

KITSAP Aircraft Radio Control Society



Monthly Meeting: Dec 10, 2025

Meeting Minutes

Call to order: 7:00 pm

Tonight, 12 members were in attendance at the Club's general meeting at the Sunnyslope Meeting Hall.

New members

Dale Inman was at tonight's meeting. He was flying RC years ago with the Tacoma Narrows RC club. But life got in the way. He's coming back to join us. He was just hours away from getting his instrument rating as a Private Pilot.

Welcome aboard Dale and we're looking forward to your presence at the field.

Meeting Minutes

- President asked if all had a chance to read the Nov minutes. then asked for a motion to approve them.
- Motion by: Nick Munch Second by: Floyd Dunaway
- The Nov meeting minutes were approved by the members in attendance.

Treasurer's Report

Floyd presented the club's current financial statement for Nov accounts.

- President asked for a motion to approve them
- Motion by: John Reindl Second by: George Bieda
- The Nov financial statement motion was approved by a vote of the attendees

General Announcements:

The EAA Young Eagle build is coming along well. They've completed the construction phase and moved smartly to the covering. The covering scheme really looks good. With the pace that they're making, we should be able to complete the model in February. With that, we'll be bringing the YE's out to the field to begin their actual flying of the RC airplane that they built.

Safety:

Cold weather has arrived. Please dress warmly and be sure to bring your hand/foot warmers, a hot drink to keep your internals cozy warm and, if you're flying by yourself at the field, please be careful.



Competition Results -

None.

Regional Events (tentative)

Approx 21 Mar 2026 – McMinnvile, OR. This is a tentative planning date.

NW EXPO - 10-12 APR 26

May 29-31 – Pylon Racing competition at Shelton. 29th is a Practice day with competition on 30 & 31 May. There will be 3 racing events – EF1, Classes 422 & 426. See the website for the flyer. Brian Richmond will be the CD for this event and Tim Stebbins is also assisting him. Anyone that would like to participate or assist in running this, please reach out to them.

13 Jun '26 – KARCS Warbird Fly-in

Jul – Huck Fest – TBD by Nick Munch and Greg Allen

Aug – Nitro Fest – TBD by Nick Munch

TBD – Nick at Nite will resume again in '26 due to the extreme success this year.

TBD – Golden Age Fun Fly by Duane Barrett

Field Maintenance:

None.

Old Business:

Rob Showman arranged for our Club's banquet to happen on 14 Nov at the Bremerton Family Pancake House on Kitsap Way. This was a great venue and allowed everyone to share an evening together and to also order the food that we wanted. A great time was had by all. Thank you Rob for an outstanding idea, something we'll strive to repeat.

New Business:

We're planning to have a White Elephant gift exchange during the December meeting. Start your planning now! It's recommended that there be a \$15 limit on the gift.

Tonight, George Bieda was awarded the 2025 Crash Trophy.

Tonight, we elected the club officers for 2026. The new officers are:



2026 Club Officer elections

Duane Barrett - President George Bieda - Vice President

Floyd Dunaway - Secretary/Treasurer He volunteered to take on the duties one more year since no one else was elected. This is outside the norms of the by-laws, but this is also an extremely critical job for the club. This job requires a lot of time, effort and diligence to process. There were no objections from the membership present

2025 KARC OF THE YEAR

Duane Barrett was nominated and won the KARC OF THE YEAR.

Show and Tell:

None.

Comments from the Membership:

Nick commented that the weather pattern this year is closely mirroring the snow-magedden of 2019. He's proposing that if we get a sufficient snowfall at the field, we should have a flying event featuring aircraft with snow skis. Sounds like fun. If that's the case, get your cold weather gear, foot/hand warmers ready.

Adjourned: 7:40 pm