

## JCRC Meeting Highlights, August 30, 2011

- The membership voted on and passed the finance committee's recommendation, Proposal C. In this proposal, dues will increase for all adults and seniors to \$99/yr (which includes mowing) and runway fee eliminated so the membership is more attractive to new members. A park-flyer-only membership will be added for \$25/yr. (no voting privilege).
- The runway committee is still obtaining field estimates - report next month's meeting.
- To address the club's transmitter and electric aircraft shortage a low cost Super Cub trainer was proposed. Voting next meeting.
- An electrical outlet and charging station for the right side (NE) of the field near the bleachers will be installed based on a unanimous vote. This will involve GFI circuits, outdoor outlets and a charging bench all for no cost to the club treasury. Cost to be reimbursed by donor members.
- Jerry Black reported on the recent full-scale **Nolichucky Wings and Wheels** event where he and 5 club members flew RC and participated. Great event where "we were the hit of the event." See below for similar area events requesting RC representation.

### Upcoming Events:

- **September 24 Fun Scale event.** Contact Mike Wartman for more information: mcwartman@yahoo.com. This will be a fun informal event for all to participate. Pilots meeting at 9:00. Bring a "scale" (can be an ARF or even a foam plane, just so it looks similar to its full scale counterpart) plane for judging and flying. Bring a photo of the known aircraft that you present for judging for extra points. Planes can be of any construction and size.
- **September 24 at the Abington Virginia Highlands Airport full-scale fly-in.** Contact Chris Hash (276-759-6779). These folks are looking for RC displays, flying, etc. as part of the entertainment there. Let Eddie know if you want to help organize or participate.
- **October 15 at the Greenville Airport: Annual R. A. Fordyce Memorial Fly-in/Cruise-in.** (Info Jeff Catrell, 865-456-9100). Free admission, 8am to 3pm, food available. In addition to the full scale aircraft displays (all types from antiques to ultralights), there will be RC Aircraft Displays (we have been asked to participate), car displays, childrens activities. Anyone interested in organizing RC activities there, including flying, contact Eddie.
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## JCRC August 30, 2011 Minutes

Eddie Cline opened the meeting at 6:50. The minutes from last meeting were approved as recorded. (D. Collea motion, A. McGrady second). The treasurers report was distributed, with questions answered by Anthony Hall. Eddie announced that the club picnic went well.

### Old Business:

The **finance committee's recommended Modification C\*** (see below) was voted on after a lengthy discussion before the meeting. The motion by Anthony Hall and seconded by Don Martin passed, meaning it will be presented to the board for consideration. Eddie thanked the committee for assessing the club's financial status and working up the options.

The **runway committee** is still estimating - report next month's meeting.

The **electric club trainer proposal** was discussed with recommended modest cost trainer proposal of \$168 for the Super Cub gaining some support due to low initial cost and low battery cost relative to other proposals. It was suggested that the club should sell one of its glow fuel trainers and use the proceeds to help fund the electric trainer. A policy was suggested to ask the trainer pilots to be responsible for its LiPo batteries, rather than leave them at the field in the hot shed. A vote will be held at the next meeting.

An **electrical outlet and charging station** for the right side of the field near the bleachers will be installed based on a unanimous vote (S. Weller motioned, J. Black seconded). This will involve GFI circuits, outdoor outlets and a charging bench with Certified Electrician inspection, all for no cost to the club treasury. Estimated cost \$210, to be reimbursed by donor members.

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**Mower auction:** Jerry Black and Klaus Kogler won the push mowers: total club income \$55.

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**\* Modification C** (See finance committee report above)

*Small increase in membership rate, add park flyer membership classification. (\$19 dollar increase for Adult and Family, but no increase to Junior members).*

Adults 43 @ \$99	= \$4,257	
Family 9 @ \$124	= \$1,035	
Park Flyer 6 estimated @ \$25	= \$150	NEW CLASSIFICATION
Junior 1 @ \$25	= \$25	
Total # membership = 59	Total income \$ <b>5,548</b>	

*With these membership criteria, we need a minimum of 70 members to break even on financial responsibility.*

End of year income;	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
<i>No membership growth:</i>	-882	-882	-882	-882	-882	-882
<i>5 members added per year:</i>	-436	577	1097	1543	2063	2508
<i>10 members added per year:</i>	-15	877	1818	2784	3725	4691

Bank balance (31 dec);							# members' end of 2016
<i>No membership growth:</i>	7327	6445	5563	4681	3799	2917	<b>59</b>
<i>5 members added per year:</i>	7773	8350	9447	10990	13053	15561	<b>89</b>
<i>10 members added per year:</i>	8194	9071	10889	13673	17398	22089	<b>119</b>