

MID-HUDSON RADIO CONTROL SOCIETY
General Meeting Minutes

Date: 4/7/2014

Start time: 7:12 PM, at the Poughkeepsie United Methodist Church

Present: 18 members, 3 guests

- The minutes from the previous meeting (located on the club's website) were accepted as posted.
- Field reports: Rick Rizza noted that the Wallkill field is in good shape, but also very wet. The scheduled work party will be pushed out one week to allow the access road and field to dry out. The porta-potty will be delivered when the conditions dry up enough. Warren relayed the Redwing report from Rob Schulze. The field is in good shape and wet. Caution should be exercised when parking due to the wet conditions. It is advisable to park on the road, and down the grass slope.
- Warren noted the following upcoming events:
 - May 10, Float fly at Lake Taconic
 - May 12, Regular meeting (scheduled one week later than normal)
 - May 17, Scouts static display at the county fairgrounds
 - May 17-18, ORA Funfly at the Aerodrome
- Fred DiMaria reported on the club's finances.
- Dave Simons suggested the possibility of having a "tailgate swap session" at one of the field meetings this summer. This would be an opportunity for members to buy and sell modeling related items.
- Project night: the following members and aircraft were on display
 - Don Serafin, 1/3 scale Fokker D7
 - Ron Knapp, PT-19
 - Rick Rizza, Globe Swift
 - Fred and Joseph DiMaria, several U-control models
 - Charlie Knight, Newport 17
 - Flavio Ambrosini, 1/4 scale J-3 Cub, unfinished
 - Ron Revelle, 1/4 scale J-3 Cub, finished
- Rob Van Der Meulen did a presentation on laser cutting. Examples were shown on the different possible items and results that can be done with laser cutting and/or etching.

Meeting adjourned: 9:15 PM

Minutes submitted by: Flavio Ambrosini