



TaleSpins

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Next Meeting: March 10th, 2016 at
730pm at the Hospitality House



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Fredericksburg Aeromasters Meeting Minutes

February 11, 2016

Call to Order: Dan Hayworth- Welcomed members, called to order at 7:30 p.m. with 13 present.

Secretary Report: Minutes of January meeting were approved and motion to accept by Art Smith and seconded by Hank Mausolf.

Treasurers Report: Read by Dan Cox and was reported as of 2/11/16.

Checking account balance \$ 1,146.18

Savings account balance \$ 563.21

Total \$ 1709.39

Paid members: Current clubs membership 26. Hank Mausolf made the motion to accept the report, seconded by Dan Cox.

Committee Reports:

Safety - Jim Braithwaite – All is well.

Field - Bruce Simpson – Shed repairs started by Bruce. Work party to be rescheduled.

Training - Jim Chandler – OK

Newsletter – Derek Cox - Fine

Website - Brian Mausolf – Has updated our Club application with current year, AMA Number, and FAA Registration Number.

Old Business:

1. Shelter project on hold, however will continue to use portable shade pop-ups, and will add a table on the back of the current shelter. Jimmy made a motion use \$150.00 on the project, seconded by Dan Cox, and all in favor.

2. Club Patches: need to re-supply, two quotes obtained and estimated cost \$300. Dan Hayworth mad a motion to table this for now, seconded by Art Smith and all in favor.

3. Bruce Simpson - Field work day will be rescheduled, projects reseeding, shed repairs, and field high grass mowing. Prior approval for shed repairs (\$100), brush cutter (\$200). Bruce made the motion to schedule the work day on April 16th (rain date April 23) Jimmy seconded, and all in favor. Project managers are:

- Bruce: Shed repair.
- Jimmy: Adding a table on the back of the current shelter.
- Larry Lycett: Procure brush cutter.

4. Larry Lycett provided an estimate on a walk behind brush cutter rental (Bush Master). They are equal to a small bush hog and are effective in removing small brush like we have. Rental is \$85.00 per day. He believes a good bit of what field needs addressed and could be done in one or two days. Machine is self propelled but can be physically hard on body. If we have 3 or 4 people to spread out work it would be best. Membership will schedule a work day.

5. Dan made motion to send \$100 check to the Heritage Freewill Baptist Church for the use of the church, Matt seconded, all in favor.

6. Dan made motion to send \$100 gift card and a thank you letter to the Foster's for the use of the field, Matt seconded, all in favor.

7. Larry made motion to send \$50 check to the Moss Free Clinic, Dan Cox seconded, all in favor. Action still open.

New Business:

1. AMA Re-charter and Gold Leader Club were sent to the AMA. We have received a letter of confirmation of our continuing Gold Leader Club status. Note... of 71 initial Gold Leader clubs only 13 have remained consecutively active and we are one.
2. The 14 area clubs, including the Northern VA Clubs are flying again as of yesterday.
3. Rep. Bill Shuster, who chairs the House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee, introduced a [new draft](#) of the FAA reauthorization bill, titled the "Aviation Innovation, Reform, and Reauthorization (AIRR) Act." This bill is critical to preserving our voluntary, community-based approach to the model aviation community across the country.
4. Dan Cox has set up a PayPal account for paying club dues. Simply log in to your PayPal account and send funds to fredaeromasters@gmail.com
5. The following is a message from Ed Centanni:

Dan

I have resigned my job in Fredericksburg and started a new one in Orlando Florida. Events happened in a 2 week window in January so I have not had an opportunity to say goodbye to the club at a meeting. I hope you will pass this along to the membership.

I have enjoyed being a member of the Fredericksburg Aeromasters and the friendship of all the members that met. I've had wonderful times flying at Rector Field that I will always remember and I am very thankful for the club and all it does.

Good Luck to you all and keep flying.

Ed Centanni

6. Dan Hayworth opened up discussions in reference to membership and initiation fees. There was much input but no motions were made. Will leave this item open for further discussions.
7. Leslie Greene, Shannon Airport, Hot Cake Breakfast. Members will try to meet at Shannon Airport March 5th at 10:00 a.m. to enjoy the breakfast. Dan will send an email to the membership reminding them of the breakfast.
8. We received a Certificate of Appreciation from the AMA for our participation in the Wounded Warrior Project. Thanks to all that participated.
9. The AOPA “Camping in VA Airports” is hosting a three day event (June 3-5, 2016) at Shannon Airport. We have been invited to come out and participate with our static display and possible a small flying segment in the late afternoon. More to follow on this event.

Please Note: We are now collecting the 2016 Club dues. Checks or Credit Cards will be accepted at our monthly meetings or may be mailed to our Club Treasurer Dan Cox. His mailing address is: Daniel Cox

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The following is the Aeromasters dues structure:

- (a) Family Membership – Fifty dollars (\$50.00) per year.
- (b) Open Membership – Forty-five dollars (\$45.00) per year.
- (c) Senior – (Age 62 and older) – Thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) per year.
- (d) Junior Membership – Twenty dollars (\$20.00) per year for all persons who have not reached 18 years of age by January 1st of the membership year.
- (e) Student Membership – Twenty-Five dollars (\$25.00) per year.

Motion to adjourn: Dan made a motion to adjourn at 8:45p.m., seconded by Dan Cox. All were in favor.

Please contact me at DLCDRAGON@hotmail.com if you have any stories or pictures that you would like to share in the newsletter!