

FROM THE SECRETARY

Minutes of Barnstormers meeting 2-3-2005, called to order at 7:30 pm.

All officers present except Harper Taylor and Bob Johnson.

New officers for 2005 are Bob Upton - president, Kirk Jensen - vice president, Gary Baumgartner – secretary, Harper Taylor continues as treasurer and Bob Johnson as editor.

Visitors were welcomed.

There was discussion regarding operation of the kitchen during events. Max Taylor said the Civil Air Patrol is willing to operate the kitchen and park cars for the profits from the kitchen. This was approved.

Bear proposed renovations be made to the kitchen. Bear and Gary Baumgartner will present options and cost at the next meeting.

New signs with rules and warnings have been prepared by Greg Gathright. They will be posted at the field.

PA system improvements are being made. Max Taylor said \$250.00 is needed to complete. Expenditure was approved.

Adam Kaminskas continues as safety officer. He stated that during 2004 there were two minor accidents. Remember to fill out accident reports should the need arise. Adam will be assisted with safety this year by Bear and Paul Langner.

There is a form at the field that must be filled out when guests fly. All guests must have a sponsor and the sponsor must be present at all times. The sponsor is to make sure that the guest knows the rules of the field.

Bear volunteered to change the names of the officers on the sign at the field entrance.

An inter-club fun fly is scheduled for Mar 5. There will be a work period prior to the flying to clean up the east fence line. Food that was left from BEST will be cooked.

Max Taylor said Big Bird is scheduled for Oct. 15 and 16. Kirk Jensen said BEST is scheduled for Oct.

There was discussion involving reviving pylon racing. There is interest in doing this with 1/2 A size electrics.

There were four planes in show and tell. Bring your planes to the meetings. Plane voted best will win a gallon of fuel. – **Gary Baumgartner**