

Keizer Radio Control Association

Meeting Minutes

September 15th, 2020

Meeting Time: The KRCA meeting was called to order at 6:32pm

Attendance: 8 members were present

July and August meeting minutes were approved as written

Officer Reports:

President: N/R

Vice President: Discussion about the AMA's progress working with the FAA on the Remote ID

requirements. Follow the AMA's government affairs blog for more details.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's report was read and accepted.

Secretary: Working on website updates and password-protected members only page.

Safety Officer: Position remains open. Until filled, the club safety officer is "general membership" – that means all of us! We can keep an eye on each other and self-police unsafe practices. Contact a club officer with issues.

Membership Chair: 2 new members joined at this meeting. Welcome!

Web Master: N/R

Flying Field Update:

Field needs to be mowed, old matting brough from old field could not be burned by Holden. We'll need to take it to the dump.

Old Business:

- 1. Holden / Bevens Field workday update: June 27th, All tasks were completed, filed was in great shape for the July 4th dedication and fun fly!
 - Pit area matting, runway matting, safety fencing permanently installed and look great
- 2. Sign is permanently installed and looks great!
 - Thanks to Jerry for his hard work making and installing the sign!
- 3. July 4th dedication & fun-fly
 - Had great weather, great turnout. Thanks to everyone who helped with the final push to make the site ready!

New Business:

- 1. Field paring locations
 - Had an incident on July 4th where an out-of-control plane damaged a parked vehicle



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- Parking will now be along the entry road, to the west of the electrical panels and boxes.
 - Alternate parking will be in the large field to the west of the large barn, access between the pump house and barn.
- DO NOT PARK along the north end of the runway!
- 2. Fall work day
 - Need general cleanup, spreading of fill dirt, fall fertilization and seeding of runway
 - Oct. 3rd, 9AM.
- 3. Charging Station
 - Holden has given up permission to build a charging bench in the barn, near where we have stored the mower.
 - Rob will put it up this fall, will need to plan wiring to bring power from the nearest junction box.
- 4. Model Aviation PAC
 - There is now a Political Action Committee for model aviation, separate from the AMA.
 - AMA is a non-profit, and can't lobby members of congress. This new group has the ability to lobby independently of the AMA on behalf of recreational model aviation.
 - Led by Tyler Dobbs (AMA Government Affairs rep)
 - <u>www.modelaviationpac.com</u>, or on <u>Facebook</u>: "Political Action Committee for Model Aviation"
- 5. Club Coalition Project
 - Jerry is still pursuing the idea with other clubs
 - Fall/Winter season will give more opportunities to contact other clubs
- 6. Fall Fun-Fly, October 17th
 - Will plans some pilot events, invite other clubs
 - We will provide punch, have potluck for sides, desserts

Next meeting will be Tuesday October 20th @ 6:30pm, at JC Pizza.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:15pm

Rob Heap Secretary