

**TRI-COUNTY**



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### *June 15<sup>th</sup> 2008 Meeting*

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##### **Unofficial Meeting Minutes**

*President Rich Kratzer called the meeting to order at 1:30pm at the Tri-County Wingsnappers field. 10 members and 1 associate were present. The 50-50 was drawn next and won by George Case who donated it back to the club. Mike Renzi read the minutes from the May meeting and no additions or corrections were made. Motion was made to accept: 1<sup>st</sup> by Terry Miller, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ed Koch, and all in favor. Don Umbenhauer was asked to read the Treasurer's Report and no additions or corrections were made. Motion was made to accept: 1<sup>st</sup> by George Case, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Walt Gladney, and all in favor.*

##### **George Case and Field Care**

*George asked about if any club member was interested in cutting the weeds back along the main driveway leading up to the field, he would appreciate the help.*

##### **Official Meeting Minutes**

*1<sup>st</sup> on the Agenda; Jack Hilbert took the floor to discuss the membership if there would be an interest in Tri-County Wingsnapper apparel. Hats, t-shirts, golf style shirts, and jackets. Please contact Jack if you have an interest. This will be tabled at our next meeting. 2<sup>nd</sup> on the Agenda was the TCWS Learn to Fly Days #2 event which is scheduled for Saturday, July 19<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 2pm. If you are an instructor, please contact Rich so we will be sure to have coverage for this event. Please members, let's pass the word out and promote this event! 3<sup>rd</sup> on the Agenda is the Farview IMAC Event scheduled for June 21<sup>st</sup> and the 22<sup>nd</sup>. This is a Farview only event and no TCWS help is required. Please take note that our field will be closed down for the course of this event. 4<sup>th</sup> on the Agenda is that we need to start making arrangements for staffing and help for the TCWS/Farview Giant Scale Event which will be a joint venture. We will be put together a list of members whom can provide help. Rich will request an update from Farview at our next meeting. 5<sup>th</sup> on the Agenda is the TCWS Picnic in September. Rich had a chance to talk to Frank Speer, a local WWII fighter pilot whom flew Mustangs against the Luftwaffe in the European theater and asked Frank if he could give a guest speaker at the picnic. Frank Speer is a WWII ace from Emmaus, Pa. Frank wrote two books about his combat missions of the 4<sup>th</sup> fighter group. Frank will not charge TCWS but would like to sell his books at the event. A motion was made to accept: 1<sup>st</sup> by Bud Wunder, 2<sup>nd</sup> by George Case.*

**Announcements/Future Topics**

*1 Congratulations to Dave Lichtenwalner for earning his wings this week and a special thanks for Terry Miller for his great training.*

*2 Bethlehem LVRCS Summer IMAC, July 19<sup>th</sup> to July 20<sup>th</sup> at Holly Forrest Rd. Mt Pocono Pa.*

*3 Warbirds over Delaware, July 11<sup>th</sup> to the 13<sup>th</sup> .*

**Next Meeting**

*Sunday, July 20<sup>th</sup> , 1:30pm, at the TCWS Field*

**Motion to Close Meeting**

*1<sup>st</sup> by Geroge Case, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Terry Miller , and all in favor.*