



# Radio Signal Modelers Flying Club

AMA Charter 1289 - Schiller Woods Flying Field

## Monthly Newsletter

## November 2015

The November 2015 meeting of the Radio Signal Modelers Flying Club was called to order at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, November 9th by President Les Schier at the Schiller Park Community Center. There were approximately 22 members in attendance. The minutes of the October meeting were presented by Secretary Ted Noncek and approved by the members.

### Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Terry Gombert presented the Treasurer's Report for November 2015. The club finished the month with \$1,401 after receipts of \$55 from membership, the return of the Forest Preserve Event deposit of \$250, and disbursements of \$180 related to the supplies and fuel. Terry reported that membership is currently 82. The Treasurer's Re-



The club gathers around Les Schier's plane and examined the landing lights added.

port was approved as read.

### **Field Maintenance Committee**

There was a general discussion on how great the field looked at the end of the season. Much progress has been made on the field given its condition directly after the completion of the runway project last year. Great job Field Maintenance team. The club appreciates all your work in maintaining a great flying field.

### **Field Safety Committee**

Nothing to report.

### **Event Committee**

The club discussed the 11th Annual Chili Fun Fly scheduled for Saturday December 12th.

The club discussed options for the Holiday Party. Several members have offered to look into potential alternatives to the location we have been going to for the last several years. More discussion was tabled until the December meeting after some alternatives are investigated. Both Ti Galfi and Scott Thompson offered to look into some options.

### **Planning Committee**

Nothing to report.

### **Flight Instruction Committee**

Nothing to report.

### **Officer Nominations**

There were no new nominations for club officer positions. As a result, both President Les Schier and Vice-President Tim Gombert agreed to stay on another year. Treasurer



Les demonstrates his new landing lights during show and tell.



Ti Galfi flying at the 11th Annual Chili Fun Fly.

Terry Gombert and Secretary Ted Noncek agreed to continue in their roles another year. The current slate of officers were nominated by the club. As there is not a contest for any of the elected officer positions, we will not need to vote in at the December meeting. Thanks to the continuing officers for your service to RSM.

### Dues Rate for 2016

The club had a short discussion on whether the dues should stay at \$20 for renewing continuing members. It was decided that we would go another year with this rate and reconsider again next year based on how much money the club has.

### Show and Tell

Les Schier discussed adding lights to your aircraft and showed the club his new lights on his airplane.

### Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held on Monday, December 13th at 6:30 pm at the Schiller Park Community Center location.

*By Ted Noncek, Secretary*



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The Rafecz's getting some of that great chili at the 11th Annual Chili Fun Fly.



Dom Garcia (left) and Don Zeller at the Chili Fun Fly.