MID-HUDSON RADIO CONTROL SOCIETY

General Meeting Minutes

Date: 1/6/2014

Start time: 7:05 PM, at the Poughkeepsie United Methodist Church

Present: 12 members, 0 guests

- Bob Allen brought in his latest building project, a 1/3 scale Balsa USA Fokker D-7. It will be powered with a Zenoah G62, and a Mick Reeves reduction drive unit.
- Bob discussed briefly the upcoming Scale Building Seminar scheduled for January 25.
- Rob Schulze reported that the Red Wing field is in good shape. The weather turned out to be great yesterday despite the postponing of the Frost Fly due to the weather forecast. The Frost Fly is rescheduled for this upcoming weekend, weather permitting.
- Warren Batson mentioned that the Board is working on updates to the club By-Laws, and should have a draft ready for the membership to review and vote on shortly. The Board will also be working on a "new membership" process. A draft for this should be ready in a few months.
- Membership renewal forms are available on the club's website. Please send in your renewals to Rob Stubbs.
- Warren mentioned that the "The LaGrange Youth Program" activity night is scheduled for January 24. We will be helping the youngsters to build the AMA Delta Darts. Warren is looking for volunteers to help out with this.
- Warren mentioned that the Boy Scouts have asked us to again put on a static/flying display at their upcoming Scouting Day, this May at the Dutchess County Fairgrounds. A quick check of those present was in support of doing this.
- Warren sent out to the modeling public the idea of doing a fun-fly type event at the Rhinebeck Aerodrome this May 17-18. The response back has been overwhelmingly positive. A motion was made by Rick Rizza that the club go ahead with the plans to run this event. Rob Schulze seconded the motion. A vote was taken, with all in favor.
- Warren updated us with some of the progress that has been going on up at the Aerodrome, including the beautiful restoration project of the Albatros DV.
- Lloyd Quick showed a neat and inexpensive battery voltage indicator that he found online. Very versatile and accurate.

Meeting adjourned: 8:32 PM

Minutes submitted by: Flavio Ambrosini