

WRCC Minutes for meeting 06-28-2012

The meeting was held at the Wichita Aviation Museum.

Minutes taken by Scott Stoecker

Richard Bereman called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

It was noted that the elected President and Vice President had to resign their positions. Terry Powel, elected Secretary, is currently acting in the capacity of the President. Richard Bereman, currently elected Treasurer, will temporarily assume the duties of Vice President and Secretary.

There will be a special election at the July 26, 2012 meeting to elect a President and Vice President to fulfill these positions for the remainder of 2012.

Previous meeting minutes: There were no meeting minutes published from the May 31, 2012 meeting.

Visitors: Willie and Malea Struble from Harper, KS.

Reports/Old business:

Treasurer Report:

- As of the end of June, we had a balance of \$10, 192.07.

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News Letter:

- There was no news letter published for June 2012.

Field Reports:

Chapin:

- Marvin Blankenship gave a report about the event that was held for Exploration Place. There were 15 kids and 4 adults in attendance. Jerry Salter had the WRCC club trainer and Mike Tallman had his Sig Kadet LT-40 trainer for the event. If possible, this event will become a yearly event.
- Mike Tallman held a fun fly even on June 16, 2012 with 25 pilots in attendance. The events included:
 - 3 minute timed flight
 - 15 entries
 - The event was won by Elden Schniepp with a time of 2 minutes 58.8 seconds.
 - Las Vegas Rolls
 - 8 entries

- The chopper team of Dave Wise, Kevin Victor and Brian Morris with a time of 33.05 seconds.
 - Musical Circuits
 - There were 3 entries
 - The event was won by Russ Fitzpatrick.
- Congratulations to everybody who worked to get Chapin Field ready and looking as nice as it is.

Lake Afton:

- Mike Tallman reports that everything is OK.
- New picnic tables have been placed at the field by the park to replace the stolen picnic tables.

Events:

- The Derby Club (DRCC) is holding an E-fly/Swap Meet on Saturday August 18, 2012 from 1:00pm to 6:00pm at the Oaklawn Activity Center located at 4900 S Clifton. It's located just south of 47th street and just west of K-15. A map to the location can be found through the WRCC website calendar for August 18, or the Derby RC Club website (through the links on the WRCC website, or through the Derby RC Club website: www.flydrcc.org). Ken Chadwick is the DRCC contact for this event. His contact information is on the DRCC website.

New Business:

WRCC on facebook:

- Richard Bereman is going to set up a Facebook group for the WRCC. The intent is to try and draw younger members to the club.

Signs for Chapin Field:

- There is no change status of the new signs for the field. Russ Fitzpatrick was handling the issue.
- We need to check with the city on the sign status. Per the Parks Department rules, the city has to design and approve the all signs that are posted at Chapin Park.

2013 Auction:

- Terry Powel will consider running the 2013 Auction.
- Terry will start looking for possible new location. Cost, size and availability are all issues that need to be considered for any venue.
- Since the annual auction is the big money maker for the club, we have to have more WRCC members working the auction, not just bidding on the items. For the 2012 auction there were only 8 WRCC members who were assisted by 3 DRCC club members. We should not have to depend on other clubs to work the auction for us since we

definitely have more than enough members to provide a rotation and not have just a few members work the auction from beginning to end.

- If there are not enough members to work the 2013 auction, the auction may not continue and other alternatives will have to be considered in the future to make up for the lost revenue.

Show-n-Tell:

- Doug Burright showed his Fancy Foam Fenix park flyer.

Attendance drawing:

- \$40.00 – Arron Smith was drawn but was not in attendance.
- The attendance drawing for the July 26, 2012 meeting will be \$45.00.

The meeting was adjourned 7:45pm.