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Next Club Meeting

Saturday - Sept 24th at 09:00
At the Flying Field

Next Board Meeting
TBA

Mile Hi R/C Flying Club Agenda

MEETING AT Flying Field

August 20, 2016 @ 09:00

- 1) Pledge of Allegiance/Meeting Call to Order – Jim Holt, President
- 2) Quorum – Requires 6 members present (10% of voting members)
- 3) Approve Previous Meeting's Minutes – As sent via email
- 4) Approve Treasurer's Report – Roy Olsen, Treasurer
 - a) Inflows: XXX (IMAC entry and food donations)
 - b) Outflows: XXX (IMAC AWARDS & FOOD)
 - c) Ending balance: XXX
- 5) Approve Investment Report – Gary Brady, Investment Officer
 - a) Money market balance: N/A
 - b) Securities balance: N/A
 - c) Investment total: N/A
- 6) Membership Report – Pat Cobain, Vice President
 - a) Introduction of new members: Adam, Randy, Jesse
 - b) Current membership: 55
- 7) Contest/Events Committee Report:
 - a) Event recaps: IMAC: Thanks to all who volunteered. It was a Big success
 - b) Christmas party
 - i) Dave Teich reserved Mr Panda room 1st Saturday in December.
- 8) Field Maintenance Report: Need to repair large mounds on west edges of main runway. Work party will be set up soon. We are debating doing it this year, or early next spring.
- 9) Safety Report: Steve Briola
 - a) Steve is Moving away and Ray Duffy will take over. Forward questions to Ray, Please.
- 10) Unfinished Business:
 - a) None
- 11) New Business:
 - a) Upcoming elections: Only change will likely be Dave Weiss as President.
 - i) Nominations: Upcoming in September
 - b) Dues: Due October 1st. \$25.00 late fee if paid after October 31st. Get them in ASAP, please!
- 12) Next Board Meeting – TBD
- 13) Schedule Next Club Meeting –September 10th at 9am, club field for elections.
- 14) Drawings:
 - a) Colpars: Adam Bryant Winner! You can't win if you don't show up.
- 15) Program/Meeting Adjournment.

I had the great pleasure of meeting Norm many years ago when we were both members of Mile HI RC. Norm was the only guy that I know that skillfully used a “single stick Kraft” transmitter.

Quick story; I recall that the club held a “cross country” flying event one year prompting a few of us to experiment by strapping a second fuel tank on top our 40 size trainers so that we would not have to land and refuel half way through our flight. That didn’t work out too well because most engines leaned out and quit forcing us to dead stick onto the road. Norm on the other hand flew a 25 size plane with a modified fuselage that held a single larger tank. He made the flight, non stop, without any problems.

Most of us who were lagging behind finally arrived at our destination, which was MAS Field. I can still see Norm leaning back in a chair, one leg crossed, with a tooth pick in his mouth... of course, and a smile on his face waiting for the rest of us to arrive.

Norm was always a joy to greet and talk RC with at the flying field.

We will sure miss you Norm. Walt



Norm Vanderslice - ‘2015



Norm’s “Rascals”



Bob Bergin, Ron Van Attan and Jim Ott - '1995



Bob Bergin - '1995

In The Past - by Bob Begin

Hello all,

Continuing on with information from our old club newsletters. I found the following; In the second ever Mile Hi RC Newsletter, they introduced the Club Officers. Some of you might know who they are; President Joe Dolan, V.P. Bob Turner, Secretary Doug Copeland and Treasure Peggy Boling.

In the May 1961 meeting they're were two visitors. You all know Sid Gates, well he was the President of the Denver R/C Eagles at the time. Boy, Has he been around a long time. Also secretary Bill Brunninga from the same club was introduced. Now this is something to think about... Norma Kelly (not to sure who she was for the club) offered herself as a target for raw eggs at a possible club Fun Fly event. She was to sit Indian style, in the center of the field, and not move under penalty of shame during bombing runs. Pilots were to equip their planes with a gadget to drop said missiles / eggs. I have not come across any news of this actually occurring.

The club had a Memorial Day picnic that year that consisted of fried chicken. The flying session (rudder only was the order of the day) was at the East Colfax Airport. Possibly that was the Aurora Airpark off 70? In Aug of 61 the City of Aurora leased a piece of ground 300 by 400 feet to improve as a club flying cite. It had a parking lot, a shelter house with fire place and drinking water. It was 12 miles south of the city. Now get this, it was at the South West corner of Parker Road and Arapahoe Road. More recently, there was soccer fields and a paint gun field there. Now look what it is. They said there would not be any interference problems.. Ha ! Ha!

Past Mile HI Flying Fields

1975 - Flew off roads which is now known as the DTC for just 1 year

1976 - 1978 - Flew off an old runway at Lowery. I remember going out to Lowery on Sundays to watch the guys fly their planes. I remember meeting Bill Robinson out there. Little did I know I was getting hooked on RC for life!

1979 - 18 months - Sky Ranch Airport in Aurora on E Colfax Avenue. I remember Sky ranch very well back in 1970. There was a wooden structure located on the site that was used as a control tower of sorts.

1980 State leased land on East Quincy

That is it for this month....Bob....

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Registration 0730 to 0830 Saturday

0830 Pilots Meeting each day

0900 Wheels Up

1200 Lunch on Saturday



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Directions

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The E-flight Airliner Retractable Project





This is pretty amazing flying as well as greatly engineered RC doll figures. Thanks for sending to us Gary!



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