

THE EUTAWVILLE FLIERS CLUB NEWS LETTER

JUNE 25TH 2008

THE MEETING WAS HELD AT THE ALPINE RESTAURANT IN EUTAWVILLE

There were a total of 20 members and visitors present for the meeting on Wednesday night. They are listed in no particular order below:

RUT & JEAN CONNOR	GERRY DUFRESNE	BOBBY JOHNSON
SPENCER & JANIE EDMONDS	PHILLIP WINNINGHAM	ROY SMITH
BOB & JOY LOVE	NELSON & GWEN CARTER	DENNIS MARTIN
GEM MENYNARDIE	ALLAN PERNIGOTTI	HERB AVINGER
KEN MAHONEY & SHANE	LLOYD SANDERSON	GENE GUTHAN

Before we get to the meeting, I would like to report some items that had to be omitted from the last news letter because of its length.

Allan Pernigotti built two new flight stands for the field and donated the cost of one of them. They look great and serve the club well.

Roy donated another stand that he had at home.

Ken finished up the electrical work on the trailer and donated the materials.

Herb donated \$30.00 to our gas fund for mowing.

Paul donated the new wind sock and cones used at the flyin, also printed materials used for the flyin.

On behalf of the Eutawville Fliers Club we wish to thank these members for their generosity and their efforts.

Spencer opened the meeting promptly at 1900 hrs.

He called for the approval of the Treasury report and the minutes of the last meeting. Both were approved as received or read.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

There were no announcements offered.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

_Grounds committee, Gene reported to the membership that the Snapper will have to go to the shop for repairs; it has marginal power on the right stick, probably a bad servo or leaking actuator. We are only cutting the field every other week so after the next cut, Danny will have two weeks to get it fixed. This will be done.

Spencer said field was ok and this week mowing will be skipped. Hot weather and lack of rain keeps grass dormant, most of our field now has been taken over by a thorny growth so there is not much to grow anymore.

Spencer asked for mowing volunteers for the following week. Bob Love and Ken Mahoney will do it.

Spencer made arrangements for the trash to be removed from the field containers. This will be done in next few days.

Members are strongly urged to pick up any trash they see. We want the field to remain pristine in appearance. Don't be afraid to bend over, the exercise will be good for you.

OLD BUSINESS:

The president opened old business: Dennis brought up his Flyin in the fall and asked what we should have in the way of food. It was agreed the standard dogs and burgers will be the fare. Spencer said it was too early for that.

Bobby brought up the club picnic on this July the 5th. This was discussed and Spencer said that this was a club fun fly for members and their families. No sanctioned events. Members are invited to bring a covered dish to the event. The meat will be supplied by the club. Roy said he would bring his mobile cooker down. Bobby suggested that he also do the cooking, we don't know about that.

Bobby will get the burgers and dogs for the event.

NEW BUSINESS:

Spence asked for any new business: no one offered so Spence read an e-mail given to him by Gene from Paul. Paul was under the weather and could not attend tonight. Paul suggested that we might get our students along quicker if we had more instructors available. He suggested that Roy and Ken, our new Intro Pilots be given instructor status to better serve our students. Some of our students have been flying for a year and have not soloed yet. That is discouraging for a new pilot member.

It was voted on and approved.

CRASH AWARDS:

Spencer opened the nominations: Craigh, Dennis, Nelson, Each crash was explained; Craigh was the winner and will receive the month's award.

It was a very short meeting, not really worth the trip for the people who have to drive any distance, especially with the price of gas. The club should entertain the idea of having a meeting every other month. In the summer there is so much discussion at the field that there is not a lot new to bring to the meetings.

Next meeting is scheduled for July 23rd at 7pm, Alpine Restaurant, Eutawville.

GOD BLESS OUR CLUB AND ITS MEMBERS.

Gene