

Mount Pleasant Model Aircraft Club

February 19, 2011 Monthly Meeting

Mt Pleasant Airport Terminal

Members Present:

Al Haynes, Brian Krulicki, George Jennings, Norm Eifler, Milo Frisbee, Monte Stratton, Remington Frisbie, Steve Worth, William Dittenber, Jerry Pontious, Rick Johnson, Randy Gibson, Mark Manley

Meeting called to order at 1:10 pm

- Reviewed January 2011 minutes. Motion by Steve to approve minutes...seconded by George....motion carried.
- Treasurer's Report. Beginning balance \$1543.51, Income of \$200.00 from dues, No Expenses, Current Balance of \$1743.51. Motion by Al to approve the treasurer's report, seconded by Monte, motion carried. We have a total of 19 Paid members as of 2/19/2011.
- George discussed sponsoring trophies for the Isabella County Fair. Motion by Al to renew our trophy sponsorship, seconded by Bill, motion carried.
- Discussion regarding the opening field on April 16, 2011. George discussed having some weed killer applied again. Steve mentioned applying lime and fertilizer to the field. Steve will check prices on Lime and Triple 12 fertilizer and report back in March. Rain date is scheduled as the following Saturday, April 23, 2011.

- Randy brought some sample ID cards for members to look at. The cost of a ribbon for printing the cards is approximately \$160.00. Norm makes a motion to cut a check for \$80 to Randy for the cost of a ribbon for our ID cards. Seconded by Rick, motion carried. All members need to bring their AMA cards to the March meeting for scanning.
- Randy discussed the new DSMX replacement for the Spektrum/JR radios. The new DSMX is a frequency hopping system similar to the Futaba FASST system. The new DSMX is backwards compatible to all old DSM2 Rx's. The new DX8 radio requires a software upgrade, all other DSM2 radios need to be reprogrammed by the factory for an approximate charge of \$75.
- Randy is having the MMRCHA Spring Fling on May 14 & 15. He showed the new shirts for the Spring Fling. Randy gave an open invite to come help at the MMRCHA Spring Fling.
- Brian showed the updates he made to the club website. He will add a roster page to the website.
- George gave us a presentation on the introduction to electric flight. Thank you to George for volunteering to give a presentation.

Rick makes motion to adjourn, seconded by Milo. Motion approved.

Meeting adjourned at 3:09 pm

Next Meeting is **March 19, 2011 at the Mount Pleasant Municipal Airport Terminal Building at 1:00 pm.**

Minutes taken by Brian Krulicki

