

## State College Radio Control Club Tuesday February 4<sup>th</sup> 2014 Meeting Minutes

Ron Lueth called the meeting to order at 7:00. No new members or guests were in attendance.

- The minutes from the January 15<sup>th</sup> meeting were approved.
- Jon Guizar reported that we are now up to 25 members including 3 junior members. Of the \$400 allocated to subsidize indoor flying sessions, we have \$120 remaining. The average attendance for indoor flying is 12 members while 16 at \$10 each are needed to break even. Woody Bream move to accept the report. Al Jones seconded. Motion carried.
- Unfinished business –

SCRC Online Membership Renewal Form. This is just a reminder to all new applicants and renewing members to please use the new form, even if they are paying in person because this is how we keep membership records up to date.

New Member Orientation & Documentation. Homer Rhodes received correspondence suggesting that the document was too glow engine oriented so he went thought it again. He added a statement about having the instructor adapt the standard checklist to the particular type of aircraft being flown; otherwise there would be too many separate checklists. Ron Lueth will send one more drawing for Homer to add the document then it will be declared as being done and sent to Todd Cook for posting on our website.

Officers Nomination and Election. Al Jones wrote the names of the nominees. After asking if there were any more nominations, Al's motion to close the process passed. Members passed the motion to accept the slate of officer candidates as presented. The SCRC officers for 2014 are as follows:

President	Jon Guizar
Vice President	Woody Bream
Treasurer	Doug Shultz
Secretary	Daryl Allen
Safety Coordinator	Homer Rhodes

The two additional board members are Ron Lueth and Todd Cook. Field Coordinator is Al Jones. Web Presence is Todd Cook. For Lead Flight Instructor, we have to see if Karl Stashak is willing to continue on. The Event Coordinator is Ron Lueth. Thanks to Al and the committee. Thanks to the officers for accepting nominations and many thanks to Ron Lueth for his five years of dedicated service as our president.

- New business –

Banquet Discussions. Ron reported that the banquet planning was not going well due to the busy schedule of the officers and we decided to cancel. Jon Guizar advised that the banquet has been cancelled with Christ Community Church. However, the February 15<sup>th</sup> indoor flying session at CCC is still on. Ron suggested doing something to make up for the banquet when the weather gets nice. Members brought up ideas about a cookout at the field and picnic at a park pavilion. Jon suggested that we have a board meeting soon and discuss this further at that time.

TSA Event last weekend. The Technical Student Association asked SCRC to help run and judge two events at the Mount Nittany Middle School. MS students built and flew rubber launched gliders and HS students constructed FAI rubber powered indoor free flight planes for timed flights. Ron thanked Jim and Jack Ericson, Todd Cook, Tom Majewski, Rob Krankel and Arron Bates for helping out. He reported that it was not very well organized by the TSA people but the SCRC members pulled it together to help make it a successful event.

Delta Dart Discussions. Homer Rhodes advised that it's getting harder to find volunteers however with the help of Al Jones, Todd Cook and Tom Majewski who all spoke up at the meeting, Homer thinks it would be a good idea to let Al Niessner know that we should have sufficient help to carry on with this program. Perhaps Al would continue to be the contact for the schools and coordinate the programs and then we would conduct the sessions. Also we should reach out to our membership for more volunteers.

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Indoor Attendance and Cost Considerations. Jon Guizar advised that we keep going with the indoor flying as scheduled. We have \$120 left of the allocated funds. We've had six sessions so far this season at a cost of \$280. We have one more session in February and two in March then we're done with indoor flying for the season.

- Open Floor Discussion –

Jon Guizar would like to schedule a flight training day for new members. This should help by giving them a definite date instead of having them contacting us and trying to work around everyone's schedule. This should also help us to retain new members. Jon will add this item to the agenda for next month's meeting.

- Coming Events –

- Struble Farm RC Sale, February 8th
- Spikesfest 2014, February 16th 11-2. Setup is at 10 am
- Lebanon PA, RC Flea Market, March 8th 2014, [www.cpa.us](http://www.cpa.us)
- IMAC Primer at SCRC May 5th
- Bellefonte Senior All Night Party, Flight Demos, June 6<sup>th</sup>

- Show and Tell – None

- Program – None

- Meeting Adjournment – The motion to adjourn passed at 7:45 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Daryl Allen, Secretary