August 2021

Airfoilers Meeting Minutes

The August meeting of the Coffee Airfoilers was held on August 28th at the club field. At 10:03 A.M., the meeting was called to order by club president Don Cleveland. There were 16 members present.

Financial Report

Financial report given by Club President Don Cleveland in absence of Club Treasurer Kelly Crawford, Don gave a detailed account of the club spending and income. He also reported that we now have 150 members. A motion to accept the financial report was made and accepted.

Old Business

Giant Scale Fun-Fly: August 14, 2021. CD Rob Valentine reported everything is on track for the Giant Scale event.

T.R.U.S.T. Test: President Don Cleveland reminded everyone that the FAA Requires ALL UAS (Drone & Fixed wing R/C) pilots to take and pass this no-fail test. See the AMA magazine, August 2021, page 38, for the study guide. Then go to FAA website to take the test.

App Available: club president Don Cleveland reported there is now an app available to see all registered FAA UAS pilots. (If you have not registered/renewed your FAA registration, now would be a good time to do so).

Guest Speakers: Air Force Office of Special Investigations Special Agent Trevor Osborn & A.E.D.C. Security Forces Detective Jason Layne spoke of recent A.E.D.C. Secure area breaches by unauthorized Drones. They asked Coffee Airfoilers to please report any suspicious drone use to A.E.D.C Security. A discussion about detecting drones followed their presentation.

New Business

Flight Training

Paul Green reported that we are getting excellent feedback about our program.

Training scheduled through the end of September except for weekends of events.

We have 5 instructors.

Public Relations

Ken Harrick will be doing a rocket launch at the Science Center.

Rocket launch Sunday September 12, 2021 from 2-4 p.m.

Newspaper wants to come out and do an end of season report.

Float Fly

Float Fly cancelled by CD.

Field Maintenance

George Schmidt will cut grass in absence of John Lupperger. Field will be fertilized in September and overseeded with rye in November.

Swap Meet

Swap meet Scheduled for Oct. 30. Event will be from 8 a.m. till 2 p.m. Free admission for vendors for a large bag of candy.

Next Meeting

September 27, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. at club field.

F3K Handlaunch (Possum Toss) USA TEAM SELECT

Scheduled for September 24-26, 2021 with the 23rd being a warmup day .

T.R.U.S.T. Test

All AMA pilots must take.

Combination Lock Code Change

All members get gate combination. Only officers, instructors and grass cutters will have combinations to other locks. This is being implemented for security concerns.

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 10:54 A.M.