



Paducah Aero Modelers

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Charter Club #834

May 2017

Upcoming Meetings

May 27 8:30am Field

PRESIDENT
Terry Herrin

VICE PRESIDENT
Mike Shelton

SECRETARY/TREASURER
Tom Riley

SAFETY OFFICER
Steve Spraggs

FIELD MARSHAL
Jim Nygaard

FLIGHT TRAINING
Joe Warren
Mike Shelton
Don Nelson
Fred Swanson
Tom Riley

PAM MINUTES April 29, 2017

10 members in attendance
Meeting minutes from March approved

Treasures report: \$3656.00
\$125 to Raymond Vick for dirt work
\$429 to Lakeland Lawn for spraying runway and two circles
\$50 to Phillip Rudd reimbursement for AMA fly-in sanctions

Field marshal report:
Jim Anderson reinforced the south end of the new shed by welding a reinforcement brace into place.
There are many holes in the roof and some of the tin is coming loose.
Solutions to repair the holes presented by Don Nelson and Don Nichting.
More discussion forthcoming.

Old Business:
Steve Spraggs knows someone with a front end loader that will move dirt to the other side of the west end of the runway for \$125. Voted on and approved.
Mike McBride bid mowing the runway every week on Thursday (unless rain causes reschedule) for \$40/week. Would start mid-April to end of October.
Discussed increasing dues to \$60 per year, retroactive to first of this year.

Vote was tabled so club members could be notified.
Discussed taking out costs before making donation to Charity, as opposed to previous practice of contributing all monies raised and absorbing costs.
Only field improvement mentioned was the addition of portable cover – carport type – to the west end of existing cover. Was tabled for later discussion.
Randall Hopkins brought the memorial plaque he had made to honor our deceased members. It was shown during the meeting.

New Business:
Phillip Rudd spoke about the \$360.00 donation from Conan Shupe for the Community Kitchen. Mr. Shupe's models are being sold by Jackson Purchase Hobbies and proceeds donated to our charity.
Phillip Rudd spoke about the upcoming charity fly in. Topics of discussion included:

- Traders mall static display on June 3, 2017.
- i. Checking to see on space availability
 - ii. Volunteers needed
 - iii. Time to be determined. Noon to approximately 4:00 pm discussed

Raffle items.

- iv. 50/50 split
- v. Model airplane purchases
- vi. Quad purchases

Final decisions and discussions will be made at the May 2017 meeting.

Steve Spraggs provided the following information.

- vii. Good neighbor Ad is set to run the week of June 4, 2017
- viii. Copies of the event flyer made
- ix. Online calendars and advertising well in the works
- x. Unsure about NJROTC presenting the colors due to the instructors personal schedules
- xi. Mark McCutchen has committed to BBQ on Saturday, June 10. He and Steve are still looking for someone to fill June 11 for the club.

Membership dues increase discussed.

From \$30.00 to \$60.00

- xii. Cover the runway mowing bid
 - xiii. Accept Mike McBride's bid of \$40.00 per week to mow the runway on Thursday
 - xiv. Include an annual membership for Mike McBride
 - xv. Reduce the mowing length by 50 feet off the east and west end on a regular mowing schedule and mow those areas every second or third mowing on the highest deck level.
- Increase in annual dues to \$60.00 approved by all members in attendance.

Meeting adjourned 9:45