



THE TRC FLYPAPER



OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF
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March 2018

✈ **MEMBERSHIP:** The March meeting was called to order by President Larry Woolard at 7:30 PM at the VFW Post 4809, 5728 Barte Street, Norfolk, VA. Approximately 10 people were present. There were no visitors.

REPORTS

✈ **MINUTES** for past meetings were presented in "The Flypaper". A motion to accept them as presented was made and passed.

✈ **TREASURER'S REPORT:** Karl reviewed the club's finances. The treasurer's report was approved as read by Karl.

✈ **Fred:** Fred Naccella donated items to be sold and the money donated to the building of the new gazebo. \$70 was raised. Thank you, Fred!

✈ **MAD PATROL:** Mark Ward reported there should be a meeting with the museum by the end of March to discuss event particulars.

✈ **SCALE EVENT:** Mark reported the scale event is scheduled for October 20th.

✈ **TRC Work Day:** Larry has reserved a bucket truck and two men as well as a 6-inch chipper to work the road on March 18. This date was selected since leaves start to form on the branches if we wait too long which makes tree trimming twice as hard. All members are encouraged to attend the spring working party on March 18 at 0900 to assist in clearing our access road of overhanging limbs. The two men Larry hired will work the bucket truck and as they drop the limbs we will be clearing and chipping them. Members in attendance at the meeting voted to authorize funds to cover the cost of this project. (\$530)



✈ **SWAP MEET:**

We are scheduled to have our swap meet at Saint John's Lutheran Church on November 10, 2018.

Below is Larry, Frank, and Andy at the Newport News Swap Meet last month. Several TRC members were spotted buying and selling. An awesome swap meet!



✧ **Gazebo Improvement:** Several people are working hard to get us the best prices on building materials for the extension on the gazebo. Lowes = \$2200, and Home Depot = \$2970. It was voted to authorize an immediate expenditure of \$1000 for the purchase of materials to make it happen. Larry said he also has a camera system we could install at the field. The only problem is getting access to the internet.



✧ **20/20 Raffle:** None held.

✧ **Warbirds Over the Beach:** Warbirds Over the Beach will be here in May. Pert, as usual, will be helping set up our static display at the Aviation Museum in Pungo. If you have a WW2 airplane or wish to help, please let Pert or Steve know.

DUES: Don't forget, June will be here before you know it. Reminder that this year's dues should be paid NLT June 30, 2018.

Meetings: The next general membership meeting will be held at the field, Saturday, April 7, 2018 at 1200.

>>The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 PM

No planes at this month's meeting.



CLUB INFORMATION

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The combination to the First Aid Kit and Fire Extinguisher is **911**.

The charging station combination is the same as the gate combo.

Event Schedule 2018

Jan 4	General Meeting CNX
Feb 1	General Meeting, VFW
Mar 1	General Meeting, last VFW
Mar 18	Spring Field Work Day
Apr 7	General Meeting, at the field
TBD	Spring Fun Fly and Picnic
May 5	General Meeting, at the field
May 19	Warbirds Over the Beach Static Display
June 9	General Meeting, at the field
July 7	General Meeting, at the field
Aug 4	General Meeting, at the field
Sep 8	General Meeting, at the field
TBD	Fall Field work day
Sep XX	General Meeting held early due to MAD Patrol
Oct 3 - 7	MAD Patrol (S)
Oct 20	Scale Event (S)
Nov 3	General Meeting, at the field
Nov 10	Swap Meet, Lutheran Church
Dec 6	Christmas/Holiday Dinner and Award Ceremony.

Event Schedule 2019

Jan 3 General Meeting

Yellow = Upcoming Events

Red Text = Changes/New Events

CNX = Cancelled



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