



Next Meeting: Saturday, August 3rd, 11:00 AM, at the Horton Flying Field

A Letter from the President

Greetings Modeleers

This coming Saturday (August 3) I hope you will be attending our annual War Bird Fly and BBQ. So, dust off that old Army, Air Force or Navy plane and exercise it this coming weekend. If you don't have a military type aircraft, anything will do.

Last month Durbin lead a group of us to rework the rough areas where the fabric joins the asphalt of the runway. Everyone pitched in and it almost looked like we knew what we were doing! The fabric was lifted and gravel was excavated and a trench was filled with asphalt patch. It looks good and we hope it holds. If you haven't flown off the runway recently, you will be surprised there are no longer bumps to launch or tip over your plane. Now it's a smooth run as you go off the end of the runway into the weeds.

At 11:00 we will break for the club meeting. We will need to nominate officers since the elections are scheduled for our September meeting. The offices of the President and Secretary will be vacant and other officers may also wish to be replaced, so please consider nominating yourself or someone you wish to irritate.

I'll see you at the field on August 3, bring an appetite.

Jerry Craig, President (and counting down)

Date and Location: Saturday, July 6th, 2019 at the Horton Flying Field.

Call to Order: President Jerry Craig called the meeting to order at 11:40 AM with 10 members in attendance, including Vice President Durbin Seidel, Treasurer Jim Ferry, and Secretary David Dust.

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

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer Ferry reported the club's current checkbook balance is \$3305.51 and the savings balance is \$10,648.03. The treasurer's report was approved unanimously.

Safety Officer's Report: On behalf of Safety Officer Wilson, President Craig described that it is better to dump your plane safely away from people, if you lose control of your plane during take-off, instead of flying over the pit area and/or pilot stations.

Old Business: President Craig reminded the membership of the LoveAir fun-fly on Saturday July 13th.

2. Treasurer Ferry reported that he had scheduled the pump-out of the porta-potti for July 14th., in advance of the fun-fly event on August 3rd.

3. Vice-President Seidel tentatively scheduled the replacement of the dirt in-between the geotextile and the asphalt portions of the runway, with asphalt repair material, for Sunday, July 14th.

4. Secretary Dust and President Craig reported on the cleaning of the weather station that had collected a lot of dirt.

5. President Craig reminded the membership of the Club's "Warbirds" fun-fly and BBQ at our next meeting on August 3rd. Charlie Greeb and Dave Dust volunteered to purchase the food for the event and Pat Chant volunteered to do the grilling. Secretary Dust reported that he will send out the "RSVP" email in a few days.

6. Secretary Dust and President Craig reported on the replacement of the mower drive belt and that the mower is working well now.

New Business: President Craig discussed future efforts needed to repair the cracks in the runway and the torn geotextile fabric on the north taxi-way.

Dave Dust presented his Tower Hobbies Ultimate Biplane, which features a 45 inch wingspan and a 46-size motor. Dave reported that the plane fit together well, is made of quality parts, and flies great.

Meeting Adjourned at about 11:03 AM.

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Respectfully Submitted,
David Dust
Rocky Mountain Modeleers Secretary

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