



Flying Eagles Inc.  
Newsletter for January 2017

Date: February 12, 2017

<http://www.flyingeaglesinc.org>

Next Meeting: March 6, 2017

**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.

2017 CLUB OFFICERS ARE:

President: **Mike Massey**

VP: **Mike Young**

Treasurer: **Peter Liehr**

Recording Secretary: **John Wright**

Safety Coordinator: **Eric Evans**

Club Trustees:

**John Wright**

**Mike Young**

**Pat Dauer**

**John Potts**

**Eric Evans**

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

## **MEETING MINUTES**

Mike Massey started the meeting on 2/6/2016 at 6:10 at the library with 8 members present and no visitors.

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

**Treasurer's Report** – We have \$1792.24 in the checking account which is now balanced (Dave Appold cashed the lease check).

**Safety report** – Nothing to report

**Web report** – Mike Massey brought up a concern that the members area of the web site does not have a log out button and he was able to access the members area again after closing out the browser and rebooting his computer. Peter is going to check it himself and bring it to the attention of the webmaster to see if there are any security concerns and will discuss the findings in next months meeting.

**Board report** – None

### **Old Business:**

- Indoor flying
  - As of the meeting, the February indoor fun fly has not taken place yet, so we remain \$730.75 in the red and had 42 paid pilots present at the January Fly-In
  - The January fun fly was the first event we broke even due to an anonymous donation of \$375
  - Eric brought up concerns about larger drones at the indoor fun fly. Wayne will make an announcement at the next pilots meeting concerning safety, pointing out Eric as the safety officer and reminding all pilots that any member of the Flying Eagles will be policing the event and ground anyone that is deemed a risk to persons or property.
  - Tri City Sports Complex is now sponsoring a drop in fun fly every Wednesday from 1-4pm through the rest of the indoor season.

### **New Business:**

- Discussion began on installing a permanent sign by the road at the field. Dave Appold has given initial approval, Peter and Mike Massey are going to look into the necessary regulations and permits. More information will be brought to the March meeting for further discussion.

**Airplane Contest:**

- Eric and Mike Massey correctly identified the airplane as Tacit Blue and Mike is the big winner this month!

**Show & Tell:**

- None this month.

Meeting adjourned at 7:02pm.

# Auburn Indoor Fun Fly

## 2016 - 2017 Dates

Sunday, March 12 • 7pm — 10pm

# \$15 to Fly Spectators Get in FREE

Must Present AMA Card to Fly

2.4GHz Radios Only

Batteries must be charged in fire-retardant container.

Size Limit: 16oz Airplanes / 250-Size Helis

\*\* Notes from the editor: Please submit any content you may have for the newsletter. Do you have a spring project in your workshop? Take a couple pictures and email them to me. I would love to beef up the newsletter and make it a much more interesting read!

# 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 [kwww68@charter.net](mailto:kwww68@charter.net) the day before the meeting (Sunday or earlier please). 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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