

## State College Radio Control Club Thursday August 6<sup>th</sup> 2015 Meeting Minutes

Jon Guizar called the meeting to order at 7:00. Zack Layton, Priscilla Sneff, Lachlan Sneff and John Stitzinger were in attendance as guests.

- July Meeting Minutes. Members voted to accept the July 2015 minutes.
- Treasurer's Report. Doug Schultz reported that we now have 28 standard members, 2 associate members, 2 youth members and 2 junior members. We've had no expenses since the last meeting. Doug advised the balance of SCRC's bank account and the members voted to accept the Treasurer's report.

- Old business –

Inaugural IMAC Event – August 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>. We now have 16 registered pilots for the event. Jon Guizar will soon schedule planning meetings to take place within the next couple of weeks and notify the volunteers. Even if you're not into IMAC, please try to attend as there will be some very impressive planes on hand.

Field Maintenance (mowing, rolling trimming, etc.) Al Jones had nothing new to report.

YGI Program Update. Woody Brem advised that we are behind on the group building sessions but will try to work them into the next two or three Sundays. There are still participants with models in various stages of completion and we hope to have everyone flying by the time of our IMAC event. YGI flying days (with some basic competition) are being planned for September. Woody described the plane, the build and explained the program for the benefit of our visitors for the evening.

Mini Airshow Update. Jon advised that the flying demonstrations for the members of the Nittany Amateur Radio Club went very well with about 35 people in attendance. Everyone had a great time the radio club has offered a monetary donation to SCRC.

Update for the SCRC Open Fun Fly (July 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>) Jon advised that the weather was not the best and only a few members showed up but some hotdog grilling and flying did take place.

- New business – None
- Open Floor Discussion –

Doug Schultz informed us that he still has SCRC hats and shirts for sale.

Our Guest, John Stitzinger, handed out some flyers and gave a short presentation for "Maker Week 2015", a hands-on exhibit open to the public August 24<sup>th</sup> through the 29<sup>th</sup>. Community members are invited experience crafting, 3D printing, robotics, coding, and more. For more information, visit: <http://www.makerweek.net/about.html> John is representing the organization "Makespace" which has a facility at 141 S. Fraser St. in State College where members can work on their projects and collaborate with other members. For more information, call 814-689-3103 or visit: <http://makespace.com>

Jim and Jack Ericson attended the second annual Flight Test event in Ohio last month and reported that there were 4,000 people there with about 1,000 RC pilots participating. Jim was most impressed by the large tents that were on sight. Group builds were taking place in these tents and Jim suggested that such builds could be something that SCRC could possibly promote in the winter months. Flight Test is an organization that tests and reviews RC hobby products and posts videos at: <http://flitetest.com/>

- Planned Events for 2015 –

IMAC Competition at the SCRC field. August 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>. 2015.

- Meeting Adjournment – The motion to adjourn passed at 7:30.
- Show and Tell – None
- Presentation / Program –

Flight training, practice and general flying were planned and took place after meeting adjournment.

Respectfully Submitted,

Daryl Allen, Secretary