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May, 17th 2009 Meeting

Unofficial Meeting Minutes

President Rich Kratzer called the meeting to order at 1:35pm at the TCWS field, Hamburg. 11 members and 1 associate were present. The 50-50 drawing was next and was won by Donald Mertz. Mike Renzi had computer problems and the newsletter and April minutes could not be read. Don Umbenhauer was asked to read the Treasurer's Report and no additions or corrections were made. Motion was made to accept: 1st by Bud Wunder, 2nd by Mike Corell, and all in favor.

George Case and Field Care

On a sad note, George Case can no longer continue his duties with field care due to health problems, but will remain as a board member. George has done a great job of taking care of the field and now the torch has been passed on to Ron Long with help from other members. A report was given by president Rich Kratzer that the field was fertilized by Tom Seese from Lawn and Landscaping for \$1600 and looks great.

Official Meeting Minutes

1st On The Agenda: Under Old Business..... was a discussion about the temporary runway for parkflyer electrics. This will be removed from the agenda because of a lack of interest. The next discussion was about the new club building which Jack Hilbert gave solid numbers of \$6,000 for carport and shed installed. Grounds committee member Dennis Christman brought up a idea of a pole barn building for roughly \$9,000. President Rich Kratzer asked if Dennis if he could get some solid figures on paper for the next meeting. Nothing is being voted on yet till solid number and all options are available.

2nd On The Agenda: Under New Business.....President Rich Kratzer told the members present that a grounds keeper was needed to replace George Case and asked whom would step up to the job. Ron Long will be taking care of the field now with help from Mike Renzi and David Lichenwaslner. Motion was made to accept: 1st by Bud Wunder, 2nd by Mike Corell, and all in favor.

3rd On The Agenda: The Farview IMAC event will be held Saturday the 23rd and Sunday the 24th of May. Please help out if you can because the more manpower we have the more these events run smoothly. Please remember that the TCWS field will be closed for this event and Jack Hilbert will have the "Field Closed " sign out. TCWS member are invited to fly at the event after it is over with later in the day if they wish.

4th On The Agenda: We will be in need of a work force on May 23rd Saturday ,to cut back the weeds growing along the sides of the driveway. If you can help out please contact Mike Renzi mrenz66@verizon.net or president Rich Kratzer l1atf@dejazzd

5th On The Agenda: The Rally of Giants which will be held on these dates June 18th, 19th, 20th, and 21st. So our next meeting will be moved to Sunday, June 14th at the TCWS field. This will help us be more prepared for this event. Motion was made to accept: 1st by Mike Corell, 2nd by Bud Wunder, and all in favor.

Announcements/Future Topics

5/30 to 5/31 Balsa Busters Fun Fly held at DuBois, PA ph# 814 342 2107

6/6 to 6/7 LVRCS Electric Fly, Easton, PA ph# 610 821 0977

6/13 to 6/15 Harold Weil Memorial Giant Scale Fly In, Quakertown, PA ph# 215 529 6088

6/21 Father Day Air Show held in Effort, PA ph# 610 837 5030

6/27 Keystone West Dawn Patrol, Butler, PA 724 444 6464

Next Meeting

Sunday, June 14th , at the Tri County Wingsnapper field in Hamburg at 1:30pm.

Motion to Close Meeting

1st by Bud Wounder, 2nd by Dennis Christman, and all in favor.

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