

Meeting Minutes

Slo Flyers minutes of Feb. 10, 2007

Meeting called to order at 9:31am on Feb 10th 200s

In attendance were

Tony Gallo – President

Gene Kenner – Vice President

Bill Lander- Treasure

Don Rogers- Secretary

Dave Tapper – Safety Officer

Bob Van Der Walt – Maintenance Coordinator.

Also attending was Wade Akle and Paul Genshaw

Tony brought our attention to a letter from the Passo Robles club relating to some members of that club flying over the 400 ft safe level. Their field is at the Passo Robles airport and flights above 400 ft interfere with full size aircraft. This prompted a discussion about safe flying areas at our field. A safety map is to be posted on our web site.

San Luis Obispo Airport Day 2007 was briefly discussed. The SLO Airport Day panning coordinator has yet to establish a schedule.

Tony received a proposal for a glider launch and retrieval area, outside our fenced in flying field was received by Richard Johnston. There are two issues with this. First, it is outside our defined area and is part of the Cal Poly cattle grazing area. Second, it is behind our flight line and would automatically be excluded as a flying area. We are continuing to come to an arrangement for a winch system contained within our boundary and that meets the AMA safety rules for flight areas. This is still a work in process.

The repairs and painting of the trailer (Club House) were discussed again. Bob Van Der Walt is coordinating this.

Wade Akle brought up the need for some repairs on the runway. There are some cracks around the edges that need sealing. Bill Lander pointed out that sealing the surface runway is budgeted for every 2 ½ years. It is our budget for this year. The runway was last sealed in Oct 2005, and is due again in the spring of 2008. Bob Van Der Walt is checking on cost of having this done, to see if it can be done at less cost that the last time.

A general discussion was held about attracting additional participation in the club meetings.

Bill Lander distributed a new club roster. Our numbers have fallen to 64 members as of Feb 8th.

Bill Lander gave the Treasurer's

Report indicating there was

\$2,797.16 in the Checking Account

\$14,755.48 total in Savings accounts

It was agreed to transfer \$2000.00 to the Savings account from the Checking account.

Respectfully submitted

Donald A Rogers

Secretary, SLO FLYERS, INC