

# Radio Signal Modelers Flying Club

AMA Charter 1289 - Schiller Woods Flying Field

# **Monthly Newsletter**

February 2017

The February 2017 meeting of the Radio Signal Modelers Flying Club was called to order at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, February 13th at the Schiller Park Community Center by Vice President Tim McLaughlin. The minutes of the January meeting were presented by Secretary Joe Stanko and were approved by the members. There were approximately 19 members in attendance.

## **Treasurer's Report**

Frank Roberson presented the Treasurer's report for the month. Cash at the start of the month was \$988 with \$30 in Paypal The club finished with \$833 + \$30 after disbursements of \$200 for the AMA club charter and insurance and a \$15 corporate fee, 3 renewals and 2 new membership receipts of \$100. Membership stands at 79. The Treasurer's Report was approved as read.



Lauren Kloska starts off Show and Tell by raffling off some building supplies.



Lauren Kloska showing his Styrofoam, upside down fuselage, scratch built aircraft.

#### **Field Maintenance Committee**

Nothing to report.

#### **Field Safety Committee**

Nothing to report.

### **Flight Instruction Committee**

Nothing to report.

#### **Planning Committee**

Discussions centered on Scott Thompson's newly created RSM Facebook page. We can cross promote it and the website.

#### **Old Business**

The general consensus was that the Holiday Party was very enjoyable. Sally Gombert confirmed that we made the minimum attendance requirement.

#### **New Business**

The field is being used increasingly by quad (and more) copter flyers. There have also been model rocket launches on the runway. We have to visit ways of encouraging AMA and FAA rule compliance.

Les Schier will discuss dynamically determining Aircraft CG, at the March meeting.

#### **Show and Tell**

Lauren Kloska started of by raffling off some hobby supplies. Thanks Lauren! He then showed an aircraft that he built from scratch out of Styrofoam. He just happened to mount the fuselage upside down.

#### Show and Tell cont.

Don Zeller displayed his FMS Junkers Ju 87 "Stuka" dive bomber. It has a 55" wingspan, 60A ESC, and weighs about 3.7#

### **Next Meeting**

The next meeting will be held on Monday, March 13th at 6:30 pm at the Schiller Park Community Center. By Secretary Joe Stanko





RSM's new Facebook presence.



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