



AMPS Membership Meeting  
January 29, 2022 – 9:00AM at the Field  
Meeting Minutes

- Call to order - by Richard Girardo at 9:00 AM
- Introductions / New Faces – Gentleman by the name of “Fish” new member
- October Meeting Minutes – Read by Richard Girardo (Robert was away)
- Treasurer’s Report – Steve Jay – will send to Robert
- Richard Girardo, Steve Jay, Ken Kihlman, Larry Bishop, Bob Ross, and about 23 club members were in attendance
- **President Report**

Welcome back from the holiday break!

Copperstate Fly-In and Expo February 17-20 at the Buckeye Municipal Airport. Club members in the past volunteered..

The AMPS upcoming GREEN Fest Sanctioned Event Fun Fly scheduled for MARCH 11, 12, 13 at AMPS is in full swing. Ken, Bob and Rich attended the kick off meeting along with other club members. ALL PROCEEDS benefit AMPS.

Rich reminded everyone we have a hard 400 foot ceiling flying model aircraft at AMPS. Rich thanked the many Board and club members who recently volunteered their time and equipment over the last several weeks to give a perspective of where 400 feet actually is while flying.

Big thanks to Bob Calcagno and friend’s for rock piles to the west and to, Tom, John for the painting of the fuel aircraft stands and developing/installing the new trash cans holders.

Ken will be buying lids and bungee cords and the trash can receptacles will be reduced to four. Of course during events we will have more trash receptacles available.

Please do not put food, or anything an animal might find interesting in the trash cans under the Ramada.

Walk it out to the large trash container with the lids.

The Ramada and large trash cans are for club trash not for cleaning your car or bringing trash from home.

Any large boxes or what's left of aircraft mishap goes into the large waste container.

If a trash can under the Ramada needs emptying, please do so any time of day.

Thank you for your cooperation.

As a reminder, to remain a member in good standing your annual dues must be renewed no later than January 21, 2022.

- **New Business**

As of February 1, 2022, the AMPS Board voted unanimously to increase Club membership fees for 2022 and renewal dues for 2023.

Existing membership during the renewals period at the end of this year will pay \$100 for the 2023 year. A \$25.00 dollar increase.

Beginning February 1, 2022, new members will pay \$125 initiation/runway fee and \$100 dues for a total of \$225. A \$50.00 increase

The Board also unanimously approved to move forward with the resurfacing of the runway and pit areas.

Waiting for County approval.

Once the processes begins it should not take longer than a day followed by painting of the runway the next day.

Rich will keep everyone informed.

- **Old Business**

Rich has been working on the asked about Newsletter - but life got in the way the last few weeks where it was difficult to type.

Please keep your eyes open for the newsletter and email announcements.

Still negotiating on the porta Johns

**ANY Models to Talk About?**

Rich asked if any questions:

One about the conflict between Carl and Rick. Rich just said it was resolved and ended it.

**Next Club Meeting will be on February 19, 2022 – 9:00 am**

Motion to adjourn at 9:40 am

by Richard Girardo