

Club Information

President: Don Bourdon Vice President: Brett Springall Secretary/Treasurer: Seth Nagy Safety Officer: Chuck Byrd Field Marshall: Ron Miller

Assistant Field Marshall: Tony Triplett Intro Pilots: Seth Nagy, Vic Welland, & William Bradshaw

A Note From The President

The AMA 2009 membership drive is in full swing. Increasing an organization's membership, both AMA and CAM, is key to their strength and future. This hobby has changed a lot over the years making it easier than ever to get started in RC flying. Just like those who helped you get started, you are now the support base to introduce potential new members to the hobby. It all begins with you.

Our second major flying event of the year is coming up in a few weeks. Dust off those gliders and plan on joining other glider guiders for a day of relaxing flying on Sat, May 30. It should prove to be a most interesting day.

I look forward to seeing you on the flying field. *Don*



Next Meeting The next club meeting is Tuesday, May 19 7:00 pm at CAM Field.

Meeting Agenda

Welcome Everyone

Approve Meeting Agenda

New Member Applications

Reports

Secretary/Treasurer Reports
Minutes
Financial
Membership
Safety Report
Field Report
Intro Pilot Report

Old Business

CAM Fun Soar Speed Rally Club Sign

New Business

AMA Membership Drive Reciprocal club memberships

Announcements

CAM Fun Soar, May 30, 2009 CAM Speed Rally, June 27, 2009

Monthly Presentation -- E-Combat Demo

Adjourn Business Session till June 16 at the field

Auction & Show-N-Tell

March meeting minutes

The meeting opened at 7:00 pm with the approval of the agenda.

Donavon Wakefield & Michael Kirby were voted in as club members.

The March Minutes were approved as published in the newsletter.

The treasurer reported the club has \$2,506.60.

Vic Welland reported he had introduced an acquaintance to RC flying and let him fly his trainer. Seth Nagy stated has been working with Donavon Wakefield and that Donavon has soloed!

Old Business

Field Day Spruce Up / Work Day - Don Reported six members showed up to work at the field March 21 (Seth Nagy, Don Nordstrom, Vic Welland, Doug Coffey, Jack Adams, and Don Bourdon). Don Bourdon, Vic Welland, and Doug Coffey have been working on painting the field tables and bleachers since the workday.

CAM Fun Soar - Is set for May 30. Vic Welland will be the event CD. The flyer is posted on our website "http://caldwellaeromodelers.com" and available at Trains Planes and Automobiles. Vic asked for helpers for the event. Steve Abee volunteered to run the impound table, and Michael Kirby offered to take pictures. Lee Parker will have a winch to launch sail planes and tow planes will be available.

Speed Rally - Will discuss the event at the next meeting, but helpers will be needed.

Roster - Don Bourdon handed out the phone tree (a.k.a. recall roster) so the membership can be contacted.

New Business

Field Sign - Gary Pearson resented the sketch of the field sign. The membership agreed with the wording and sign layout. The sign should be ready well before the May 30th fun soar event. Gary was also asked to have two signs made for the pit fence so spectators will know to stay behind the fence and off the active runway. The club approved \$40 and the wording is to be "PILOTS ONLY" on the first line and "AMA Required" on the second.

Next meeting - will be at the field. There will be an electric combat demonstration at the meeting. If you are interested in participating contact Vic Welland.

The meeting was adjourned

Auction

Brett Springall donated a 4 channel radio and receiver. After much bidding Don Bourdon won with a final bid of \$26.

From the Editor

We have a busy time coming up for our club in the next two months. First, the Fun Soar in less than two weeks and our Speed Rally at the end of June. These two events are excellent opportunities for us as pilots and club members to reach out to those we know of that have had a passing interest in our sport but just never got going with it. An event like these at our home field lets our other friends see that we have a great group of people that share our sport. We also have a little more time to show them around instead of being wrapped up in getting our weekly dose of flying in. They might enjoy seeing the variety of different planes that visitors bring to our event as well. There will also be instructor pilots on hand for free flight instruction. Last year at the speed rally this opportunity was enjoyed by several visitors.