

Flying Aces Pilots Assoc meeting 12/06/10

Members present: 12

New Members: 0

Called to order by: Tom Moore

Old Business: See last months minutes.

New business:

Waymer:

Tom contacted 4 landscaping companies regarding the Waymer field improvements. No progress was made due to high costs and being limited to what we are allowed to do. There was a suggestion to have a club work day to make some improvements to the transition from the asphalt to the grass at the ends of the runway. A few club members are meeting at the field on 12/4 to assess the repairs needed.

The 12/2 meeting was also our safety meeting. There was more discussion regarding the incident in October that involved a full scale plane and an r/c plane. The incident happened on open flying day. There was a suggestion to meet with the full scale field and discuss how we can work together and prevent this from happening in the future. We encourage you to use spotters when possible. We are asking all club members to please help enforce safety codes, and to also offer help to new pilots to maintain safety and help make their entry into the hobby a positive experience.

the Parks and Rec. department has signed the 2011 contract.

Charlotte Motor Speedway:

We will be asking the speedway to replace the garbage can at the speedway field. As a reminder there is to be no flying behind the runway.

There was discussion regarding the club trainer. We did not have 2 transmitters to set up the buddy box system. Max is donating a DX6 to go with the DX5 that we have, so we will now have a complete system. Thank you Max for your generosity!!

Treasury report: Given by Jim

Closed by: Tom Moore

Flaying Aces Pilots Assoc meeting 11/04/10

Discussions on upgrading Waymer Flying Field were presented to the club. This plan consisted of analyzing, repairing and installing new grass on the flight line. Also discussed was the transition from the paved runway into the grassy area at the end of the runway. Repairing the far side of the runway by smoothing the area there for safer landings. Painting a centerline down the paved runway and crosses at each end of the runway.

Estimates will be done and then discussed again before passing this proposal on to Parks and Rec for approval.

A proposal was made to ask Larry Moore if he would like to sell his Spook to the club and to have it made available to him when he begins his flying activities in the future.

A collection canister will be circulating around the Two flying fields for the purpose of collecting funds to help Mr. Moore with his many bills.

A long discussion was held on field Safety. A complaint was sent to the AMA expressing concerns about "Flight Safety" and "AMA Safety Guidelines" at our Flying Fields. An incident was reported to the AMA and was followed up by our Safety Officer, Terry Hickey, who investigated the incident and replied to the AMA on this matter.

The problem occurred at Waymer during the "Open Fly Day" that Park and Recs has put into our agreement for field use. The first Saturday of each month from 12PM till 2 PM, anyone can fly at Waymer without AMA or Park Pass. They are responsible for their own liability (insurance) while using the facility, however, this doesn't mean that the Safety regulations are waived on those days and it is the responsibility of all Park users to enforce AMA Safety Regulations at all times at Both of our flying fields.

We discussed the need for "Flight Instructors" for the club. All interested pilots should talk to our President Tom Moore at our next upcoming meeting.

Jim G.

minutes 10/2/10

Members present: 10

Called to order by: Tom Moore

No new members

Old Business: See last months minutes

New Business:

Bob Bauer presented with his lifetime membership card

Bob talked about the new key system and locks we are getting for the new year

The race is coming up at the speedway so all the flight stations and tables are being removed. No flying till after the race.

Next months meeting will be at Midtown Sundries on Harris Blvd

Nov. the 4th- Dinner at 6 meeting at 7. Tom Moore is going to go and

reserve our winter meeting dates there.

Election results:

President- Tom Moore

VP- Evan Doughty

Treasurer- Jim Galuska

Secretary- Jeff Blanken

Safety Officer- Terry Hicky

2 at large board members- Bob Bauer and Bob Covington

Treasury Report given by: Jim

Meeting closed by: Tom Moore

minutes 9/4/10

Members Present: 25

Called to Order by: Tom Moore

New Members: 5

Old Business: See last months minutes.

