Meeting Highlights March 11, 2013

The meeting was called to order after 4 PM by Jim Bollman, President.

32 members plus their guests attended the club picnic at the La Posada Recreation Center.

Old Business

- **Treasurer's Report** Ben Butters reported that \$960 was collected in dues and that there were expenses of \$160 during February. The month-end operating and capital balances totaled \$5,715.42
- Flying fields –

Twin Buttes: Jim Trimbell reported that the field is in excellent condition. The work party on March 9 was a success. Many trees were removed from the edge of the runway so as to provide a better horizon for landing our aircraft. Rain prevented more work from being completed.

- **Bob Orr:** The group was told abut Bob Orr being injured by his motorcycle kick start. A Get Well card for Bob was circulated among the attendees.
- **Membership report** Jerry Case reported that as of the March 1 dues deadline the club membership grew to 83.
- Static Display, Friends in Deed: -- Jerry Case reported that 6 club members participated in the static display on March 1. There were Jerry Case, Kermit Jensen, Joe Kempf, Russ Mead, Art Siri, and Jim Trimbell. The club received a nice Thank You letter from the program chairwoman.

The meeting adjourned to eat!!!

• **Club Picnic:** --Jim Bollman thanked his wife, Barbara, for her effort in preparing the room decorations and the two main dishes. Winners of the raffle were Dave McCrory, Ralph Salgado, Run Aklestad, and Colin Hughes. Ralph Salgado brought his modified C-17 foam model to show the group. The model is powered by 4 electric ducted fan motors. Ralph modified the plane to do gravity drops of model paratroops. Jerry Case set up a slide show of photos and presented several videos from our web site