# Cloud Kings

# Minutes from meeting held on 08/13/2014

Bill Brueckman called the meeting to order at 7:15 PM.

#### Secretary's Report

Leif presented the minutes from the June meeting.

#### Treasurer's Report

Brian reported that the balance in the operational fund is \$2573.15.

All club expenses to date have been paid.

Both gold and grey T-Shirts as well as new hats are available for purchase.

## Field Marshall Report

Ray was not present at the meeting. However, Bill Losey reported that a letter had been written to Wal-Mart requesting a discount on new chairs, with no response so far.

## Safety Officer

Bill reported that there were no open safety issues or accidents. He reminded the sponsors of new members that they should teach the safety rules as part of the new member initiation process.

#### Newsletter Editor

Mike Denest reported that the July/August Newsletter was released and posted to the website. He repeated a call for material for the newsletter.

#### Old Business

Bill Brueckman presented Tommy Bedsole with his Wings Certificate making him our newest trained pilot.

#### **New Business**

The club discussed plans for the upcoming Picnic on Saturday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>:

- Starts at 3:00 PM
- Food at 4:30 to 5:00
- Chicken, Hot dogs, drinks provided by the club
- Bring a dessert, chips, or covered dish

We discussed plans for the Octoberfest event on Saturday, October 11<sup>th</sup>:

- Will be an open event for all aircraft
- Ugly Stik will be the aircraft of the year
- VRCS will sponsor two awards
- \$10 registration fee, must have valid AMA card to fly
- The club will provide food paid by donations

We will post more on this event on the website.

# New Business (continued)

Other new business:

- Alvin noted that we need a lead-acid battery for the club's flight box. Dick Plyler volunteered to provide one.
- Dave Unger is downsizing and is having an auction on September 25th at his home in Nottingham at 4:30. He distributed flyers of the auction.

#### New Members

The club voted and approved full membership for:

Richard Jenkins

There were no new members signing up at this meeting.

50/50

Rick Greenawalt won \$33 in the 50/50 raffle

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# Airplane Talk

Louis Kinney showed a new J-Tec muffler that he installed on his gasser. While expensive at \$110, it reduces the radiated noise from 91dB to 85dB.

The meeting was closed at around 8:00 PM

Next Meeting

Wednesday, October 4<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM at the Post House Restaurant

Respectfully Submitted by

Leif Thomson

Secretary