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MEMBER MEETING MINUTES ~

President Harry Semenko called the meeting to order at 2:00 PM, Sunday, September 24th with 17 Members and 1 guest present.

Minutes from the August meeting were read by Jason Taylor and were approved as read.

The Treasurer's report was read by Dana Morgan and approved as read.

Old Business ~

As discussed at the last meeting, "MARKS RC CLUB WELCOMES DRONE PILOTS" has been added to the MARKS Webpage. Footnote: James Culp who provides the server for our Webpage is moving to Florida. The Page will be down for a short period while he moves the server.

New Business ~

Jim Waybright gave the following report on the status of the flying field:

Due to flooding, the well pump is out of service. Robert English found the Club a 2.5hp pump that works great. A plan is in place to request permission from Bill Young to raise the height of the current pump house and install the new pump next Spring.

The 54" Craftsman mower suffered from another fire. The fire extinguisher on the mower did not work; however, Jim was able to grab another extinguisher and put out the fire. There was no damage to the mower. Another fire extinguisher has been purchased.

President Semenko found the Club a used 48" Husqvarna mower for \$150.00. The Board approved the purchase and the use of the mower for parts.

MARKS received \$40.00 in donations for gas, \$20.00 for August and \$20.00 for September. John Carroll also donated 5 gallons of gas.

President Semenko opened the floor to a discussion about the date and location for the Christmas Party and meeting. Several locations were discussed with the final two being Denny's and Goin' Nuts Cafe. There were 10 votes for Denny's and 2 votes for Goin' Nuts Cafe. There was further discussion about the...

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President's Thoughts

Hello Marksmen ~

Sunday, September 24th, was a great day for flying, and we certainly did. The highlight of the day was the test flight of "Caje's" new airplane, piloted by Jason Taylor. Jason did a fantastic job. As the plane went dead stick, he brought her in with no damage. And thank you to Ray Carlson for cooking for those who wanted to eat.

It was also a great day for the meeting which turned out well with good attendance. Lots of issues were settled including receiving nominations for the offices of President and Vice-President. We decided to have the Christmas dinner meeting at Denny's in Fruitland on Thursday, December 7th at 6:30 PM. If you would like to attend the dinner meeting, please let me know by October 29th by texting me at 410-422-2164 or emailing me at madrushkie@gmail.com or hrsem@hotmail.com.

The auction after the last meeting was profitable to the Club; thanks to those who donated the items.

Until next time, be safe and God Bless.

Harry

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Upcoming Events at Waybright Field

Monthly Membership Meeting
October, 29th



Please Do Not Exceed the 10 MPH speed limit when driving in or out of our flying field!

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...date and time for the Party and meeting. A motion was made and carried to have the event on December 5, 2017, at 6:30 PM, with an alternative date of December 12, 2017.

President Semenko opened the floor to nominations for President and Vice-President for the 2018 - 2020 term. Jim Waybright nominated Harry Semenko for President. The nomination was seconded and with there being no other persons nominated, nominations for President were closed.

"Caje" Chandler nominated Raymond Carlson for Vice-President. The nomination was seconded and with there being no other persons nominated, nominations for Vice-President were closed.

President Semenko opened the floor to a discussion about the future of the Yazoo mower including a discussion on taking the mower to the scrap yard. Jim Waybright made a motion to store the mower at the back of the building. The motion was approved. Jim Waybright noted that another Yazoo mower, advertised as being in good condition, has been found across the Bay.

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All Season Flyers 2017

Congratulations to the following MARKS members who have achieved All Season Flyer status through September 24th by flying and registering their flights ~



Tom Bell
Ray Bertrand
John Burnett
Ray Carlson

John Carroll
"Caje" Chandler
Elmer McKay
Harry Semenko

Jason Taylor
Jon Watson
Jim Waybright

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After extensive discussion, authority was given to Jim Waybright to evaluate the condition of the advertised Yazoo mower and if satisfied with the condition, to spend up to \$1,000.00 to purchase the mower.

President Semenko opened the floor to a discussion about the New Year's Day Fun Fly which will be held on January 1, 2018. Please bring a covered dish.

A discussion regarding a Fall Field Clean Up Day resulted in October 7th as the selected date. All members able to assist please arrive around 10:00 AM.

Jim Waybright announced that a number of members deserved Honorable Mention, namely, John Burnett for painting one of the mowers, "Caje" Chandler and John Burnett for mower repairs, and Robert English for the use of a trailer.

A discussion about appointing a committee for Fun Fly's including the annual MARKS Airshow resulted in John Haffner being named Chairman of the newly formed Committee.

With no other business to discuss, a motion was made and passed to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

Jason Taylor, Secretary



Waybright Field from the air



MARKS meeting September 24, 2017

