

March 2016 Minutes

Greetings to all Rams Members. I hope everyone had a fantastic February. If we missed, you at the meeting here is a recap of what old and new business was discussed.

The meeting was opened at 7.02 p.m.

We started off the meeting voting in two new members, Mike Hurley and Charles Dortch.

Ken Kayser made a motion to approve and John Welcome Second the Motion and all were in favor of. Let us make sure we give them a warm welcome when we see them.

Treasure, Ken Kayser reported an operating balance of O.B. of \$13,243.35.....in addition to the \$5,000.00 we have in the "future fund." John Welcome and George Welcome made motions to approve the budget and all approved

OLD BUSINESS

1. Nathan gave us updates on the DLG event. Please remember they still need volunteers for keeping score and such. They have approximately 30 pilots coming and all are welcome to come out and learn about this great facet of our hobby.
2. Rod and Ken gave us another run down of what we need to do to become a Gold Standard club. We will be updating our rules and frequency board as part of the is process and having 1 year reviews by our club Safety officer on Ama Rules and regulations.
3. We want to extend a huge thank you again to Carrie for all of her help in the past years for running the Heli Deli. Last month Jennifer Welcome volunteered to take over the Heli Deli and it was voted this meeting to approve Jennifer to do the Heli Deli concessions. She is very excited and she will be expanding the menu.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Charlie began new business with the proposals for the much needed field repairs. They had gotten numerous quotes to correct the issues we have. The field needs all of the weeds and Rye grass killed. Then the field needs to be plugged, seeded and rolled. The club members voted on and approved unanimously to go ahead with the plan to start the process after the events April. The total cost on the proposal was \$6000.00. It was asked that the club members be patient as the field goes through this facelift and understand that the ultimate goal is to have the best field possible. When it's all said and done the pits and runway will be a beautiful Bermuda grass giving us one huge putting green. It will take time and there will be some scars as it grows. We may have to close the field for half days but not a complete day. If you have any questions, please reach out to a Board Member or Charlie for answers.
2. Tommy Cheek proposed that we do our benefit fly in this year for the Big Brother & Big Sister program. Butch Pendergrass motioned and John Welcome second the motion. All were in favor of and it was approved.
3. Giant Scale event dates were voted on as October 7th, 8th, 9th. All three days will be strictly Giant scale. A motion was made and all approved.

4. Charlie made a motion to add a new rule to our Bylaws and field rules. There will be no cutting down of any trees for any reason. It will result in immediate removal of your membership. Also please remember its 10mph.
5. The meeting was adjourned 8:01.

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