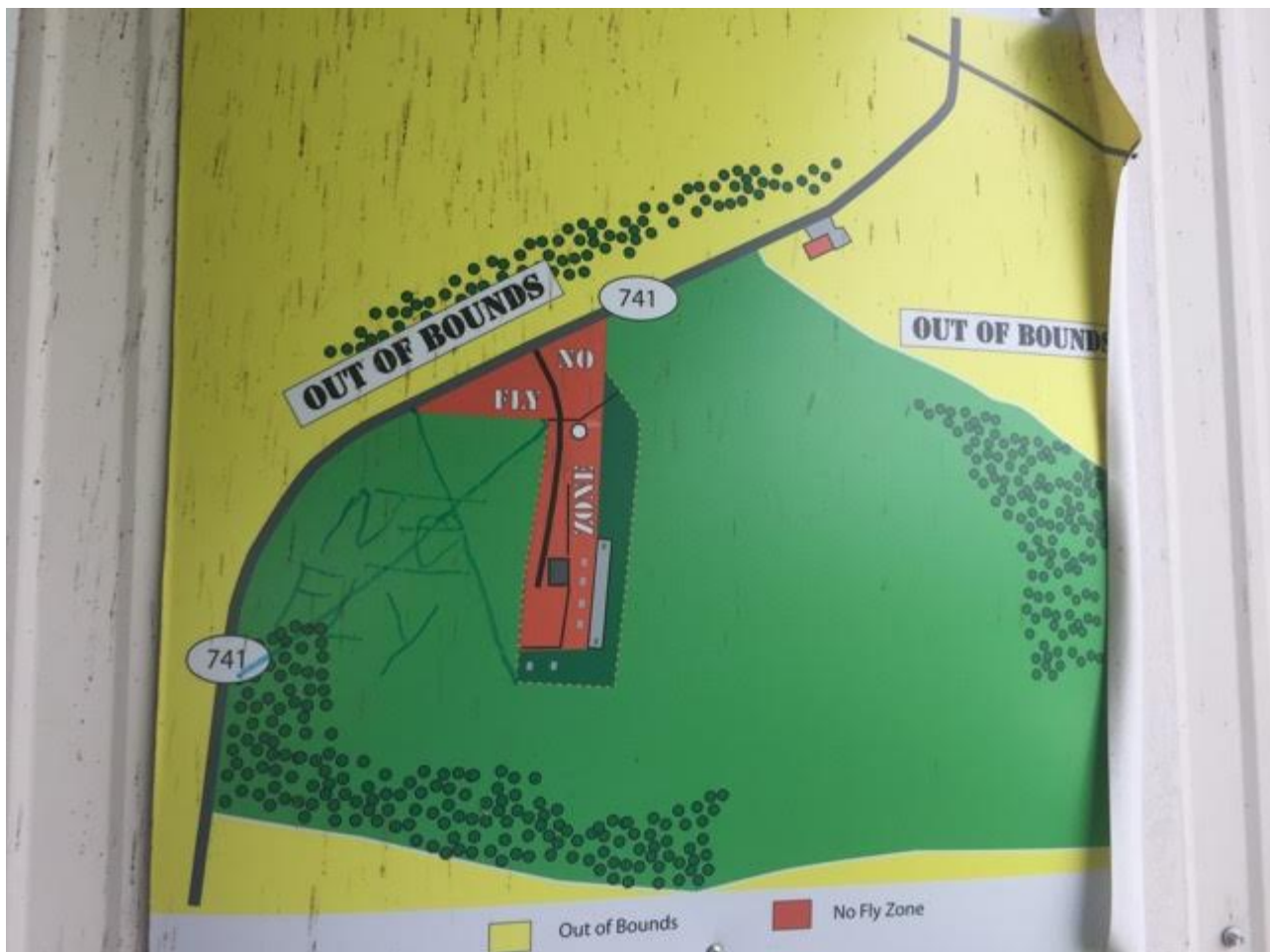
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A picture of members with a Bi-Plane and a color coded flying area for all members to review







Every field has a restroom and a roller!







Looks like one of these sings needs some paint. This clubs leases the land from Otterbein healthcare system.





The entrance to the field.



