



TaleSpins

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Fredericksburg Aeromasters Meeting Minutes

November 10, 2016

Meeting to order:

The meeting was called to order by Jim Braithwaite at 7:30 with 8 members present.

Secretary Report by Dan Cox (for Jim Chandler)

- Correction to the correction to the September Meeting Minutes - There was 6 members present not 13 as reported
- Motion to accept September meeting minutes made by Hank Mausolf, seconded by Dan Cox and approved by the members present,

Treasurer Report by Dan Cox

- Checking 1003.65
- Savings 563.25
- Total 11566.90
- Paid Members 32
- Motion to accept Treasurer's report made by Dave Kimmel, seconded by Jim Braithwaite and approved by the members present.

Committee Reports

- **Safety** (Jim Braithwaite): No report, all good.
- **Newsletter** (Derek Cox): No report, all good.
- **Web Site** (Brian Mausolf): No report, all good. Site renewal fee of \$16.99 is due; a check was written to cover the amount.
- **Training** (Jim Chandler): The Club Trainers have not been flown all year. Jim to check out and fly.
- **Field** (Bruce Simpson):
 - The field looks good.
 - Field day was conducted on November 5. The shelter back shelf was replaced, the

shed floor was repaired, shed trim was replaced and the shed was painted. Field bushhogging will be deferred until spring. Thanks to everyone who came out to help.

Old Business:

1. Shannon Airport Fall Fest

The Shannon Fall Fest held on October 29 was a great success. The Aeromasters and the Windwalkers combined to put together a terrific static display. The flying demonstrations by Hank and Brian Mausolf, Jim Braithwaite and Jim Chandler were outstanding. Jim Braithwaite had some competition when a Flying Circus Stearman landed on the closed runway while he was flying. The entire day was enjoyed by all. Pictures and a 360 degree video from Brian's octocopter are posted in the Media Library on the club web site.

2. Mall Show

The mall show will be on Saturday November 12 from 2 to 6 PM. Please make every effort to show up and bring a plane or two. We will be in the same area as last year near the food court.

New Business:

1. Modeler of the Year: Nominations for Modeler of the Year were collected from the members present. Jim Chandler will send out an email with the nominees and request additional nominations. Voting will take place at the December meeting or by email.
2. The annual club dinner is tentatively scheduled for January 14, 2017 with a backup date of January 21 if the church isn't available. Karl Hodgson will make the arrangements with the church. Details will be discussed at the December meeting.
3. Dues for 2017 are being collected and due no later than February 2017. You can bring a check or cash to the club meeting/dinner, mail a check to Dan Cox (43 Royal Hills Dr., Fredericksburg, VA 22406) or pay via PayPal by sending funds to fredaeromasters@gmail.com. Dues are \$45 for open membership, \$35 for seniors (over 62) and \$50 for a family membership.

Adjourned:

Motion to Adjourn made by Dan Cox, seconded by Larry Lycett, and approved by members present. Meeting was adjourned at 8:10.

Shannon Airport Pictures











Author's Note:

Please contact me at DLCDRAGON@hotmail.com if you have any stories or pictures that you would like to share in the newsletter!