

November 2016 Rocky Mountain Modeleers Newsletter

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Next Meeting: Wednesday, November 2nd, 6:30 PM, at HobbyTown

A Letter from the President

Greetings Modeleers,

Unlike our upcoming National Elections, our club's October officer elections were minimally controversial. A motion was made to reelect the standing Executive Committee and before the incumbents could protest, the motion passed unanimously. So, once again, your Executive Committee is Jerry Craig (President), Durbin Seidel (Vice President), Dave Dust (Secretary), Jim Ferry (Treasurer) and Joe Wilson (Safety Officer). We look forward to serving at your pleasure.

We don't have a lot on the agenda, so you are invited to add your own. As usual, show and tells are encouraged. I believe that we will also have some items from Tom Keller that may be of interest.

This will be the last business meeting of 2016 since we don't have a meeting in December. Things tend to get busy in December, so you may want to pay your annual dues (\$60) at the

upcoming meeting and be done with it.

Please remember that our indoor meeting location has been switched from Home State Bank. Starting this November 2nd (Wednesday) we will convene in the downstairs **meeting room at HobbyTown** in the Square Mall at 3500 South College Avenue. The Executive Committee will meet at 6:00PM followed by the business meeting at 6:30PM. I hope to see you there.

Jerry Craig President

Minutes of the October 2016 Meeting

Date and Location: Saturday, October 1, 2016 at the Horton Flying Field

Call to Meeting: President Jerry Craig called the meeting to order at 11:00 AM on a Saturday morning with 13 members in attendance, including Vice-President Durbin Seidel, Treasurer Jim Ferry, and Secretary David Dust.

Minutes: The minutes of the September meeting were approved unanimously.

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer Ferry reported the club's current checkbook balance is \$3,204.40 and the savings balance is \$7,524.57. The treasurer's report was approved unanimously.

Safety Officer's Report: On behalf of Safety Officer Wilson, President Craig reminded the membership to "fly safe and have fun"!

Old Business: President Craig briefly described the recent repairs to the runway, including the placement of three new geotextile panels.

New Business: President Craig described that the current officers have agreed to serve another term, if there weren't any additional nominations. Don Vagge's motion to re-elect the current officers was accepted unanimously, thereby re-electing Jerry Craig as President, Durbin Seidel as Vice-President, Jim Ferry as Treasurer, Joe Wilson as the Safety Officer, and David Dust as Secretary for 2017.

2. President Craig described that this winter's meetings will be at the HobbyTown in Fort Collins on the first Wednesday of the month in November, January, February, and March. As before the Executive Committee Meeting starts at 6:00 PM and the Business Meeting starts at 6:30 PM.

3. Secretary Dust made available information regarding registration with the FAA.

Show-And-Tell: Charlie Greeb presented his Top Flite Mini-Contender and described that it is an

“easy flier” with a thick airfoil. Plus Charlie presented a photograph of the Top Flite Contender kit that he had constructed some time ago and indicated that his “large” Contender also had easy flying characteristics.

2. Fred Damm presented the 110” wing that he was modifying to be a two-piece wing with up to four motors.

3. Secretary Dust presented his Phoenix Models Extra 300S (featuring a 57.9” wingspan and 46 sized motor) and described that it flies well using a 4000 mAh – 4 cell battery.

Meeting Adjourned at approximately 11:25 AM.

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Respectfully Submitted,
David Dust
Rocky Mountain Modeleers Secretary



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