

Lake Sawyer Hawks Meeting Minutes

Marlow Anderson Airfield, 24041 276th Ave SE, Maple Valley, Washington

Aug 20, 2022

10:00 a.m. – President Randy Ling called the meeting to order.

General information

Pilots are reminded to please sign in on the time sheets when arriving and leaving the field, time sheets are turned into King County each month for tracking field usage. Note that there is no club garbage pick-up at the field you are reminded to take your trash home for disposal.

General Discussion

Randy Ling reported that the current membership stands at 62 with 56 open members, 4 youth, and 2 non-flying members.

Expenses since last meeting \$1100.50, consisting of field maintenance supplies, a Sani-can service call, and Raffle prizes for the August fun fly.

Anticipated expenditures for 2022 are lawn mower maintenance, servicing of porta potty, the Museum of Flight Expo, and the August Club Fun fly event.

Remaining calendar of events for 2022 are the October nominations for new officers with elections to be held at the November club meeting. Note the October meeting may be held at the Maple Valley Library depending on weather. Please check web site for current plan. The Museum of Flight Expo will be held on November 19th.

Randy reviewed the alternative club community service event which will be the availability of flight training to all members. With the training to be conducted at the field. Randy noted that suggestions are welcomed on other possible service events to be considered.

Additional News

Randy noted that a new field use agreement with King County remains in work. The existing King County agreement continues to remain in effect. The new agreement will reflect the new FAA part 107 regulations. Additionally, no new information regarding UAV operation has been released by the FAA, however, Randy reported that the line for implementation of transponders within Drones is under consideration by the FAA.

Safety Minute

Randy reviewed general field safety along with testing and correctly setting of transmitter fail safe to verify that in the event of a transmitter signal failure in flight the throttle would go to full off. Additionally, the use of the throttle cut-off feature and switch

was discussed and how its use would prevent unintended throttle advance.

Formal Meeting was adjourned at 10:30 with fun fly events continued.

Results of Fun Fly

Static Sport Display: Gabe's Vans RV7

Static Scale Display: Peter McCowin's HE-163 EDF

Best Odd ball Display: Tom Richard's scratch built ME-162 Komet

Winners of Raffle prizes

Rose Sevak - Freedom ARF kit

Bob Welsh - F4U4

Marvin Olson - Cub

Emery Roberts - RV-7