



July 5th 2023 Meeting Notes

Secretaries Report

- Secretary report was read from the June meeting and approved.

Treasurers Report

- Treasurer's report was read by Neil and approved.
 - Income – \$210.00 from donation airplane equipment \$85.00 membership
 - Expenses – \$897.75 to Ballstadt's for mowing, \$46.15 fuel to John

Old Business

- Field Maintenance
 - Porta potty update – need to have the unit serviced before the events.
 - Will see if the Aero-Tow is interested in buying the old porta-potty for use during these events. \$50.00 is the price we set.

New Business

- **Event Calendar**
 - **Owatonna RC Modelers Fun Fly #1**
June 24th 2023 Rained out – **New date is Sept 9th with a rain date of the 10th.**
 - **MRCSS – Aero-tow(National Glider Event)**
July 13 – 17 2023
 - **Owatonna RC Modelers Fun Fly # 2**
July 22nd 2023
 - **Midwest 3-D Fest (Heli & Fixed Wing)**
August 24th – 27th 2023 – Note: Sunday open for ORCM member flying with event.
- Contracts have been sent to both rental events and waiting for them to be signed and returned. 3D-Fest has signed and returned the contract.
- We received our Gold Leader status again this year. If you need a pin let Neil know.
- Weather station – installed new solar panel on the shed.
 - <https://ambientweather.net/dashboard/7f3e57cc041dc6b48fca91a4a3ff14b2>
 - 3 modifications have been made, new battery, charging on/off switch, working for 2 weeks now with no issues!
- Neil is working on getting better material for the lettering on the sign. Old material did not weather well and is breaking and coming off the sign.
- Do we want to add new fencing on the north end of the pits for the crosswind runway or pull out?
 - Discussion was also brought up to possibly pull out the crosswind runway because the material is getting torn up.
- RC equipment in the sheds is from a family in Apple Valley. Holly McCallum contacted Neil about the equipment that her late brother (Robert)and father (Gerald-Jerry Finne) had. Neil

brought back what people may want to utilize and asked for a donation to the club in the Finne name.

- Neil will look for more wheels for the starting stands to have on hand and replace the bad wheels. Could us 10 wheels.
- Ballstadt's is not mowing if we do not get rain. The field is not growing much this year so that is saving the club money. We will have the field mowed before the rental events per our contract to have the field groomed for the events.

Next meeting – August 2nd @ 6:30 PM at the Robert & Corinne Reul Memorial Field.

Come out early to get some flights in before the meeting.