

Meeting Minutes April 14, 2014

The meeting was called to order by Jim Trimbell, President, at 7:00 P.M.

21 members attended.

Guests – None.

New member introductions – None.

Treasurer's Report – Jim Knudson read the Treasurer's report for March. Operating income totaled \$40 and expenses totaled \$616. The month-end operating balance was \$5,547.

Secretary's Report – The membership voted to skip the minutes for March.

Old business

- **Flying fields** –

 - **Twin Buttes:**

 - Condition of the field and facilities
 - Weed control progressing, still need more spraying and raking
 - Thanks to club members who worked the last four Saturdays windy or not, on the field maintenance.

 - **FICO:**

 - Condition of the field and facilities.
 - Ron Simonds "volunteered" to be the field manager.
 - Ken Fleshman – Club and AMA rules posted?
 - Runway and inner safety fencing all replaced. Thanks to Ron Simonds for buying the materials for the club.
 - Thanks to club members who braved the wind to install the fencing over two Wednesdays.

- **Safety issues** – Ken Fleshman talked about the problems caused by pilots who are taking off cross-wind. The consensus was that everyone must be very cautious when the winds are blowing across the runway.

- **Web site report** –

 - Web site was accessed 6020 times in the last 2 ½ years.
 - New video by Teryn DalBello flying his hexacopter over the Mt. Lemmon Sky Center on the "Links" page.
 - Photos for end of March and start of April.
 - Added a fourth Gallery to hold all the photos.
 - Video of Gary Ament's solo flight on the "Video 1" page.

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- Article about the risk of hand burns from LIPO packs on the “How To” page.
- Information about Southwest Ambulance insurance on the “Home” page.
- **AMA News** – None.
- **Membership report** – The membership count is currently at 91.
- **Area flying events** – Announced by Jim Trimbell.

New Business: None

Show & Tell: None

Meeting Adjourned: 7:40 PM