

# KITSAP Aircraft Radio Control Society



# Monthly Meeting: January 10, 2017

Call to Order: 7:01 pm

Introduction of new members and/or visitors: Sean & Lisa Butler

**<u>Reading of the minutes:</u>** Read and approved

Treasurer's Report: Read and approved

#### **General Announcements**

- Dues can be paid via PayPal see the membership page on our website
- The yearly Safety & Flight Operations briefing will be held on the Feb 14<sup>th</sup> meeting
- Time to change the combo on the gate
- Greg is the new Head Flight Instructor

#### <u>Safety</u>

- Last year when we approved the modification to flight rules, we also approved a flight station relocation of ten feet to the rear.
- There were several incidents last year involving aircraft strikes to the stations
- Volunteers were requested to move the stations.

## **First Saturdays Flying Events**

- Expect events to begin on April 1<sup>st</sup>.
- T-28 & Reno Pylon Racing: Duane reviewed the requirements; clinic on March 4<sup>th</sup>.
- Combat: Corky reviewed the requirements

## **Upcoming Flying events**

- Indoor Night Flying at Marcus Whitman (January 13, 20 and 27)
- Spring Opener March 25<sup>th</sup>.
  - One hour field day, flying, and lunch!
  - Two models will be raffled:
    - T-28 PNP (Blue Sky Hobbies and Kitsap ARCS)
    - Racer/Combat plane (Terry)
    - \$1 per chance, must be present to win
- Warbird Fly-in May 27<sup>th</sup>
- Fun Fly TBD, maybe July 15<sup>th</sup>
- Multi-wing Golden age Fly-in, AMA sanctioned August 26<sup>th</sup>
- Fall Closer October 28<sup>th</sup>. Flying, fun and lunch!



#### Schools Program

- South Colby starts on January 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- We need a new Coordinator!
- We will evaluate the program at the end of this school year to determine if it is in the best interest of the club to continue.

#### Field Maintenance

- We will be doing a field day once a quarter based on necessity. The first will be during the first hour of the Spring Opener. Everyone chip in when you go to the field pick up trash and help keep the field looking good.
- We have five people qualified to operate chainsaws.
- Log in on the volunteer website looks good for the club.
- There will be a lot more attention on Coulter Creek now that the county is starting to work on the parks plan. The club will submit our desires to parks with the hope that our desires are included in the plan from the start.
- The next Kitsap County Parks Board meeting will be January 18<sup>th</sup> at the fair grounds.

Publicity: Terry has club stickers available for \$4.00 (8-inch) and \$1.00 (3-inch) each.

#### **Open Shop Schedule**

- Jan 17<sup>th</sup> Paul's Shop
- Feb 21<sup>st</sup> Blue Sky Hobbies, downstairs
- Mar 21<sup>st</sup> Chuck's Shop

#### Any Concerns or General Comments from the Membership: None

Show and Tell: Duane – Aero Commander Shrike, full kit, added retracts

**<u>25 Cent Drawing:</u>** Roy Greene, not present

#### **Adjourned**