

AMA Chapter 534

Minutes of the General Membership Meeting, Sept. 10, 2019

President Scott Hudson opened the meeting at 7:00 PM

New member Gary Thorley introduced himself.. welcome Gary !

Reports:

Eric Kirby read the GM Minutes from Aug. 13 and the Board Minutes from Aug. 22 Joe Geiger gave us the TR Report.

Unfinished Business

- Larry Myers gave us a report on the Air Show and said it was a great success. He thanked all who helped out and the raffle donors and especially John Buford who coordinated all the raffles. Special thanks to Dale McQuistion for setting up his generator, he also thanked Suzanne McQuistion for her good work in merchandise and also thanked Jay Strickland for his tireless efforts. This was a well coordinated flying event.
- 2. Dale and Alex spent 3 days working on the Snoopy Dog House for the airshow... the club thanked them for their hard work.
- 3. Bruce Tharpe gave a report on the Vintage Fly in, he says it was a lot of fun with a good turnout, there was an optional Pattern Event also.

Class 3 1st Place was: Jerry Stinson

- Class 3 2nd place was: Jay Strickland
- Class 3 3rd place was: John Gaines
- Class 2 1st Place was: Jerry Stinson
- Class 2 2nd Place was: Joe Geiger
- Class 2 3rd Place was: John Gaines

Bruce also thanked the judges who sat out for two days !

Unfinished Business Cont'd

4. Art Kelly gave us a report on the Pattern Clinic event and the EDF contest.

This was the first time the EDF format has been tried at our field and all the pilots had a great time..wild and exciting !

5 pilots prticipated with Jay Strickland taking 1st place, Scott Hudson 2nd, Mike Greenburg 3rd. Art reminds us the the NRSCA Pattern contest will be at our field on Sept. 21-22.

New Business

- Jay gave us the Leader Minutes with emphasis on "Promoting Your Club in the Community" and a checklist of things a club can do in this regard. Jay reminds us that the X-Mas dinner is tentatively scheduled for Dec. 7th / Doors open at 6 pm for bar with dinner at 6:45pm.
- 2. Bruce talked about the Winter Build Challenge and implored us to build, build, build for next years Maiden day in April.
- Scott tells us that the Boy Scouts Pac 50 will be having a rocket launch day on Sat. Sept.
 28 from 9:30 till noon.
- 4. Scott relates that he received an email from AMA detailing the Flight School Partnership program with Horizon Hobby for beginner pilots using "Safe Technology" models. . You can sign up with an online application as a coach and receive 15% off Horizon Hobby products. See Horizon Hobby website for more info.
- 5. Jess Walls reminded us of the upcoming Swap Meet Sat. Oct. 5th.
 Jess recommends having the field compacted and told us about a used vibrating / rolling compacter he saw on Craigslist for \$850.
 It is felt that the aquistion of the compacter will pay for itself very quickly.
 A motion was made to buy the compacter, was seconded and passed. Jess and John Gaines volunteered to check out the compacter to make sure it is functiong properly and make an offer depending on condition.
- 6. Jess also presented the idea of the club participating in the Pear Blossum Festival which affords good publicity and club exposure.
- Jess also told us about the test results so far on the Mini-Apprentice weight challenge.
 So far the team has loded the plane up with 44 oz and it still flew well..
 The landing gear did however begin to buckle...more testing will be carried out soon.

The 50/50 netted \$21

The drawing was won by Larry Myers in absentia . Dave Bartholomew donated Larry's winnings of \$21 back to the club for him! Thanks Dave...thanks Larry !

SHOW & TELL

- John Gaines showed us his newly built "almost finished" Top Flight 80" Corsair in the "Olathe Kansas" color scheme and a Saito R-90 3 cyl. four stroke engine. John made many modifications to the original kit and once the engine is dailed in he will begin flight testing.
- 2. Richard Schwegerl showed us a 1/4 scale Sig Piper Cub with floats he had for sale for \$450 with engine.
- 3. Larry Miller showed two vintage kits that had no plans, he was asking if anybody knew where he could obtain plans to build from?

Meeting adjourned at 8:30 Submitted by Eric Kirby

Treasurer's Report 9/2/2019

Income 8/1/2019 -8/31/2019

Day Use Fees Dues Donation - Meeting Refreshments 50/50 Meeting Raffle Dividends Donation Donation to Air Show Raffle	Clark Wolf Art Kelly	\$5.00 \$160.00 \$5.00 \$32.00 \$1.12 \$32.00 \$100.00
Total Income		\$335.12
Expenses 8/1/2019 -8/31/2019		
Field Maintenance Field Maintenance Supply Meeting Refreshments Field spraying Mall Show Air show raffle Gas & gas cans Kitchen supply Postage Toilet pumping	John Buford John Buford Scott Hudson Greenway Spray Brixton Rogue John Buford Sean Mersh Jay Strickland Jess Walls Sweet Water Sanitation	\$50.00 \$21.36 \$27.00 \$300.00 \$250.00 \$100.00 \$89.07 \$14.96 \$4.10 \$170.00 \$1,026.49
Gain or Loss 8/1/2019 -8/31/2019		-\$691.37
Account Balances 8/31/2019		
Checking Savings Field/Major Maintenance		\$7,524.04 \$60.64 \$7,677.74
Total of All Accounts		\$15,262.42