



Flying Eagles Inc.
Newsletter for January 2012

Date: January 17, 2012

<http://www.flyingeaglesinc.org>

Next Meeting: February 2, 2012

Location: The meeting will be held at the Alice & Jack Wirt Public Library, 500 Center Ave (corner of Madison & Center Ave) Community Meeting Room located in the entranceway of the library. The Flying Eagles Club meetings are open to the general public.

Time: 6:00 p.m.

2012 CLUB OFFICERS ARE:

President: **Mike Massey**
VP: **Rich Herzberger**
Treasurer: **Brian Wenzel**
Recording Secretary: **Dave Kasper**
Safety Coordinator: **Wayne Heminghous**
Newsletter Editor: **Ellen Kasper**

Club Trustees:
Peter Liehr
Ryan Lockwood
Richard Herzberger
Dave Kasper
Dick Banaszak

Visitors are always welcome to the club meetings and to join us at the club flying field. The flying sight is located at 5710 S. Mackinaw Rd., Bay City, MI.

Anyone interested in flying or in improving his or her skills should contact our club instructors:

Dave Kasper
989-894-4670

Richard Herzberger
989-686-3457

MEETING MINUTES

Our new President, Mike Massey started the meeting on 1/9/2012 at 6:05pm at the Library with 8 members present and no visitors.

Minutes from the previous meeting were accepted as printed in the December newsletter.

Treasurer's Report – The treasurer's report shows a balance of \$1912.53 in the checking account.

Safety report – Wayne discussed the high current arming system for electric aircraft from www.sharprc.com.

Web report – None.

Board report – The report was given by Peter which covered:

- Wayne has come up with an idea to promote the club at the various events using postcard sized flyers. The cost was quite reasonable and the quality excellent. A motion was made & passed to create a layout and order an initial quantity of 250 cards.
- The board is working on the future of the club web site. A web designer is being considered as an alternative to the way it's being done currently.
- Richard Banaszak has donated a riding mower for next season.
- Fixed costs for the coming season were presented.
- Remember that all club officers must have their dues & AMA paid.

Old Business:

- None

New Business:

- The January meeting is the time for club bylaw changes. This year there was only one change which was voted on and approved. Adding to Article X, inserting a new section after Section 1:

Any person wishing to join the club with no intentions to fly, may join at a 50% discount of the current regular membership dues. These individuals will not have voting privileges and will not be allowed to fly, but will otherwise have full membership benefits.

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- None this month due to forgetting the tickets.

Meeting adjourned at 6:50pm.

Upcoming Events:

Indoor Flying Schedule at Saginaw Valley Ryders Center
February 19th, 6pm -10pm March 11th, 6pm - 10pm

**December's Airplane Contest Winner was Mike Massey.
Congratulations Mike, and thanks to all who participated in the contest.**

Secretary note: This will be the final month for the airplane contest unless more people respond, as only three people responded to December's contest. For crying out loud, even if you don't know what the plane is, turn in a guess! It's a fun time & all entries get recognized at the meeting

Airplane Contest



Airplane Contest Rules:

Only paid members of the Flying Eagles Inc. Radio Control Club are eligible to win. All entries must be emailed to emkasper@speednetllc.com BEFORE the day before the meeting (before Wednesday). The winner will be drawn from all correct entries that have been received by that date and presented during the regular meeting (need not be present to win, even if you have won previously, you are still eligible to enter every month).

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