New Business:

Fly-in September 18th

Landing fee: \$10 min. donation

Registration begins at 8

Pilots meeting at 9

Food: Being handled by Jim and Bob

We need an electric hot plate and generators.

Club Nominations:

President: Tom Moore

V. Pres : Evan, Doc Glasscock, Marty

Treasurer: Jim

Secretary: Jeff

Safety Officer: Troy, Terry

2 at large board members: Bob Covington, Bob Bauer, Humpy Wheeler

These are just the nominations. The vote will be at next months meeting. If there is anyone you would like to nominate

Email me at [jhblanken@yahoo.com](mailto:jhblanken@yahoo.com) and I will add them to be added to the list for next months meeting.

Bob Bauer has been voted upon to receive an honorary lifetime membership to FAPA for all of his dedicated time and service to the club. Thank you Bob!

Treasury report given by Jim  
Meeting closed by: Tom Moore

minutes 8/7/10

Members present: 20  
Meeting called to order by : Tom Moore  
New Members: 2 Frank Senyk, Tom Shull  
Old Business: See last months minutes  
New Business:

Larry Moore Status: Doing alot better and pushing on with Rehab  
Fly In:

The Larry Moore Benefit War Bird Fly-In... All proceeds go to Larry Moore  
Saturday Sept 18Th at Waymer field

Jim is the CD and Pat is going to be the Contest Coordinator. Pat is also  
going to get his CD training

Pat is going to make up the flyers for the fly-in

Evan is in charge of raffle prizes \$250 Budget

Bob is in charge of food... Hot dogs, chips... etc.

Jeff is going to be in charge of sign in and raffle tickets

2 awards Pilots choice best warbird and people's choice best warbird. Jeff will  
get the plaques.

Planes must fly at least once to be eligible.

Next month is nominations for officers

Proposal to be written up for an auction to be held in January. To be voted  
on after proposal is received

Treasury report given by: Jim  
Meeting closed by : Tom Moore

minutes 7/7/10

members present: 15  
Meeting called to order by: Tom Moore  
new members: 1 Dan Kyper  
Old business see old minutes  
New Business:

Bob contacted parks and rec. Trying to make sure Waymer will stay open with all of the cuts  
being made to the budget for parks and recs.

Waymer gate lock was Vandalized.  
Pylon race was canceled  
Talks began about our annual fly-in at waymer for the fall  
Informed that Guy is out of the hospital after having a heart attack  
Informed Larry was waiting for another review in 2 weeks in order to be moved  
CAM fly-in July 30-31  
CCRC Highpoint Cub fly-in the 17th  
No treasury report  
Closed by: Tom Moore

Subject: Todays meeting  
Date: Sun, 6 Jun 2010 01:54:32 GMT

Minutes for the meeting today.

Arrangements were made to move the pilots stations, benches and club items back to the speedway tomorrow at 10AM. If anyone can help meet at the speedway at 10am.

Bob Bauer talked about the Waymer field and parks and rec with the possibility that there will be cuts in services there. He is investigating.

Tom Moore was voted in to serve as president for the rest of Larry's term. Tom was also voted to replace Larry on the WACAMA board. Thanks Tom. Larry will remain as the club secretary.

Volunteers were requested to help move Larry's personal item from his apartment to a new home. This is being coordinated by Jim and will happen on June 17th. Any others that would like to help please contact Jim.

There is a Pylon race scheduled for July 24th. Volunteers are needed and should contact Tom Boyd. [tom\\_babs@bellsouth.net](mailto:tom_babs@bellsouth.net)

There are a few events this month;

Night fly at the Winger field tonight  
Flyin at Charlotte Aeromodellers the 19th  
Speed Event at Caldwell Modelers the 26th  
Electric flyin Winger field the 26th

Please come out to the speedway tomorrow, Sunday at 10am to help move the club stuff if you can. Be prompt as we are meeting there and then going to Jims to get the stuff.

