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President's Plug

By
Jim Bauer

It looks like the good flying weather has ended. We had some spectacular flying days this fall. All in all its been another great year, we ended up with 63 members, had 2 successful flyins, another fun October picnic and the field keeps getting better and better. Don't forget we have our last meeting of the year coming up on November 20th, try and make it if you can it would be great to see everyone just before the holidays.

We are accepting 2009 dues, a few have already sent theirs in. Christy and I would like to thank everyone who supported the club thru your membership, all the volunteers who helped in any capacity with the field and the flyins and just your moral support and friendship. Have a safe upcoming holiday season.

Don't forget the meeting this Thursday Nov. 20th.

Hope to see you.
Jim

Next Meeting

Thursday

November 20, 2008

7:00 PM

**St. Peters
Senior Citizens Center**

Open Topics

See You There!



Secretary's Minutes

As recorded by
John Bolesa

The meeting was called to order at 8 pm with 3 officers and 12 members in attendance.

The Treasurer reported \$4354.21 in our checking and \$129.09 in our PayPal account with a \$315 payment for tractor insurance outstanding. We currently have 56 members.

The Safety Chairman reminded us to be careful in the corn because of the possibility of disorientation. Try to search with a partner and use a long stick and cell phones to communicate so as not to get lost.

The Field Chairman reported that the grass was cut and rolled on 9-17 and there are plans for spiking, seeding and fertilizing. She also requested that crashes be reported so she could be alert for plane debris that might hurt the mower.

Old business was a report on the success of the flyin and Huckfest. The monetary breakdown is as follows:
Flyin: \$1009.30 profit
New member dues: \$575
Huckfest: \$2389.36 profit.

Huckfest income was \$30 from fireworks donations, \$83.75 from parking donations, \$1180 from pilot registrations, \$1343 from the raffle and \$1348 from food. Expenses are documented elsewhere with late additional expenses of \$500 for fireworks and \$200 for snow cone supplies.

New Business confirmed the 10-12 date for the club picnic. A signup sheet was available.

Next year's meeting schedule was discussed at length and finally it was decided that the current meeting room would be reserved for 12 meetings and there would be at least 4 business meetings with the rest of the dates being used for social gatherings and event planning.

Door Prizes compliments

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Openings are available for club officers and 2 board positions. Al Rivera volunteered to stay on and Jason Cohen volunteered for one of the two remaining Positions. Decisions will be made at the November meeting. Mark Twain gift cards were won by Jim and Christy Bauer, Steve Chappell Vince Russo. Christy returned hers and then Al Rivera won it.

There are flyins in Eureka this weekend and at Buder and Roxanna at the end of the month.

Meeting adjourned at 8:12 pm.

TEAM WORK

A man was driving down a muddy road and slid into the ditch. He walked to the nearest farmers house and asked if the farmer could help pull him out of the ditch. The farmer said he would be glad to help but he only had one horse and it was blind. They hooked the horse to the car and the farmer said pull Harry the horse did nothing. The farmer called out pull Charley the horse did nothing. The farmer called out pull Stanley the horse did nothing. The farmer called out pull Sammy the horse began to pull and the car came out of the ditch. The man asked the farmer why he had to call all those other names first and the farmer replied "Mind you now the horse is blind and if he thought he had to pull the car out by himself he wouldn't have tried as hard."

YOU BE THE JUDGE

An elderly man just suffered a stroke and was in the hospital with his wife at his side. He said to his wife your always at my side. When I gambled all our money away your at my side. When I lost everything in the stock market there you where. When I had the alcohol problem you were right there at my side and now with this stroke you are here at my side. I have drawn a conclusion that having you at my side is bad luck.