



## Meeting Minutes

Regular Monthly meeting - Monday, November 9th, 2020

Meeting was held at Dye's Walk – First Floor Ballroom in the Clubhouse

Meeting was called to order by President Chuck Baker at 7:40 pm.

22 members + 2 officers – VP/Sec. Adam Hunt not in attendance due to Covid-19 exposure quarantine.

## New Members, Visitors

No new members or visitors were present at the meeting

## Old Business

Chuck Baker read the October meeting minutes taken and prepared by Adam Hunt. No questions. A motion was made and seconded. Membership voted to accept the minutes.



Doug Gifford read the Treasurer's Report for the end of October. A motion was made and seconded to accept the treasurer's report.

The current membership is now 61. One more than 2019. Doug mentioned changes to dues payment procedure at meetings to help maintain distancing. Regular dues for 2021 remains at \$80. A \$10 late fee will be charged for those paying after December 31<sup>st</sup>.

Chuck reminded those members with AMA renewals due December 31<sup>st</sup> to please update their membership.



### Field Operations:

The Indianapolis Mask mandate has been extended until November 14<sup>th</sup>. Although mask usage is not required at the field please continue to maintain social distancing.

Reminder: If members visit the flying site, please follow social distancing guidelines (6 feet minimum between people. 12'+ is even better). If you touch common surfaces, please use hand sanitizer to prevent any further transmission.



*Plenty of room downstairs*

### Rike Field Viability and Ongoing Search activity:

We have no current update regarding potential buyer activity from Jon Taylor (Rike Field Land Owner).

Potential Sites: (thanks to Duane, Chip, Bob Badger, Adam, Rob K., Rob S., James S. for assistance and leads)

We have or are investigating 21 potential sites.

(9) determined to be non-viable (mostly owners not interested)

(6) waiting for response from letters sent

(6) more considered not optimal (may need to reconsider these later)

Contacted Umbarger Feed (Bargersville) in hopes of gaining knowledge of local potential landowner interest – no response yet.

Bob Badger is looking into a potential site off of US-37.

### Getting the word out:

Thanks to those members that have posted field search flyers!

Sent copy of field search flyer to Lisa Johnson (AMA-FSAC) – she replied with links to AMA website.



Contacted Mayor of Greenwood office – no reply yet.

Sent field search flyer and Jon Taylor letter to Johnson Co FSA to see if he can help spread the word.

A classified ad was placed in the Johnson Co Daily Journal – runs from 11/7 to 11/17.

### **Other:**

Regular meetings are targeted for Dye's Walk downstairs ballroom at 7:30. Recommend you consider coming early for dinner since they are letting us meet at no cost. Doug mentioned you should check website and E-Mail for changes since Dye's Walk may have schedule conflicts.

Chuck discussed receiving very little feedback on the dinner Covid-19 question. Only 5 members said they had an interest in the dinner when asked at the meeting. Based on this the dinner tentatively scheduled for January 9th, 2021 has been canceled. We will hopefully be able to do it in 2022.

### **New Business**

The brush clearing and aircraft recovery day was canceled due to bad weather and lack of planes that were in need of finding.

Jim Stuckey was recognized by instructor Dean Anderson at the meeting for soloing, having already received his solo pin. Congratulations to Jim!

Chuck asked for any nominations for club officer positions in addition to the present board members who have offered to serve for another year. No nominations were offered and thus nominations are closed with no opponents and there will be no vote in December.

No new business items from the floor.

### **Presentation**

No presentation this meeting



*Chuck filling in for Adam on the raffle, trying to observe social distancing*



### Upcoming Area Events

No indoor flying at Center Grove HS through the end of 2020. Might be able to fly there in early 2021 - will have to wait and see.

No more indoor flying at The Gathering Place – they will be closing their doors in May of 2021.

The Bartholomew Co club will have indoor sessions at St. Peter's Church in Columbus on various Sunday afternoons from 1:30-3:30 starting 11/22.

### Next Club Meeting

December 14th, 2020 at 7:30 pm at Dye's Walk – Chuck will send out a meeting notice about a week prior confirming the meeting location.

### Show and Tell

No show and tell.

### Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at around 8:20 pm by Chuck.

### Raffle Prize:

E-flite Turbo Timber 1.5m BNF Basic with AS3X and Safe Select, includes floats.

[https://www.horizonhobby.com/product/turbo-timber-1.5m-pnp-includes-floats/EFL15275.html?gclid=CjwKCAiAkan9BRAqEiwAP9X6UQJHgRDNHajCiPBZRCXQpKiJLI2zlq9RUCp4AldJWZoa69BMFfqpdBoCY8oQAvD\\_BwE](https://www.horizonhobby.com/product/turbo-timber-1.5m-pnp-includes-floats/EFL15275.html?gclid=CjwKCAiAkan9BRAqEiwAP9X6UQJHgRDNHajCiPBZRCXQpKiJLI2zlq9RUCp4AldJWZoa69BMFfqpdBoCY8oQAvD_BwE)

Thanks to an expert ticket selection by our very own Brian Merrell - Doug Gifford was the happy winner of the Turbo Timber.



*Debbie will be so happy!*