Happy flying,

Evan

Flying Aces Pilots Association

Meeting Minutes 3-4-10

Dear member, at the meeting last night we discussed a few new things.

Fly-in Food will be Bob with Tina's help, **they need a grill and tables.** Jim will C.D. if Larry can't.

The vote to repeal the requirement for a Waymer pass failed 11 to 13, **all FAPA members must maintain a Waymer pass.**

Larry's condition was talked about. He still is in room 340 at Presbyterian but expects to be moved soon to rehab at Mercy Main. His cell is 727-808-9530 .

Indoor fly-in, Matt has obtained permission to have a fly-in in the gym of a middle school next to him, **We need someone to be the monitor.** It will cost \$5 to fly and the monitor will be free. First fly-in scheduled for April 13th

There was a complaint about people starting engines under the shelter at Waymer, **all persons are responsible for safety**, if you see some one doing something against the WACAMA, County, AMA, or club rules ask them to stop.

Tina is selling fuel at a discount. Currently she does not have enough people wanting fuel for her to get a discount.

The next meeting will be held noon, April 3rd **at Waymer**.

Evan

## Flying Aces Pilots Association

### Meeting Minutes 2-4-10

Members Present: 20

The meeting was called to order by Larry Moore.

6 new members: Bailey, Dale, Ken, Matt, Justin, Ron

Old business: See last months minutes

New business

Annual Spring Fling Fly-in

Decided to do a standard hot dog boil instead of a pot luck style lunch.

Have to check on field because there was some damage due to the snow and traspassers doing doughnuts on our runway.

Waymer

The lock system is completely implemented. Pictures on on the web-site showing how they should be locked. The entrance sign is still not finished.

Lowes The speedway is now called Charlotte Motor Speedway and is no longer called Lowe's  
The plaques were displayed that are going to be presented to Bob and Humpy.

A motion was set to take a vote on a bi-law change. E-mails are being sent out to all members.

Treasury Report was given by Jim

Meeting was closed by Larry Moore.

After the meeting Fred Connell gave a demonstration on foam cutting. Even though we could not do any actual cutting at the meeting he gave a great demonstration on techniques.

The plane of the month was a 4star 60 built by Jeff Blanken

## Flying Aces Pilots Association

### Meeting Minutes 1-7-10

Members Present: 19

The meeting was called to order by Larry Moore

2 new members: Howard B. and Ed A.

Old business: See last months minutes.

New business:

Annual Spring Fling Fly-in:

the date will be April 24<sup>th</sup> @ Lowes.

9 am Pilots meeting.

Landing fee of \$10.

APot Luck lunch is planned @ \$5.

\$250.00 was approved for raffle prizes, Evan D. will coordinate the prize procurment.

Waymer:

The final contract with the county was signed.

Bob B. went over the lock system and policy.

The details of the entrance sign were discussed.

1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of each month from 12-2 will be for new flyers and non AMA .

Tried to come up with questions to ask of novice flyers. These will be developed and posted at the field.

Lowes:

The contract has been approved and is indefinite. Lowes allows FAPA exclusive use.

Lifetime memberships to the club are now available @ \$500.00

Humpy Wheeler was voted to get an honorary lifetime membership for his contributions to the club.

Plaques of appreciation were approved for Humpy Wheeler and Bob Covington.

A motion was passed to look into a Solar Power Charging Station for Waymer.

Treasury Report was given by Jim.

Dave G. discussed Pylon Racing for this summer. The racing will be primarily at the old Jillian Airport.

Meeting was closed by Larry Moore.

After the meeting Jeff Blanken brought in his 4Star 60 the is being kit built and Evan Doughty gave a demonstration on Monokote covering. 14 members stayed for the Hour after the meeting to watch and comment on the demonstration.

After next months meeting Fred Connell will be giving a demonstration on Foam Cutting a wing.