

Cloud Kings

Minutes from meeting held on 06/13/2012

Dick Plyler called the meeting to order at 7:15 pm.

Secretary's Report

Leif presented the minutes from the April meeting.

Treasurer's Report

Brian was not present at the meeting, but he provided the following account balance information:

The balance in the operational fund is \$2000.64.

Reserve fund balance is \$4885.

We also have a \$77.50 balance in the club trainer fund.

Old Business

- The Audit Committee chaired by Henry Bohe has completed the audit of the 2011 finances and found everything to be in order.

New Business

There was continued discussion of proposed events for 2012:

- Buy and Fly proposed for June 16th. Ideas included:
 - Mike Denest called for volunteers for the impound and parking.
 - There will be a \$5 charge to be a seller at this event.
 - Sandwiches and drinks to be provided by the club
 - available for a voluntary donation
 - John Andersen to provide a PA system
 - Pilot's meeting to be held at 7:30 to 8:00 AM
 - All pilots need AMA card and must sign in before flying
 - It was agreed that we have a six-plane limit for flying
 - There will be a radio impound for all operational radios not on 2.4Ghz band
 - The normal noise restriction will be waived for this event
- Picnic proposed, sponsored by Bill Brueckman for August 25th
- Octoberfest was proposed for October 6th, to be a one-day event with more open flying.
- We plan to have the normal Christmas Luncheon on December 10th

New Members

The club voted and approved full membership to the following probationary members:

- John Gontarz

The club voted and approved probationary membership for:

- Mike West - After 13 years in North Carolina, Mike has moved back to West Grove. He has a PT40 that he wants to get started with, but will need help with flight instruction.. Mike will be sponsored by Ray Crowley.
- Mike Sides - Mike started flying a foamy in his back yard and has been practicing a lot on the simulator. Ross Carson will sponsor Mike.

Field Marshall Report

Ray reported that the barbecue is now running and that we have a spare tank of propane as well.

Ray also reported that a tripod is available to hold the sound meter when measuring gas engines at 25 feet distance.

Safety Officer Report

Bruce passed along a warning published in Model Aviation magazine for those with radios that offer failsafe to remember to set up and test failsafe. When the receiver loses signal from the transmitter the throttle should be cut and/or a throttle kill triggered.

Newsletter Editor

Henry had nothing new to report.

Chief Flight Instructor Report

Mike had nothing new to report.

50/50

There was no 50/50 raffle at the June meeting.

Airplane Talk

There was no show and tell, but several members took to the skies with night-flying LED lights on their aircraft after the meeting.

The meeting was closed at around 8:00 PM

Next Meeting

Wednesday, August 8th at 7:30 PM at West Field

Respectfully Submitted by

Leif Thomson
Secretary