

THE CARRIER WAVE

PHANTOM FLYERS R/C CLUB



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Newsletter of the Phantom Flyers R/C Club

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**Phantom Flyers R/C Club
June 19, 2017 Meeting Minutes**

The meeting was called to order by Club President Jan Jansen at 7:00 pm. There were 11 members in attendance. The meeting was held at the Flying Field.

Secretary's Report

The May 2017 meeting minutes were approved.

The club currently has 44 members, excluding family and non participants.

Treasurer's Report

The roof has been paid for. Jose' provided the balance in the Club account.

Field Managers Report

- The green mower threw a belt and it has been replaced. We now have a full set of belts for both mowers. The directions for belt replacement for the green mower are complicated. Don explained the issues. Additional instructions would be helpful.
- Greg Roberts has donated tools for changing blades on the mowers. **A motion was made and approved to give Greg a gift card.** Thank You Greg!
- There was a discussion about how rough the field is and how it has been rolled twice after a rain.
- The Roofer sent us the Lien Waiver and paid invoice. The Secretary will keep it on file.
- The gravel in the parking lot was discussed. Nothing was decided.
- There are cracks in the runway. Don will evaluate in the fall.
- Toilet Service was discussed.

Club Activities

- Glider Contest will be July 1st. Jan will be CD.
- The E-Fly was discussed and we still need a CD. The date and activity is tentative. Thinking of making it a scale event.
- A Pre-Nats warm up was discussed. Nothing was decided.

Meeting was adjourned.

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**G.S.L.M.A.
Treasurer Report for June 30, 2017**

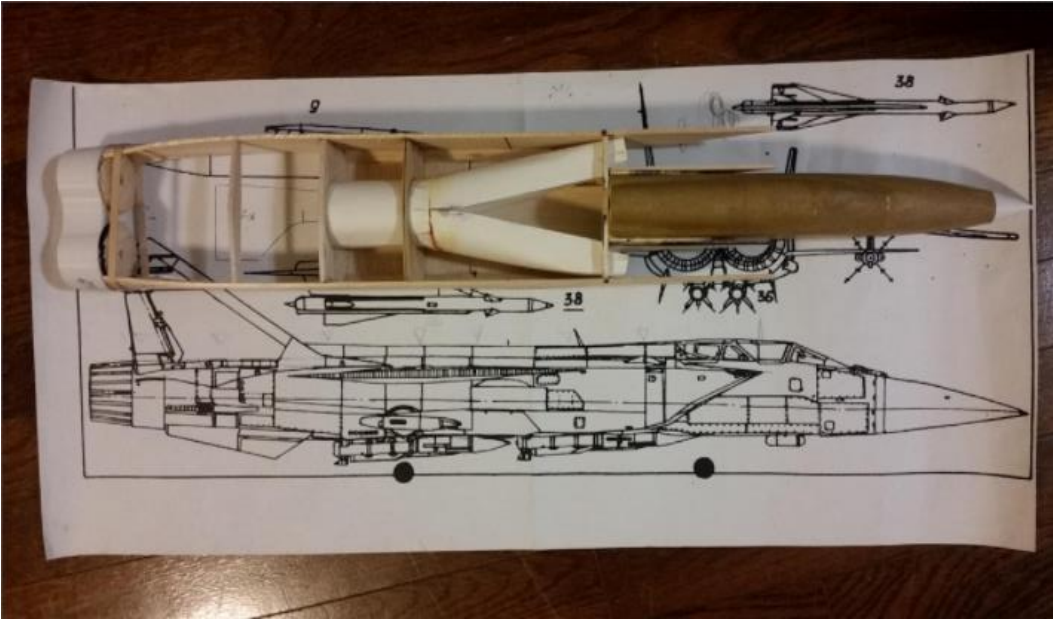
Beginning balance at 5/30/2017	36,949.15
Total Deposits for 6/01/17 to 6/30/17	
Permits and Donations (\$25.00)	<u>146.00</u>
	146.00
 Debits for 6/01/17 to 6/30/17	
Mickey K's replacement unit	565.00
Office Depot laminating pouches	51.99
Bank Paper Statement Fees	<u>10.00</u>
Total - Net	625.99
 Ending Bank balance as of 6/30/2017	 <u>36,468.16</u>
 Total 2017 permits issued from 6/01/17 to 6/30/17	 5
Total 2016 permits YTD	233
Total 2017 permits YTD	231

David Whitney -Treasurer

Harold Weaver supplied the GSLMA (Greater Saint Louis Model Association) Treasurer Report.

Members Models/Projects

Your editor is currently working on a micro EDF MiG-31 Foxhound along with a bunch of other models. The fan unit measures 40mm and it should come in at about 14oz RTF with a 3S 1000mAh lipo pack. The model is 25.5" long with a 16" wingspan and will be covered with tissue paper and Elmer's Wood Glue. Controls will tailerons only and should have a top speed of 70-80mph. I will probably have to put my glasses on for the first few flights.



Event Reports:

June 4th Vista, Radian or whatever 2m glider you fly, contest results.

Nine contestants participated with six rounds of flying. Fantastic weather, luckily the rain held off until after the contest. The times were not as great as last contest. Only three flights in excess of 6 min. We seem to have been stuck in a region with few thermos. Landing points were also elusive with more than half the pilots missing in each round. In round three only Kevin made the landing! About even distribution between pure gliders and electric with pure gliders taking 1,2,5,8. And as several times before Kevin won convincingly by winning three rounds. The president won two and Al won one.

