

JCRC Meeting Highlights and Meeting Minutes March 27, 2012

Eddie Cline opened the meeting at 6:45. The February 2012 meeting minutes were approved with a correction provided by Rhea Starnes (motion by Dave Peterson, second by Greg Cowen). The Treasurer's report was presented by Anthony Hall, who reported nine new members so far this year.

Old Business: Rhea Starnes reported that a resolution to the disposition of the East Tennessee Modelers club funds was underway. Eddie asked for a vote to address the broken gate (from tree limb damage). The approximately \$130 cost for a new gate was approved by vote, unless the gate is repaired within a week or so by club volunteer (Ed Fennell).

The workday last Saturday prepared the site for relocating the picnic shelter adjacent to the current shelter on the flight line. This is to better serve members and visitors with more space near the flight line during events. **At least 10 members are needed next Saturday, March 31, beginning at 9:00** to manually move the shelter across the parking lot. For those less able to lift, there are also the jobs of painting and general cleanup.

New Business –

The first Fly-In of the year will be April 21. Next is the Giant Scale Fly-In on May 5 (flying other aircraft will also encouraged, although there may be a few events when only giant scale is permitted).

Everyone should note that we now have a lower field area designated for flying helicopters, park flyers, etc. where no runway is needed. You will pass this newly mowed section of the field as you enter the field on the right well before the T-33 (a picnic table is currently present as an elevated workspace). The flight path's of each field section do not overlap. Contact Dave Collea with any questions.

Dave Collea is finalizing the mowing list for the year and still has a few open spots if anyone wants to mow, or mow more than they are currently assigned – the payment to the mower is \$45 each time they mow. He will provide the list soon by email.

Dave Peterson (Safety Officer) commented that all pilots need to continue to be aware of the field boundaries. Eddie pointed out that we have had no complaints from neighbors for over a year and the Johnson City managers believe we are being good stewards at the field. The city removed the large tree which had been dropping limbs near the gate.

The motion to adjourn was made by Dave Peterson and seconded by Greg Cowen.

Respectfully submitted,

Ed McEntire, JCRC Secretary