



TaleSpins

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NO GAS/GLOW FLYING BEFORE 12:00 PM ON SUNDAY

Fredericksburg Aeromasters Meeting Minutes

April 10th, 2018

Meeting to Order:

The meeting was called to order by Jim Braithwaite at 730pm with 10 members present.

Treasurer Report by Daniel Cox

Report current as 04/10/18

- Checking 1891.10
- Savings 563.57
- Total 2454.67
- Paid Members 31

All financial information is available on the club web site.

John Gaddy joined the club and has been checked out by club officer to fly- Welcome!

Motion to accept treasurer report made and approved by members present.

Secretary Report by Derek Cox:

- Club renewal to received.
- Motion made to accept the meeting minutes from last month and approved by members present.

Committee Reports

- **Safety** (Jim Braithwaite): No one flying, no issues
- **Newsletter** (Derek Cox): Nothing new.
- **Web Site** (Brian Mausolf): 2018 information updated.
- **Training** (Jim Chandler): Currently one student. Any new students please contact Jim Chandler (jchandler922@comcast.net) for orientation information. Training is planned tentatively Wednesday and Saturdays. Training typically starts around 10am.
- **Field** (Bruce Simpson): Both main field and buffer zone need cut. Neither tractor started. John Deer was out of gas and the other mower battery was weak. Field is very soft. One tractor brought in for maintenance.

Old Business:

1. Watch out for wasps. This needs to be dealt with quickly. Jim Chandler and Derek Cox to get wasp killer. Be careful.
2. Jim to be reminded later in the season to have the Port-a-Potty dumped. Jim reminded. Jim noted that the port-a-potty is not very full yet and the field is too soft for it to be dumped.

3. Field to be fertilized and lyme treated. The field day for spring will conduct general field maintenance on on April 28th starting at 9am. Update: Many trees cut down, field rolled, lyme treated, and fertilized between April 28 and May 4th.

New Business:

1. Jim Chandler to find out about Stafford Night Out to see if the Aeromasters could participate with a static display. This is part of community out reach
2. Looking to restart St. Elmo's day fun fly planned for May 19th. Landing Fees for the event - bring something for the event that could be used as a prize. Cook out and easy flying events. Derek and Jim Chandler. to coordinate with the event. Will be discussed further at the May Meeting
3. Windwalker's Model Aviation Day is scheduled for June 16th. More to details to be provided in future meetings.
4. Shannon Airport static display and possible flight demo on June 2nd. More information to come.

Show And Tell:

1. None

Adjourned:

Motion to adjourn the meeting made at 7:58pm and approved by members present.

Buy/Sell

- Dynafite Giant Scale decathlon - Jim Braithwaite willing to sell for \$170. Brand new condition

Author's Note:

Botom image on the front page provided by John Gaddy.

The top two images are of a rented storage garage from Public Storage converted into a hanger. Thanks to Dan Cox for helping me to set up my new hanger!

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