

Cloud Kings

Minutes from meeting held on 08/12/08

Henry Bohe called the meeting to order at 7:25 pm.

Treasurer's Report

Balance in the checkbook is \$8884.53 including the Legal Fund.

Expenditures

All payments are made except for \$85 for the porta potty for the month of August and there are a few outstanding payments for the fun fly

Secretary

There are 65 counted members and 8 non counted members totaling 73

Old Business

Field Committee

No report

Bylaws Committee

Discussions were tabled until the October meeting.

New Business

Provisional Members

Gary Amey signed on as a provisional member. Dick Plyler will be his sponsor. Gary used to belong to the Chester County Club. He is a retired crop duster and has problems orienting himself with the RC planes as he stands on the ground. He has some planes to fly, but needs instructions.

Ryan Amey signed on as a provisional member. Dick Plyler will be his sponsor. Ryan is Gary's grandson.

Matt Johnson signed on as a provisional member. Alvin Johnson will be his sponsor. He is Alvin's grandson.

New Members

The following prospective members were voted to full membership status

Renee Daemer

Field Marshall

Avoid taxiing towards the pits at 90 degrees to the pilot's fence. This is a safety issue because if the throttle is advanced accidentally or on purpose and the plane gets into the pit area human and plane damage can occur. Taxi towards the pits parallel to the pilot's fence and shut down the engine before bringing the plane into the pits.

High speed passes should be completed at the far edge of the runway.

Safety Officer

No parking signs have been posted at the helicopter hovering fence.

Please extend courtesy to helicopter pilots, 3D pilots and "regular" pilots in coordinating flying activities at the field.

When training a member to fly, there must be an agreement that under the most extreme cases a plane or helicopter will be sacrificed in order to avoid personal and/or property damage.

Events

The club picnic is scheduled for September 6 at West Field. Noise restrictions will be lifted. Pete Jones is organizing this event. Hamburgers, hot dogs, drinks and condiments are by the club. Members are to bring a covered dish. This is an all day (10 am until dusk) affair. Pete is thinking of some events to have. Some thoughts are a limbo contest, a cracker eating/flying contest. Marion is organizing events for the ladies who attend. Pete plans to cook, but would like to have volunteers to switch with him so he can fly. Alvin volunteered to put up the parking rope and the tarp. All transmitters must be impounded, including the spread spectrum transmitters. Volunteers are needed to run the impound area.

October Fest Vintage R/C is in the planning. It is being held on Oct 11 and 12 at West Field. Saturday will be the contest flying. The field will be closed to open flying. Sunday will be for open flying for anyone and anything. Volunteer judges will be needed for the Concours award, best SAM model and pattern flying. Tom Lauletta will coordinate with Mike Denest as to club responsibilities.

Christmas Dinner will be on December 6th or 13th. Dick Plyler and Marion Jones are making the arrangements.

Flight Instruction

Anyone who wants to teach a member to fly must have Bill Vandenberg's verbal approval before teaching any new pilot.

Airplane Talk

Bruce Ginn told us that, due to Warbirds over Delaware, Ken Vales used our field to practice pattern flying for the AMA Nats. Bruce announced that Ken won the masters class.

Henry Belfiore was asked to estimate the cost of providing electric to the pavilion either by tapping off of Alvin's son's house or providing a solar panel and marine type batteries.

Next Meeting

October 14, 2008 7:30 p. m. at West Grove Fire House

Respectfully Submitted by

Tom Lauletta

Secretary