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Meeting Minutes

Monday, May 9, 2022

Meeting was held at Dye's Walk.

Several members showed up early to enjoy dinner at Dye's Walk.



Meeting was called to order by President Chuck Baker at 7:30 pm.

10 members + 3 officers were in attendance. No guests.

Old Business

Adam Hunt read the April meeting minutes. There were no questions concerning the minutes. A motion to approve the meeting minutes was made and seconded. The minutes were approved as read by a show of hands.

Doug read the Treasurer's Report. April income was \$735.07, and expenses were \$576.00. If any member wishes to have a copy of the treasurer's report, please contact Doug. Total current paid membership for 2022 is 37 (compared to 41 in 2021 at the same point). There were no questions concerning the report. A motion to approve the treasurer's report was made and seconded. The report was approved as read by a show of hands.

To fly at East Side Club, please use South Side Club Card in frequency board, 2.4GHz radios only.

Johnson County Club only requires a valid AMA card to fly.



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Rike Field Viability & New Field Search

As a reminder, Rike Field was Officially Closed on October 28, 2021. Construction has begun. Old shelters have been demolished and earth is being moved.

Potential Flying Site Updates:

- #51 (5.7 SE) E of 625E, S of 350N, hayfield behind house at 3093 N 625E (Rick Sallee)
 - Initially interested, zoning/tax questions – will try it out after 1st cut (by end of May)
- #54 (11.5 NW) SE of Mann Rd/Southport Rd, NW corner of Southwestway Park
 - Responded to Park Mgmt concerns again – still awaiting a response
- #55 (7.6 SE) Dead end road (CR 150 N), ½ mile W of 2nd Mt Pleasant Baptist Church (Rick Sallee)
 - Letter sent to landowner to see if they are interested, tried to call, left message.
- #58 (14.0 WSW) Land SE of Centenary Rd, at approx 6398 (James Craig)
 - Land owned by Bex Farms Inc – landowner located in Kalamazoo, MI.
 - 2/18 - Emailed info – received initial response – they will discuss and get back to us.
 - 3/10 - Emailed proposed layout and addl info, called on 3/15 and left msg
 - 4/13 – Spoke with Tim, Dan needs to decide, said he would remind him.
- #59 (6.1 NNE) Field behind The Creek Church on Franklin Rd, S of Edgewood (Wayne Riddell)
 - Would be a west-facing field. Anyone attend there or know any church leaders?
 - Tried to reach Bret Magnason (Facilities) a 2nd time – no response yet. (Mike DeNeve)
- #61A/B – (6.0 SW) Land E of 75 W, between 200N and 350N (The Hurkmans)
 - Would be east-facing small aircraft/sport flyer field depending on location
 - 3/15 - Mailed info to both landowners to see if they are interested.
 - 4/13 – Tried to call landowner “A” – not accepting calls.
- #63 – (15.0 WSW) NW of SR 37, about 3.5 miles SW of Waverly, IN (Roger Waldrip)
 - 3/31 - Would be north-facing sport flyer field, Mailed info to Revocable Trust in Minneapolis, MN
- #64 – (15.3 WSW) N of Cemetery Rd, W of Perry Rd, 4 miles SW of Waverly, IN (Roger Waldrip)
 - 3/31 - Would be north-facing sport flyer field. Mailed info to landowner.
- #65 – (6.0 SW) Land E of 150W, between 350N & 400N, 2 miles ENE of Bargersville, IN (Chip Hurkmans)
 - 4/12 – Would be north or east facing small aircraft field. Mailed info to see if interested.



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New Business

The Dayton ModelRama was held April 29-30, 2022. Dave Griffith attended on the Friday of the show and said it was rather good. It took him about 4 hours to walk the swap meet without stopping too long at any one location.

Doug Gifford shared highlights of the flying that took place at Nick Shergi's full-scale runway 63II – Woods Field Airport on April 23rd, just north of Franklin. We had five members make several flights despite the high winds.



Chuck gave a summary of his 2-week trip to Georgia which included a week visiting and flying with some friends north of Atlanta followed by attending the 2022 Southeast Electric Flight Festival event at Mac Hodges field near Americus, GA. 216 registered pilots participated in the weeklong event on a groomed 2000-foot Bermuda grass runway.

<https://seffweek.com/>

Chuck also mentioned that Damon “DAG” Atwood caused quite the stir when he fitted his 188” Emmaselle II with a baby doll pilot with pacifier!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5ZxnEzOr38>



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2022 Dues

All dues for 2022 are half off. The standard member dues are now only \$40 and the late fee is only \$5. Once we find a viable field, dues will return to their normal rates for those that have not yet paid. Members who already renewed will not need to pay any more. You must be a member in good standing at Indy RC South (Paid 2022 Dues and have valid AMA good through the end of 2022) to fly at Indy RC Modelers (Morristown) or Johnson County RC Flyers (Edinburgh).

2022 Officers

The current officers will remain on as interim officers for 2022 or until new volunteers step forward.

Presentation

No presentation for May

Upcoming Area Events

- Indy RC South Ticket Fly #1 – IRC Field – Morristown, IN 2pm-4pm

Next Club Meeting

~~June 13, 2022~~, at 7:30pm (Dye's Walk) – **This has been rescheduled to Wednesday, June 15th**

Show and Tell

No Show and Tell

Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 8:03 pm by Chuck.



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Raffle Prize:

https://www.horizonhobby.com/product/pitts-s-1s-bnf-basic-with-as3x-and-safe-select-850mm/EFL3550.html?utm_campaign=search&utm_medium=cpc&utm_source=google&gclid=CjwKCAjwnZaVBhA6EiwAVVYv9A2zC375yJmOjmW0-wAQdoN5Te62eCVdm1Ngk2yxRPk0CwY1agBhLhoCJsUQAvD_BwE



Chuck Baker won the E-flite Pitts S-1S 850mm (thank you to Hobby RC for the discount on the raffle prize)