



Flying Eagles Inc.  
Newsletter for April 2016

Date: April 20, 2016

<http://www.flyingeaglesinc.org>

Next Meeting: May 2, 2016

**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.

2016 CLUB OFFICERS ARE:

President: **Mike Massey**  
VP: **Mike Young**  
Treasurer: **Peter Liehr**  
Recording Secretary: **Dave Kasper**  
Safety Coordinator: **John Wright**  
Interim Newsletter Editor: **Ellen Kasper**

Club Trustees:  
Wayne Heminghous  
Mike Young  
Dave Kasper  
John Wright  
Steve Gradowski

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 4/4/2016 at 6:07pm 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 \$2042.97 in the checking account.

**Safety report** – Nothing to report.

**Web report** – There are a couple of issues, but everything is up to date including a new mowing schedule

**Board report** – None this month.

### **Old Business:**

- Insurance for James Clements has been secured for this year

#### Tabled Items:

- An expansion to the storage shed, changing it from an 8'x8' to an 8'x16' with an 8'x16' pavilion (essentially a 16'x16' structure). The cost of such a change was calculated to be approximately \$1200. At this point this will be tabled pending more information as well as additional funds. At this point the membership size may not warrant this project. The grant for this has been submitted to the AMA and we've received \$141.90 to be used for field upgrades.
- A future site for winter indoor flying is still being discussed, Zion church was looked at, but won't work out. Peter is still looking.
- Safety nets need to be repaired and the Memorial Day picnic didn't work out as a day to work on them. Currently this is no longer a priority.

### **New Business:**

- The field opening will be done on April 30<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am. Dave K. will bring his roller to smooth it out & do the first cutting.
- Security of the website "Members Area" was discussed. Currently that page has no encryption and is subject to a "man in the middle" attack, making the contents of that page less secure. Members that visit this page will realize that it contains PII (Personally Identifiable Information, defined as a name followed by at least one more identifiable field i.e. phone number or address). Peter is going to talk with our webmaster to discuss options.

### **Airplane Contest:**

- This month's airplane was the Northrup Delta. Peter was the lucky winner.

**Show & Tell:**

- None this month.

Meeting adjourned at 6:45pm.

## 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 [dekasper@speednetllc.com](mailto:dekasper@speednetllc.com) 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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