

FIELD RULES & SAFETY GUIDELINES

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- 1. The current safety rules published by MAAC shall be followed at all times. However, the following are additional, Edenvale-specific, safety guidelines.**
- 2. Always remember that our site is adjacent to an active airport and that the club only exists on the site with the approval of the airport owner (our Landlord).**
- 3. All pilots (Club Members and Guests) must be carrying a current MAAC or AMA membership card. Members shall be responsible for ensuring that their guests obey all field guidelines.**
- 4. Guests of members may fly on up to three occasions before being asked to become members and pay a subscription.**
- 5. Turbine powered aircraft shall not be flown at our location.**
- 6. Entering and leaving the club site shall be via 12/13 Sideroad. When approaching the western end of the runway STOP before proceeding. Aircraft taking-off or landing shall be given the right of way. Pilots who are not flying or any other non-flying persons present shall warn pilots who are flying of an approaching vehicle.**
- 7. Except for loading and unloading of aircraft, there shall be no vehicles in the pit area.**
- 8. Vehicles must be parked in the designated parking area along the designated parking area along the creek, West of the Club container.**

9. During all engine running, fixed wing aircraft shall be securely restrained by a means appropriate to their size and structural limits
10. Pre-flight start-up and running shall be performed in the designated pit area. When engines are being run the aircraft shall be facing away from the pit and spectator areas
11. Aircraft shall not be taxied out of or into the pit area. When ready to fly, pilots, or their assistants/spotters, should carry (small) models to the runway entrance. Large models should be pushed by an assistant/spotter through the entrance and onto the runway.
12. When taking off or landing, pilots shall call out in a loud voice "Taking Off" or "Landing" as appropriate.
13. To the maximum extent possible, apart from take-off and landing (the directions of which are, of course, dependent on the wind direction), all flying shall be performed to the North of the runway.
14. To avoid conflict with full sized aircraft that may be overflying our site (not unknown) all model flights shall be conducted below 400 feet above ground level.
15. Helicopters shall be hovered in the "Helipad" area to the north and north-east of the container. They may be flown over the runway area if flown in a circuit pattern.
16. Pilots shall not operate model aircraft while under the influence of alcohol or judgement-impairing drugs.
17. Dogs must be kept on a leash or confined to a vehicle,. Young children shall be under supervision at all times.
18. Take all garbage home with you. (Garbage cans will be provided during Fun-Flys etc.).