



KITSAP Aircraft Radio Control Society



Monthly Meeting: March 14, 2017

Called to Order: 7:03 pm

Introduction of new members and/or visitors: Rick Tobin

Reading of the minutes: Read & Approved

Treasurer's Report: Red & Approved

General Announcements

- Dues can be paid via PayPal - see the membership page on our website
- The gate lock combination has been changed. If you did not get the email from Greg and your dues are paid, make sure Rob has you updated and Greg knows.

Safety

- KC has moved the flight stations back and elevated the barriers. The starting benches have also been appropriately re-organized.
- Duane reminded members to be careful of standing water at the airfield, e.g. Brian's injured leg

First Saturdays Flying Events

- Racing and Combat will begin on April 1st.
- Pylon racers: Please show up NLT 9:00 am for pictures and briefing.
- T-28: E-Flite model is acceptable; available at Blue sky

Upcoming Flying events

- Indoor Night Flying at Marcus Whitman is concluded.
- March 25th - Spring Opener
 - 1 hour field day (rakes & shovels)
 - Open flying
 - Lunch
 - Raffle: T-28 and Reno/Combat plane
- May 27th - The Warbird Fly-In returns.
- July 15th (maybe, TBD) - Fun Fly
- August 26th - Multi-wing & Golden-age Fly-in
- October 28th - Fall Closer, flying, fun and lunch!

Head Flight Instructor: Greg reviewed the current pilot training activities.

Schools Coordinator:

- Brian has a leg injury and could not attend the meeting.
- We need a new coordinator; the program will be evaluated prior to next fall.



Field Maintenance

- The club needs to design a master plan for our field. Volunteers were solicited for the position of head planner. Jeff?
- Jeff reported that Arno may be out at Coulter Creek Park anytime over the next couple of months doing surveys. Members are asked to be courteous if any county personnel are in the vicinity of the airfield. Jeff also mentioned that there is still a possibility that some tree cutting activity could be scheduled later this year.
- Bring rakes and shovels for the one hour field day on March 25th.
- Mid April – work party with tractor for road work. Fertilizer, fix/fill pot holes around the field, remove some saplings.
- First half of June – Scotch broom poisoning.
- The club has approved the purchase of mower parts and a new battery. Terry will coordinate..
- Nothing much happened at the last Parks Board meeting.
- The next Kitsap County Parks Board meeting will be March 15th at Island Lake Community Room – 1087 NW Island Lake Rd, Poulsbo at 6pm

Publicity: Terry has club stickers available for \$8.00 (8-inch) and \$2.00 (3-inch) each.

Open Shop Schedule

- March 21st – Cancelled - Chuck will be on travel.
- April 18th – Sean
- May 16th – Open

Any Concerns or General Comments from the Membership

- KC conveyed Al's suggestion that the June Racing & Combat Day be an Open House
 - Approved by membership
 - Demonstrations of skilled flying will be performed.
 - KC will make some flyers and be Flight Coordinator.
 - Chuck will be CD and will obtain AMA sanctioning.
- Jim has two of Loren's Combat! planes for sale.

Show and Tell: Nada

25 Cent Drawing: Ben Cruize - not present

Adjourned: 7:39 pm