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MRCMC General Membership Meeting Minutes

Date: Mar 4, 2015

Members Present: Dennis Albee, Ron Brewer, Karl Eckerle, John Fabinski, Mike Fjerstad, Greg Gavit, Chris Hawkins, Bob Hill, Al, Klashak, Steve Linley, Mike Nentwig, Tom Patterson, Ray Ruzsala, Milt Strom, Jim Whitehead, Jim Whiteside, Brad Wolfgang, Don Zahm, Steve Zahm, Herman Huebner.

Visitors Present: None

Mike Fjerstad called the meeting to order at 7:30PM

1. Minutes from the January general membership meeting were accepted as printed in the newsletter.
2. The treasurer's report was given and accepted. Karl Eckerle reviewed the income and expenses from last month.
3. Karl has purchased hats and tee shirts with the club logo on them. Hats are \$8 and tee shirts are \$12. See Karl to purchase one.
4. There were no visitors at the meeting this month.
5. Karl discussed the banquet. There was a good turnout of 44 people. Everyone seemed to like the food and the show at the planetarium.
6. The Chesaning swap meet was held a few weeks ago and was discussed.
7. The Flint flying Aces club is hosting a swap meet at the Lake Fenton High School. It will be held on Sunday, March 8 from 9:00-1:00.
8. Mike discussed the bus trip to the Toledo Swap meet. Tickets can be purchased from Rogers Hobby for \$59.
9. Mike discussed the Mid-Michigan Fun Fly. It will be hosted by the Holly club this year. The tentative date is July 11.
10. The calendar of events was discussed:
 - March 8 Indoor fly at SVSU's Ryder Center from 6:00-10:00PM
 - April 10 Bus trip to Toledo swap meet – See Rogers Hobby for more info
 - April 25 Field Cleanup
 - May 2 Pancake Breakfast at EAA building
 - June 13 Electric fly event at MRCMC field
 - July 11 Tentative – Mid Michigan Fun fly
 - Aug 16 Club Picnic
 - Sept 12 Swap meet at club field
 - Sept 13 Club airshow
11. Show and tell consisted of Don Zahm showing plans of an R/C parachutist. He has it built and just needs to connect it to the 1.4 meter parachute.
12. Chris Hawkins showed off a 3 meter sailplane. It was a "bird of time" kit made by Great Planes. Steve Zahm did the covering on the plane. It should weigh 50 oz. with servos.
13. Mike Fjerstad showed a Revolver 70 made by Great Planes. The plane originally had an OS 0.75 in³ engine on it but was under-powered, so he had Karl install a DLE 20cc gas engine. Karl discussed some of the things to take into account when converting a glow powered plane to gas powered like the fuel system, the extra battery and power switch and ignition system.
14. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30

Minutes respectfully submitted by Greg Gavit on March 5, 2015.

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