

December 2nd the 2021 Tri-County Barnstormers meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm with 20 members and 8 visitors in attendance at the Friendship Center in Conroe for our December Christmas dinner celebration and new officer voting. Club president Kirk Jensen called for a vote on the previous minutes and they were approved (The Prop Wash posted on the Tri-County Barnstormers website). Field has been pre setup for winter weather with heaters placed in the bathrooms and pump house.

Old business: The audit of the TBS books was completed by Joe Berryman and Melvin Lindsay with the results of the audit being read by the club president who reported that there were no findings of inadequate recordkeeping and a clear audit reported of the books.

New business:

Dean Marcott presented an overview of his 3D printer with a demonstration of how it works.

Kirk relayed that he had received a request from an AMA visiting pilot that wanted to use the field for a shakedown flight on a \$150k drone before it was presented in a local demonstration. Kirk reported the drone was silent and had a high-resolution camera that was able to capture the license plates of moving vehicles passing by on the road outside while the drone was in flight inside the field boundaries.

New members Jake Lears, David Oneal, and Darrell Tharp (reconfirmed) were voted into to the club.

The President, Treasurer, and Secretary nominated themselves for their respective positions. VP Steve Sartor completed his term and requested not to be considered for a second term. We thank Steve for his services as 2021VP. Request for additional nominations from the floor yielded a new candidate for Vice President - Gabriel Virene. No additional nomination were received for the board positions. Voting commenced and the 2022 board is as follows

President	Kirk Jensen
Vice President	Gabriel Virene
Treasurer	Sam Barrett
Secretary	Joe Marquardt

There will be no club meeting in January 2022. The first club meeting will be February 3 2022 at 7:30pm.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30pm and the Christmas feast was started along with the swap meet.

Barbeque from McKenzies was provided by the club and members brought wonderful sides and desserts to share.

Happy flying for the remainder of 2021 and look forward to seeing you at the field next year!