

Odd Behavior

A few weeks ago while flying a model on the third flight of the day, the model was exhibiting a slight roll to the right. The wind had calmed and the retracts were up, so the sudden change in aileron trim was rationalized away. While unloading the wing of this model, it was observed two of the three hinges of the right wing were loose. Not too long ago another pilot observed odd behavior in his model only to discover three of the four elevator hinges were broken. Conclusion: it something *seems* to be wrong, it probably is. Bring it down and check it out.

Electric Model Day (Oct 10)

We had over 15 pilots and many spectators at our first Electric Model Day. A special thanks to Justin Heath and Bryon Scott for providing chili. Thanks to Bryan Pfeifer and the Three Sabre Guys (Justin Heath, Steve Ruble, Brent Graaf) for their TP cutting entertainment.



**The music world has the three tenors;
we have the four Scotts:**

**Scott Lacey
Scott Causey
Bryon Scott
Wes "Scott" Parker**

RC Report magazine online

Attention subscribers: As you know, the RC Report magazine closed its doors last March. Do you know, however, that it is now available online at rcreport.net? The cost is \$24.95/yr for the basic (read only) and \$29.95/yr for the deluxe (PDF downloadable) versions.

By-Laws Revision Proposal

During the October meeting it was proposed the by-laws be revised to eliminate the \$25 initiation late fee for members renewing after Dec 31.

By-laws currently reads:

A membership will be considered lapsed and automatically terminated if such member's dues remain unpaid beyond Dec 31 of the previous year. Lapsed members shall be considered new members and fall under the requirements for new membership under SECTION 3 (a) above, unless waived by the Board of Directors.

Proposed reading:

A membership will be considered lapsed and automatically terminated if such member's dues remain unpaid beyond Dec 31 of the previous year.

This proposal will be voted on during the November meeting.

Nominating Committee

Report – proposed slate of officers for 2010

President: Wes Parker
Vice-Pres: David Campbell
Treasurer: Bob Schwandt
Secretary: Barry Harper

Board Members:

Justin Heath
Mike Howard
Tim McWhorter
Ron Schanda
Bryon Scott

Next club meeting:
Thursday, Nov 5, 7 pm
CLUB ELECTIONS
Library Center
S Campbell
Room B

Night Fly
Saturday November 7
Conditions Permitting

Christmas party
December 3, 6:30pm
Heritage Cafeteria
1364 E. Battlefield

Night Fly
Saturday December 5
Conditions Permitting

Ski Fly
Conditions available

Annual Chili Fly
New Year's Day
Friday, January 1, 2010

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The Oct 1st 2009 meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Mike Howard. There was a motion made to approve the minutes by Bob S. and was then seconded and approved unanimously.

The Treasures report was read and it was said that we had 64 members and 12,083.80 in assets. Dave C. made motion to accept and Ron S. seconded it, motion passed.

Old Business- More gun shots were heard at the field but no holes in airplanes were reported. If any holes are found in planes call the sheriff and report it.

Mike asked for a nominating committee to be formed, Barry H. and Ron S. volunteered. The folks that have already agreed to run are as follows.

Wes Parker- Pres.

Bob Swantz- Tres.

Ron Shanda- Board

Bryon Scott- Board

Discussion was abundant when discussion turned to 100 dollar late fee and the 25 dollar new member fee was also brought up.

A motion was made by Bob S. and second by Dan C. to give the club 30 days notice of the vote to change the club by laws back to the original wording of "The initial new member \$25 fee is a one time in a life time only fee for any member". The vote will be taken at the next club meeting. Motion passed.

New Business-

Wes P. has agreed to continue to do web page.

Barry H. will continue to do news letter.

Wes Parker said he would find out where we could have the party for approx 30 people. A motion was made by Scott L. and seconded by Wess P. to have 300 dollars in Christmas gifts. Wess will handle the gifts.

Events were brought up. Night fly the 3rd of Oct. and Elec. Meet Oct. 10th.

Bleachers were brought up and it was decided that they were more trouble than worth.

Male and female potties were brought up. Question was asked, shall we mark the ones we have?

Mike H. made the club aware that he wanted to buy the top gun trophy, Dave C. made a motion and Bob S. seconded it, to sell it to him. Motion passes and the transaction was immediately made.

Mike Howard mad the club aware that Forrest would not be mowing the field next year. Justin H. said he would get a bid from Green acres mowing.

Meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by Justin Heath