

#### THE PROP WASH

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Meetings are held on the first Saturday of the month at the Flying field at 9:30 am We hope to see you there.

## PRESIDENTS CORNER



Great end of summer flying at the field continues to go on. We are actively making updates and upgrades to help our members enjoy the site to fly or hang out and socialize.

New club shirts have been ordered and should be available (\$25) at our next flying event- BEST held the first weekend of October. Still time to volunteer for setup, cooking, cleanup, getting donations or giving planes or RC items for the raffle or auction.

Reminder to get you renewals in to our treasurer. The field combos will be changed at the September meeting. So come on out to the field Saturday Sep 6th. 9:30am and participate in the meeting.

Joe



# Secretary report

Steve Baker

## August 2025 Prop Wash

Well guess what it's August and it's hot!!!

So please be careful while at the field and drink plenty of water.

The field is in great shape, and they have just cut and bailed the hay.

Thanks to all who support our beautiful club! Please continue to help with the field mowing. The power outlets have been installed at the north parking lot, and we are talking about making the sough parking lot.

I am still working on my Corsair project, got the new DLE 85 installed and began to install the electronics.

Remember the engine is the heart of the plane, but the pilot is the soul.

Have a great month and stay cool!!

# Meeting Minutes

#### August 2, 2025, Tri-County Barnstormer Meeting Minutes

Meeting call to order at 9:32 a.m. August 2, 2025

Attending officers: Joe, Jeremiah, Steve, Stacey and Jay

There were 28 members and 4 guests present

**Secretary Report:** June meeting minutes were approved

#### Vice President Report:

We continue to need help with the mowings, please help when you can.

Please update the field maintenance chart when you do work at the field.

It was discussed to hire out the mowing at the club at \$8700.00 per year.

Jeremiah agreed to show everyone how to operate the lawn equipment.

Please make sure that your AMA is up to date.

The electrical is active at the north parking area. The electrical plugs at the tables have been updated.

Jay brought up the idea of extending the electrical to the south parking area.

#### Treasury Report:

Invoices have been mailed out.

The account has \$16,073.58 before membership dues.

Badges will be available at the September meeting.

Gate code will be changed on September 1st.

**Safety Officer Report**: Advised that we would not purchase a new CO2 extinguisher, the defibrillator is in good working order.

#### <u>Old Business report:</u>

The total spent on the electrical was \$1242.09 which was under budget.

Jay got pricing on the t-shirts \$670 for 40 shirts. We have received \$200 towards the shirts from sponsors.

We will use event money to purchase the shirts.

Jay has sold 1 piece of the field equipment

#### New Business report:

Bruce Kain, Ryan Young and Matthew Young were voted into the club.

Jay proposed to set aside \$2000 to put the electrical boxes at south parking lot. There was a motion and a 2<sup>nd</sup> motion passed. Jay proposed to explore the cost of enclosing the new slab.

Attendance drawing Gary Chinnas not here

Meeting adjourned at 10:35 a.m..



## Words from the VP

Jeremiah Langlois

As we near the end of Aug and move into Sep. Please don't forget our gate code will be changing Sep 1st... Our next meeting will be Sep 6th. We look forward to seeing you all there...

I want to say thank you to all those that have been helping with the field work it's been a tuff year with all the rain helping make the grass grow! We now have electricity ran down the north end of the parking area this will help when we have events and people being able to charge batteries near where they are set up and parked...we are working on some numbers for the next steps into getting our newly poured slab walled in...and will share this information with you all in the upcoming meetings....



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# DON'T FORGET

TRI-COUNTY BARNSTORMER CLUB MEETINGS ON THE FIRST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH. NEXT MEETING IS

September 6th

At the flying field at 9:30 am