MID-HUDSON RADIO CONTROL SOCIETY

General Meeting Minutes

Date: 10/7/2019

Start time: 7:04 PM, at the Poughkeepsie United Methodist Church

Present: 9 members, 0 guests

- The minutes from the previous meeting located on the club's website, were accepted as posted.
- Peter Jagich presented the current treasury status as prepared by Fred DiMaria.
- Field report for Wallkill: The field is now closed for the winter season. Peter mentioned that three members showed up for the closing work party. The orange fencing that is being used is very worn out. It will need to be replaced next spring.
- Field report for Redwing: Rob Schulze noted that there was a trailer blocking the road leading to the field. He was able to navigate around it though.
- Flavio Ambrosini noted that he is waiting back from the church for verification of the date requested for the Scale Building Seminar in January. Once the date is verified, he will work with Bob Allen to send out emails and post on the club website.
- John Robinson has two sets of plans for sale. One for a 1/2A Pietenpol, and one for a 70" twin Heinkel.
- Peter mentioned that he was contacted and asked about a drone incident that happened in the Albany area. The AMA apparently has our field coordinates listed in error.
- Bill Bernart said that he had received an email regarding the FAA proposal to limit model flying in controlled airspace to 400 feet. The email allows us to voice our concerns about this. It is very easy to respond back.
- Peter brought up in discussion some of the issues from this year's Jamboree. The board and club will look into these to determine what can be done to address these issues.
- It was mentioned that a former member from the years back, George Mattison, had passed. George was also the owner of the model shop in Pleasant Valley.
- Peter reminded members that the election for club officers will be next month. Also the budget proposal for next year will be voted on.
- A discussion was held on the topic of bringing in new members. Ideas of mall events, swap shops, etc... were raised. Peter will send out a communication to members to see if there is interest in doing a mall event.

Meeting adjourned: 7:32 PM

Minutes submitted by: Flavio Ambrosini