

LAKE COUNTY ILLINOIS RADIO CONTROL CLUB



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MINUTES of the L.C.R.C.C. MEETING April 2006

The meeting was called to order by Dick Hultz. The meeting was held in the basement of Corky's.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Steve Yeaton gave his treasurer's report which included the money spent on the repairs on the tractor. Steve noted that the repairs would have cost a lot more but with the volunteer work done by Bill Brown, Dick Hultz, Steve Yeaton, Keith Stores, and Keith Bradley, costs were kept to a minimum. Dick made mention that Keith Bradley made room for the tractor in his shop and did a lot of the work on the tractor.

FIELD OFFICER'S REPORT

Bill Brown says the field is in pretty good shape. He rolled the field with the newly repaired tractor and seeded around the pit area. Bill said that he is going to try to roll the field two or three more times this month weather permitting.

SAFETY OFFICER'S REPORT

Dick Hultz said not much is going on right now but wants to remind anyone flying gas engine planes to please remember to bring a fire extinguisher with you and have it by the plane just in case of fire. There are no extinguishers stored at the field. Dick also wants to start a new buffer zone on the north side of the field. He reminds everyone to cycle their batteries at the beginning of the new flying season for safety sake. A defective battery can cause your plane to crash into the ground or a car or even strike a person or even cause the plane to "fly out of site".

EVENTS DIRECTOR

Keith Stores could not make the meeting. We would like to remind everyone of the May 7th Electric Fly Event. Also, if you would like to VOLUNTEER to help Keith Stores with food or whatever for events, please contact him. He would appreciate the help.

OLD BUSINESS

The club officers still need to get together with the park officials to see if we can get a sign posted on the gate with information on it on how to get in touch with someone if they are interested in the club.

Dick wants to remind everyone that if you see someone damaging the park property to please get in touch with one of the club officers so we can put a stop to it.

NEW BUSINESS

Pictures were passed around showing the tractor repairs in progress so that everyone could see all the work that had been done to it.

Steve is waiting to see if there are any more changes from the membership to be proposed to the forest preserve people. So far 3 of the changes proposed are:

1. Flyers must fly from the designated flight line near the flight stations provided.
2. No flying while the field is being mowed.
3. Delete the line in the rules that says you have to impound your radio. There is no Impound station so that line is not needed.

It was agreed to sell the Honda mulching mower because it is never used. Steve Yeaton said he thought it may have been used one time at the old field. It was decided that club members should have the first chance to buy the mower. The mower new was over \$500. If a club member wants the mower please contact Steve Yeaton for the details. The club does want a fair price for the mower and if no one from the club wants it the mower will be put up for sale to the public. The acceptable price negotiated for the mower will be accepted or rejected at the May meeting.

An old club member stopped by to visit us at the meeting this month. Ron Berreth was a member for several years and now resides in Tennessee.

NEW MEMBERS

The club welcomes two new members this month.

Keith Goodale and his son,

Danny Goodale

Hope you enjoy the club and remember to fly safely.....

SHOW AND TELL

Dave brought in an airplane stand made out of PVC pipe which he designed and made plans for. The pipe is cushioned with pipe insulation. It can be set up with a wooden tray underneath so you can work on your plane and have a place to put all the nuts and bolts. Dave has the plans so contact him if you are interested. Thank you Dave for your show and tell.

CLOSING

Dick Hultz closed the April meeting.

Recording Secretary

.....Bill Lewis

Treasurers Report For
April

2006

March	Opening Balance	\$4,263.90
Credits	Dues Deposited	\$800.00
March	Total Credits	<u>\$800.00</u>
Disbursements	Debit Card - Web Hosting - Feb.	\$3.95
	Debit Card - Web Hosting - Mar.	\$3.95
	Debit Card - Web Domain Name registration, 2 yrs.	\$36.30
	Debit Card - Tractor Parts, Ford8N.com	\$48.22
	AMA - Club Charter	\$30.00
	Pfeiffer Sales - Tractor Parts	\$614.34
	A&S Starter - Rebuild tractor Starter	\$110.00
	Debit Card - Pfeiffer, Tractor Parts	\$48.20
	Debit Card - Walmart, Tractor Supplies	\$5.18
	Debit Card - Farm & Fleet, Tractor Supplies	\$45.79
	Debit Card - Ace Hardware, Tractor Parts	\$11.81
	Debit Card - NAPA, Tractor Parts	\$38.23
	Debit Card - NAPA, Tractor Parts	\$24.71
March	Total Debits	<u>\$1,020.68</u>
March	Ending Balance	<u>\$4,043.22</u>

Copies of the Annual Treasurer's Report have been sent to members by e-mail. Printed copies are available at the meetings.

Tractor repairs

As Bill mentioned in the minutes, some major tractor repairs were completed thanks to President Keith Bradley providing the use of his shop for a few weeks.



Stop by the field to see the finished product. It looks and runs GREAT!



**NEXT MEETING WILL BE MAY 4,
2006 7:15PM AT CORKY'S**

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Event Dates for 2006
May 7.....Electrics
June 4.....Warbirds
July 9.....Fun Fly
Aug 6.....Club Picnic
Sept 10.....Cub Day
Oct 8.....Giant Scale & BiPlane