

# WRCC Minutes for meeting 07-26-2012

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.

## **New Business:**

**Previous meeting minutes:** Minutes for the meeting of June 28, 2012 were taken by Scott Stoecker and posted on the WRCC Website. The minutes were accepted without any changes.

**New Member:** Jeremy Culver was attending his first meeting as a new WRCC club member.

## **Reports/Old business:**

### **Treasurer Report:**

- As of the end of July, we have a balance of \$10, 136.56.

### **Field Reports:**

### **Safety Report:**

- Marvin Blankenship reported that there has been no safety issues brought to his attention.

### **Chapin:**

- Lynn Just reported that somebody stole the windsock.
- It was noted that Chapin Field opens at 5:00am and closes at midnight.

### **Lake Afton:**

- Mike Tallman reports that everything is OK.
- New picnic tables are still in place.

### **Website:**

- Richard Bereman is working on the new WRCC Facebook. The page has been created but is currently under construction thus has not been unlocked for public access.

## **Events:**

- Combat Event at Lake Afton on August 03-05, 2012:
  - Friday August 03, 2012 will be for Scale Combat, and is scheduled from 9:00am to 5:00pm.
  - Saturday August 04, 2012 will be the SSC class which is suitable for beginning combat flyers, and is scheduled from 9:00am to 5:00pm.
  - Sunday August 05, 2012 will be for the Open Class B combat, and is scheduled to start at 9:00am.
  - This is a sanctioned open event and AMA is required.
- 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 (GPS Location: 97.292039, 37.603133). It's located just south of 47<sup>th</sup> street and just west of K-15.
  - Ken Chadwick is the DRCC contact for this event and can be contacted at 524-6633, or klchadwick@cox.net.
  - A map to the location can be found through the WRCC website calendar for August 18.
  - Free parking, full size gym for flying.
  - Spectator/Buyer admission is \$2.00
  - Seller's tables are \$10.00 each.
  - Pilot's fee is \$5:00. AMA is required.
  - There will be door prizes for sellers and pilots.

## **Old Business**

- The signs for the Chapin Field are still being worked on by the City. At this time there is no estimated timeframe for the city to finish the signs.

## **2013 Auction:**

- Terry Powel and Scott Stoecker looked at the Aviation Museum for a possible new site for the WRCC 2013 auction.
- We need to get a price from the museum and also volunteers to work it.
- Data needs to be gathered for the cost of different venue's to determine the best possible location for the 2013 auction.
- It was suggested that committee be formed to look into alternate venues for the auction, and the costs that will be involved. Members of the committee are: Dave Wise, Ken Chadwick, Richard Bereman, Terry Powel, Brad Smith, Scott Stoecker and Roger Burright
- Roger Burright will be heading up the committee.

## **Special Election for President and Vice President:**

- An official quorum of the WRCC membership was present for this meeting. A special election was held for the positions of President and Vice President since the resignation of the previously elected President and Vice President. These positions will be to fill the positions in for the remainder of 2012.

- Mike Talman and Roger Burright both accepted nomination for President for the remainder of 2012.
- Mike Talman was elected President.
- After the vote for President was taken, a short discussion was held, motioned and approved to offer Roger Burright the position of Vice President if he would accept it with the condition that he could decline proceeding to the position of President for 2013. Roger accepted the position of Vice President for the remainder of 2012.
- **Special Award:**
  - Due to the hard work and dedication to the club while he was with the WRCC, it was voted that the club present Russ Fitzpatrick with a special award.

### Show-n-Tell:

- Doug Burright brought two planes in for show-n-tell:
  - **Scratch built Curare.** Doug has a lot of documentation on the original Curare by Hano Prettner which was flown in World Class FAI Pattern Competition back in the 1970's. Doug's is a scaled down electric powered version with a scratch built EPP foam fuselage, and a foam wing, horizontal stab/elevator and landing gear from a GWS model. It was painted with acrylic paint. On interesting feature was the canopy was covered with tissue saturated with white glue which makes for a very hard surface. The decals where printed on an inkjet with decal paper for plastic models that is available at local hobby shops.





- **Balsa USA Smoothie II.** This was built from an original kit that dates back to the 1970's. Power an Italian Super Tiger GS-40. It has a pilot with custom made sunglasses, rear view mirrors by the canopy, and an instrument panel. The pilots name on the cockpit side and various markings are made from decal paper on an ink jet printer. The wheel pants are hand made from balsa as are the landing gear fairings cover the wire landing gear, and the shape of the rudder and tail were changed. The wing is equipped with custom flaps that also work as airbrakes similar the original Curare. Covering is Ultracote while the stripes on the wing and fuselage are painted.



**Attendance drawing:**

- \$45.00 – was won by Mark Kilby who was in attendance and had his name tag with him.

The meeting was adjourned by Richard Bereman at 8:02pm.