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Southern Alameda County Radio Controllers

President: Mike Pimentel

Vice President: Jim Weiss

Secretary: Laurence Boag Treasurer: Burt Rosensweig (650)349-5314

Meeting was called to order at 11AM 10/14/23

General meeting agenda

President Mike Pimentel called the meeting to order at 11:00

Board Members present were:

President, Mike Pimentel, Treasurer Burt Rosensweig, Secretary Laurence Boag

New members/guests:

Chris Humann Matt Herring Rich and Charlene Kranz David Launchbury

Treasurer's report:

was read by Burt Rosensweig. Steve Woodall made motion to accept the report, it was seconded and approved.

Secretary's report:

None

Next meeting

6PM December 9, 2023

At Oakland Aviation Museum

Field report:

We want to thank Larry Yannes for cutting the weeds around the perimeter of the field and cutting paths out from the field.

We need to repair the rips to the awnings. Mike P. "Please, if your plane ends up on the awnings, don't try to take off from there."

We need to repair the Astroturf around the workbench where it is all torn up. It is a tripping hazard.

Art V. "We need to re-staple the seams on the field."

Burt R. "Please stay clear of the wastewater plant."

Safety:

If your plane ends up in one of the ponds, never try to retrieve it by yourself. It is very dangerous as the ponds are full of decomposing debris and sticky mud. If you get in trouble, no one would hear you calling for help.

New business:

We are now FRIA exempt thanks to the diligence of Jeff Whitney. Our application was accepted and we can fly at our field without a locator transponder. Just make certain that your name, telephone number, FAA number, and AMA number are all on your plane somewhere if they weigh more than 0.55 pounds... although it is recommended that you put them on all of your craft regardless of weight.

The Annual Christmas Party will take place again this year at the Oakland Aviation Museum on December 9th. Please notify Mike Pimentel (510 792 6823) if you are planning to bring a side dish. This will be in lieu of our December meeting.

Old Business:

None

Elections:

All of the present club officers were running as incumbents and all were unanimously re-elected for 2024.

Mike Pimentel, President Jim Weiss, Vice President Burt Rosensweig, Treasurer Laurence Boag, Secretary

Other Stuff:

Burt R. "Dues are \$75.00 and are due by January 1st."

Brady D. "Can we have badges made for Student Pilots and Guests"

There are occasional folks who show up at the field that no one knows. We need to be

able to account for them. This will be looked into.

Hardie Dunn is retiring from flying and wishes to sell some of his planes. Brady brought some for consideration.

Mike P. "The combination on the gate locks will be changed every year at the beginning of January."

Jim Weiss announced that because there have been so many donations of planes and equipment for our club Raffles, no money has been used from the club's budget. Thank you to all who have donated!

Upcoming Events: Xmas Dinner!







Burt Rosensweig: I am building this T-34 for a friend (Rich Kranz) who did some remodeling work on my house. Rich said: I bought it from a hobby shop in Amityville, Long Island in 1969 and paid \$36.95 for the Sig kit. With its 70" wingspan, it was designed to run on a "60" size glow engine. I am converting it to run on an E-flite Power 60 electric motor and a six cell lipo. The box says that this kit is for "experienced modellers". I started working on it in March.

I am going to cover it with Ultracote.

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