

Airfoiler Meeting Minutes

June 2018

The June meeting of the Coffee Airfoilers was held on June 4th at the club field. There were 23 members present. Club president Don Cleveland called the meeting to order at 7:02 pm.

The financial report was presented by treasurer Bonny Jenkins. Bonny detailed our May spending and income. Bonny also reported we now have 91 paid members. A motion to accept the financial report was made and approved.

Committee Reports

Field Maintenance: Scott Darrin reported that grass cutting has become a major issue for us. At this time we need more member volunteers to mow our grass. Scott asked members to volunteer to not only mow the runway, but the north and south approaches to the runway and the area across the driveway.

Public Relations: Ken Herrick reported on all the contacts he has made to promote our upcoming events. He has been able to secure donations from a local shooting range, Kroger and several restaurants so far for Model Aviation Day.

S.T.E.M. program. Ken reported he had a student from the Hands On Science Center (H.O.S.C.) bring a rocket he had constructed to the field for a test flight. The 12 yoa student had also constructed his own rocket motor. The young rocketeer launched his rocket, but Ken reported the craft blew up shortly after takeoff! Ken reported he will be at H.O.S.C. on June 15th for their Aviation Day. Members Tony K. and Ed F. will assist him that day. Ken stated he will again be at H.O.S.C. on July 10 for a model rocket demonstration. Ken further reported he and Scott Darrin were at the College Street Elementary School on May 16th for a model demonstration, which was very well accepted by the students.

Flight Training. Flight training coordinator Paul Green reported we currently have four members in training, all progressing very well. Our next training day will be June 9th, and will be held at the Float Fly. We will be flying the club trainer on floats.

Old Business

Field Improvements. Move the door on the concession stand from the parking lot side of the building to the sun shelter side. No action taken yet on this suggestion.

New Business

Float Fly. June 9 2018. CDs Mike Jenkins & Ernie Miller. The float fly is a go at Woods Reservoir. The GLC will be open for us to use the restrooms, and to cool off in the lobby. Mike Jenkins and Ernie Miller will have their R/C airplane retriever boats on hand for any crashes!

Hand Launched Glider Contest. June 16 & 17, 2018. CD Don Cleveland. Don stated this year's "Possum Toss" event planning is well under way. There will be several top ranked flyers in attendance, it should be good contest!!

Longest Day Picnic. CD Don Cleveland. Don reported that David Green is having health issues and will not be able organize the picnic. Paul G. and Mike J. volunteered to look into vendors to get the BBQ for our picnic. As always, everyone was asked to bring a "pot-luck" dish to pass.

CAF 60th Anniversary. Ken Herrick stated that our club will be turning 60 in 2019. He suggests we host a special event to celebrate this outstanding longevity achievement. Don Cleveland stated as the date grows closer, we will plan a major event.

Show & Tell

John Lupperger showed his new Hobby King "Fly Beam" night flyer.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:45 pm.