And the results:

Standing	Name	Score	Sec in Air
1	Kevin Cox	3898	1577
2	Jan Jansen	3352	1426
3	Ed White	3128	1169
4	Al Bone	2871	1185
5	Larry Anderson	2734	975
6	Jose Espinosa	2535	1109
7	Dave Evans	2273	774
8	Jim West	2170	905
9	Don Grzina	2024	762

Thanks to all for participating!

Jan



July 1th Vista, Radian or whatever 2m glider you fly, contest results.

Twelve contestants participated with six rounds of flying. Is that a record? Fantastic weather, again. Fully seventeen flights in excess of 6 min. More landing points this time. This was a day for the Radians and Aspires, electric or pure. Congratulations to Brian for winning the contest and two rounds! One round was won by Dave, Bill, Kevin and Harold. Goes to show improvements from everyone. Several people were separated by less than 30 points!

And the results:

Standing	Name	Score	Sec in Air
1	Brian Molloy	3530	1737
2	Bill Ahrens	3363	1898
3	Kevin Cox	3336	1587
4	Ed White	3209	1577
5	Larry Anderson	3182	1698

6	Jose Espinosa	2730	1410
7	Walter Rhodes	2339	1314
8	Jan Jansen	2296	1209
9	Harold Weaver	2273	1108
10	Don Grzina	2139	1224
11	Al Bone	2107	1180
12	Dave Evans	1170	496

Thanks to all for participating and happy 4th July!





2017 Phantom Flyers RC Club Flying Site Mowing & Task Schedule

Weekend dates shown are Friday dates.

Top name (**Bold**) is Captain, responsible for scheduling.
Get with your partners to schedule specific date and time.

Coordinate container access with one of the following people prior to mowing:

**Don Grzina (636) 233-0193, Ed White (636) 441-6431,
Bill Ahrens (314) 913-3819, Mitch Galatioto (636) 734-6322**

Report any equipment or grounds problems to any club officer.

**IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO MOW,
IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO FIND A REPLACEMENT.**

April				
7	14	21	28	
Jim West	Bill Ahrens	Larry Anderson	Scott Watts	
Mitch Adducci	Greg Roberts	Peter George	Don Grzina	
Kevin Cox	Al Bone	Brian Malloy	James Greenwood	
May				
5	12	19	26	
Harold Weaver	David Wortmann	Jack Buydos	Jim Frederick	
Jose Espinosa	Jim Alberico	Jan Jansen	Steve Carey	
Donald Stigall	Emery Kattleman	Mitch Galatioto	Dan Sundman	
June				
2	9	16	25	30
Brad Young	Ed White	Jan Jansen	Dan Sundman	Mitch Adducci
Wes Wallin	John Klein	Harold Weaver	Steve Carey	Jack Buydos
Rick O'Mara	Jim West	Brad Young	Ed White	Al Bone
July				
7	14	21	28	
Doanld Stigall	Wes Wallin	Peter George	Rick O'Mara	
Bill Ahrens	Kevin Cox	Brian Malloy	Emery Kattelmann	
David Wortmann	Greg Roberts	Larry Anderson	Jose Espinosa	
August				
4	11	18	25	
Don Grzina	John Klein	Jose Espinosa	Jim Greenwood	
Jim Alberico	Jim Frederick	Scott Watts	David Wortmann	
Mitch Galatioto	Jim Greenwood	Harold Weaver	Jack Buydos	
September				
1	8	15	22	29
Emery Kattelmann	Steve Carey	Mitch Galatioto	Jim Alberico	Greg Roberts
Mitch Adducci	Bill Ahrens	Donald Stigall	Wes Wallin	Kevin Cox
Jan Jansen	Scott Watts	Rick O'Mara	Don Grzina	Brad Young
October				
6	13	20	27	
Brian Malloy	Al Bone	Jim Frederick	Don Grzina	
Larry Anderson	Dan Sundman	Jim West	Volunteer?	
Peter George	John Klein	Ed White	Volunteer?	

Phantom Flyers RC Event 2017 Calendar mod 3

Event	Date	Day	CD
Snow Fly	1 Jan		Jan Jansen
Vista/Electric Sailplane Contest	13 May	Sat	Ed White
Innsbrook Float Fly	27 May	Sat	Don Vetrone
Vista/Electric Sailplane Contest	3 June	Sat	Jan Jansen
Vista/Electric Sailplane Contest	1 July	Sat	Jan Jansen
Electric Fly ?	15 July	Sat	Your name here
Meet Me In St. Louis Pattern Meet	24 July	Mon	Ed White
Joint Fun Fly at Phantom Field	5 Aug	Sat	Ed White
Vista/Electric Sailplane Contest	19 Aug	Sat	Your name here
Club Pattern Contest	26 Aug	Sat	Ed White
Float Fly Innsbrook	2 Sep	Sat	Don Vetrone
Joint Fun Fly at Wright Flyer's	9 Sep	Sat	WF
Vista/Electric Sailplane Contest	16 Sep	Sat	TBD
Pattern Contest	30 Sep - 1 Oct	Sat-Sun	Ed White
Christmas Dinner	2 Dec	Sat	Jan Jansen

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Check there for the back issues of the Carrier Wave Newsletter, mowing schedule, event calendar and club roster/contact information (handy for mowing).

Articles, pictures and tech notes for publishing in the Carrier Wave are always appreciated. Let us know what you are building, repairing or flying!

Send them to:

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