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October's Meeting Minutes

October 13, 2009

The meeting was opened by President Fitch at 6:58 PM with 14 members present.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with on a motion by Tucker seconded by Kirk .

The Treasurer reported checking balance of 1591.29, savings acct balance of 62.06and contingency fund balance of 3616.98. The report was accepted as read.

Bills: Mower maintenance, and fun fly food they were approved on a motion by Decker, seconded by Tucker.

AMA Liaison: no report

Safety Officer: no report

Field Marshall: The mower will be left at the field for the winter, otherwise no report.

Old Business:

Dale Butts volunteered to mow next year if it is necessary before the Schedule takes effect, Rick

Fitch will also help if needed.

Dale has equipment to brush hog the areas surrounding the field, but has no way to transport it to the field, we will find a way to do so.

Runway is to be extended beginning at the Eastern tree line and ending approximately 10 feet from the road.

Banquet: we will have a dish to pass dinner on Feb. 13th, 2010 to be held at Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran church on Fasset lane. The members are provide the dishe(s) to pass, not the wives etc. The President indicated we would start at 6 pm with a monthly meeting--the 7 minute meeting length from earlier in the year was challenged! At the January meeting it will be decided who brings what.

We will attempt to find a 10 X20 foot shelter that would be stored in the flight shack out of season, the members are encouraged to see what we can get

reasonably.

The Lease committee will check with Herb Vaughn and report back.

Nick Reitter asked the club to participate in a fund raiser for the Genesee Library on November 21 from 10 to 4 pm this would be a static display and information for the public. He also stated that he still has club hats at \$4.00 .

Winter program, the President suggested we all bring in models we are working on--after all we are a model airplane club!

Indoor flying may be possible somewhere at Alfred University, more information later.

Vo Decker showed how he applies monokote to make one of a kind trim schemes. Nick Reitter showed the progress he is making on his Electric Cub.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 pm on a motion by Sanders. The 50/50 was won by Vyle Bundy

**Respectfully Submitted,
William C. Willson, Secretary**

**Reminder -
2010 dues
are now due.
\$40.00**

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*Happy
Thanksgiving!*



Pictures are of John Tucker's P-51 Mustang by Great Planes. Picture courtesy of John Tucker. Please email Vo Decker any winter projects you're working on for future newsletters.



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Meet and Greet - William Willson

William Willson is our club's Secretary and props to his lovely wife Liz who faithfully types and sends to us meeting minutes.

Bill lives in Scio on Corbin Hill Road and started flying in 1976. He's been flying for 33 years.

He became interested in flying as he tried control line (C/L) and wanted to try radio control (R/C).

A major change he's noticed through the years is frequencies/radios. Dick

Layton of Olean first taught Bill to fly.

Bill used to work as a Lutheran Clergyman and Hospital Pharmacist.

One of his favorite memories is attempting to do a formation takeoff that turned into a fur ball.

Thanks for the insight Bill and for being such an integral part of the club. Keep sending in those forms - there are many of you we still haven't spotlighted.

A note from your favorite editing duet!

Sorry for the delay in getting these sent out. I am already working on December's newsletter so I promise it will be prompt.

The flying season must be really over as Vo finally unloaded the trailer and found homes for all of his airplanes in the basement.

I'm sure as all of you are—he's hoping for a quick winter. Snowblowing and shoveling isn't quite as much fun for him as spending a day at the field. Have a great Thanksgiving all!

Warmly,
Rebecca

