# Cloud Kings

# Minutes from meeting held on 08/10/2016

Bill Brueckman called the meeting to order at 7:05 PM.

#### Secretary's Report

Leif presented the minutes from the June meeting.

# Treasurer's Report

Brian provided the following account balance information:

The balance in the operational fund is \$2105.80

Reserve balance is \$3850

2016 fixed costs except mowing and port-a-potty costs are paid.

Grub treatment cost was \$510

Buy and Fly resulted in profit of \$258.94

# Field Marshall Report

Ray reported that the grub treatment has been applied. Also, thanks to Ken Sumner and Buddy Harlan for doing the weed whacking.

# Safety Officer

Bill Losey reminded the club members to communicate the safety rules to new members. Of special note are: 4 aircraft at once maximum, one pilot per station, fly the pattern and all spectators behind the safety fence.

Henry Bohe noted that some pilots are landing right after other aircraft, which can cause safety concerns when the first pilot attempts to retrieve a plane from the runway.

#### Newsletter Editor

Mike Denest reported that the July/August issue of Prop Kicks has been released and posted on the club website.

## **Old Business**

- Bill Losey reported that Roger Smith and Tommy Bedsole won second place flying at May's Landing.
- Mike Denest reported that we need to locate or replace the channel #46 frequency clip.

#### New Business

- There was a discussion of the plans for the upcoming club picnic scheduled for the weekend (13th of August, rain date Sunday the 14th)
  - o Food will be served at around 4PM
  - o Bring a covered dish or dessert
  - o Club will supply
    - Chicken, Hamburgers, Hot dogs
    - Potato salad and baked beans
    - Soda and water
  - o Buddy will bring some fans to cool things down
  - o Wives, girlfriends, kids and friends are also invited
  - o Rick and Keith will take pictures

# New Business (Continued)

- Bill Losey asked for approval to have the flight stands and pavilion sealed this year. Joe Hoopes does this and the cost is around \$100. The club approved.
- Henry Bohe asked who is the designated flight instructor. This is still an open question.
- Mike Denest gave a summary of the Octoberfest plans
  - October 8th and 9th
  - o Sponsored by VRCS, who pay \$100 per day for the event
  - o Planning to give away 3 VRCS memberships at this event
  - o Adds placed at Delaware RC Club, RC Groups, RCUniverse and vintagercsocienty.org

#### **New Members**

The club accepted provisional membership for:

- Rodway Sterner. Rodway has been flying since he was 5 years old. He works for Sikorsky. His children Colten and Emma are also interested in flying. Rodway will be sponsored by Ken Sumner.
- John Harden. John has been flying for two years, and flies both airplanes and helicopters. He has also been attending the mid-week flyer's breakfasts. John will be sponsored by Ray Crowley.
- Jim Kelly. Jim Started with free-flight balsa and .049" engines. He has worked as a pilot in the Marine Corp flying various aircraft and helis. Jim is interested in getting back into flying and will need training. Roger Smith will be sponsoring Jim.

The following provision members were voted full membership at the August meeting

- Gary Durham.
- Jack Corder and his grandson Chace.

50/50

Rodway Sterner won \$53 in the 50/50 raffle at the August meeting

Airplane Talk

There was no presentation for airplane talk at the August meeting.

The meeting was closed at around 7:45 PM

Next Meeting Saturday, October 15<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM at the Post House Restaurant

Respectfully Submitted by

Leif Thomson Secretary