

Desert Eagles Model Airplane Flying Club
Club Meeting Minutes
11/03/2008 @ 7:30 PM Location: AeroMark

! Walter Grasmick, Steve Henderson, Art Rood, Elliot Sussman and Russ Crawford were present. Five other members were also present.

! Walter stated that this was the “board member election meeting” for the two open positions. Since there are only two candidates, Jim Coleman and Ron Larson, they were thus appointed to the board. Congratulations were expressed.

! Walter passed on the information that Art had generated a map of the flying field showing areas where flying is permitted also, that some changes to the map are needed.

! Some discussion took place about the modifications needed on the field gate hinge pivot pin.

! Walter told the members that the combination for the various locks at the field will be changed every year and that the new combination will be printed on the AMA card sticker indicating that the member’s dues have been paid.

! Walter announced that there will be a January 1st electric fun fly at Community Park or perhaps some similar location with a wind shelter.

! Also, we will be having a social gathering at Leo’s Pizza Parlor in February.

! Steve stated that the treasury had a balance of \$1175 which is about \$200 more than last year at this time. This is due to an extra windfall of about \$600 from various items. The board recommends that the dues be raised by \$10/year to \$60 because we should not depend on such wind falls. Also, replacement hoses are badly needed along with a good weed spray, etc. We presently have about 45 members not counting youth members and lifetime members. A lively discussion ensued. Walter asked the members to think about the subject and said we will vote on the proposed increase at the next meeting. A vote by the membership is required.

! Steve noted that someone had coiled all the hoses at the field. Ron Larson finally admitted that he had performed this onerous task. Thanks were expressed to Ron by all.

Submitted by the secretary, Russ Crawford