June 2011 Minutes - 6/14/11

The meeting was open at approximately 7:00

Club Treasure, R. Stauffer reported an operating balance of \$4,161.11 in addition to \$5,000.00 we still have in the future fund. He also reported that by the end of the meeting, and after voting in two new members and three returning members, the membership will consist of 75 paid members.

Minutes prepared by K. Blackford from the May meeting were read and approved.

OLD BUSINESS

- Nathan Bartley reported progress on welding up the brackets for the solar panels. The panels are targeted to be installed before the Dragonfly Helicopter event.
- Butch Fortin and Butch Pendergrass are planning to move the storage shelter to be used for lawn equipment before the next meeting. The exact date to be determined based on the availability of the front end loader. The move is planned for a Saturday. Butch Fortin will contact moving crew volunteers for assist. Crew volunteers (Bartley, Stauffer, Arguelllo, Grimes).
- Yard sale was held as planned on June 4th. The club made \$511.30. Great show! Holding another yard sale in the fall is under discussion.
- A Friday night cook-out was held on June 10th. Participation was low due to rain earlier in the evening and lack of notification. Another Friday Night Pot Luck Cook-Out is planned for July 1. Details to be provided via our website and e-mail by K. Blackford.

NEW BUSINESS

- The upcoming Dragonfly Helicopter Fly-In scheduled for July 16th & 17th was discussed. We will need volunteers on July 15th for field set-up and 5 to 7 members each day to support the event. Volunteers will be identified at the July Club meeting.
- Plans made last year to put down an agro-mat to be used as a light aircraft runway were initiated. N. Bartley will head the project. He will procure the 430' X 12.5' mat and anchors and get it to the field for installation. The plan is to lay down a 100' X 12.5' strip and evaluate it. If adjustments to length or width need to be made, additional mat will be laid. Volunteers to help with the installation are (Garner, Stauffer, Arcure, Simmons, Hauck). The left-over mat will be stored by D. Hudson for future runway refurbishment. N. Bartley will contact the volunteers to assist on

installation (probably on a Saturday).

- A small windsock was purchased by E. Wolfkamp. It is located at the perimeter of the flying field and provides wind information at runway level. The club approved purchase.
- Tony Simmons will be in charge of upgrading the Heli-Deli. The plans include closing in some sides and providing a buffet style set-up to serve food. Plans as to when the work will start have not been defined but will be completed before the Dragonfly Heli Event.

New members....... Matt Balazs and Bill Smith were voted in.

50/50 was won by Gary Hauck......who netted \$21.00 (Club got \$20)

As a reminder, the 2011 remaining event dates are:

- July 16-17th (Dragon Fly Heli Event) field event -
- August 6th (Swap Meet)
- August 25-28th (Randy Covington Electric Fly-In) field event -
- October 13-16th (Giant Scale Event) field event -