



York County Flyers, Inc.

PO Box 4556, Rock Hill, SC 29732

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MEETING MINUTES

January 8, 2011

Meeting Time: 10:00 am

Location: Holland Stowe Home Workshop

Club Officers: Jeff Carr, Jim Carroll, Jason Jones, Doug Sipprell, Paul Fleury, Justin Sebastian

Members present: 62 registered paid in full

Next Scheduled Meeting: The next scheduled meeting is 10:00 am, Saturday, February 5th, at the home of Holland Stowe. Holland lives at 774 Gatewood Dr., Rock Hill. If you need to speak to Holland, call cell# 803-417-1549.

OLD BUSINESS UPDATE

Treasury Report: Doug Sipprell presented the treasury report giving updates on all financial data. The club is financially sound. The PayPal account is doing well with an active positive balance.

Welcome New Members:

We are happy to have you socialize, hang out, and fly model aircraft with us. We hope you enjoy all the fun and excitement our club has to offer. YCF extends a warm welcome to all new members.

Membership Cards 2011

Most of you should have your membership cards by now. For those that have renewed recently, you will be getting your card in the mail soon. Questions? Jason Jones, jason.e.jones@gmail.com. Also, for your information, newly adopted **AMA** rules for 2011 make **AMA** youth memberships available at no charge, (*instead of \$1.00*)

Recognition and Information:

Greg Blackwell and Holland Stowe.....Many thanks to Greg for coordinating the micro fly ins at Shield of Faith and to Holland for safety management and supervision. Thank you to Paul Fleury and Bob Russell for the Heli Pad...the posts are in place, rafters and metal roofing to follow....work to resume when the weather improves...also, thanks to Brendan Sullivan for the use of his compressor and nail gun. We appreciate you!

SCHEDULED FLY-INS for 2010

Please make note of the following upcoming events, mark your calendars:

Electric Indoor Flying Events at the Shield Of Faith Church on Firetower Rd. in Rock Hill, SC. The events are scheduled for Tuesday evenings. Flying is 6 - 9 PM. Charge up those micro electrics and come on out! Greg Blackwell, event planner.

February 15, 2011

March 15, 2011

SEFF, April 11 – April 16, Monday thru Saturday
Southeast Electric Flight Festival, Americus , Ga.,
website is seff2011.com

YCF Spring Fly In. April 23rd

Date is set, more info to come later

JOE NALL Event, May 8th-14th,

This is the 6 day big daddy of fly ins in South Carolina.

JOE NALL ANNUAL ELECTRIC FLY IN, Sept.29th,30th, and Oct. 1st

The first of its kind...plans are to continue on an annual basis. Should be great fun !

YCF Discus Launch Glider Festival, June 17,18,19

Father's Day Weekend.... this event will be held at the York Electric Cooperative Field. The main YCF field will remain open for flying but will be restricted to 2.4 Ghz radio frequency only. Please note and comply !

The entry fee is \$45.00. This will include BBQ dinner on Saturday and \$5.00 donation to F3K team (an AMA donation)

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SAFETY BRIEFING

We've been fortunate to be injury free in the past few years. With the dramatic interest and support of rotary wing aircraft, we must be mindful of key safety issues. Key items are:

Pilots must fly aircraft from behind the safety fence.

Pilots must not taxi aircraft behind the safety fence.

The following safety violation policy voted on and adopted is:

1. 1st violation....verbal warning
2. 2nd violation...written warning
3. 3rd violation...membership revoked and prorated dues refunded

NEW BUSINESS

None at this time

For Your Information

I have a large assortment of *Model Airplane News* and *RC Flyer* magazines recent issues that I no longer need. They are in good condition, would like to give them away...free. I have too many and more on the way. If no one claims by the end of Feb., they will be recycled. If anyone is interested, please contact me. My info.

Mike Baker

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We received a letter from Steve Hall regarding his father, William Hall, a former member of YCF. It was a very nice letter received by Jason Jones, the club secretary. Steve wrote to inform us that his father had passed away and to share the following information. Over the years he accumulated many RC airplane magazines from the 1990's to the 2000's. If no one wants them they will be thrown away. If anyone is interested, please let them know. Steve's email is skhall@mindspring.com. His father's address is:

William Hall, 3527 Conway Ave., Charlotte, NC 28209.



HOSPICE and COMMUNITY CARE

At the December 14th Micro Fly In held at Shield of Faith Church in Rock Hill, Brent Good presents a \$1000.00 check donation on behalf of York County Flyers to Tony Caruso of Hospice and Community Care. Tony was thrilled at this gift and extends his gratitude to all members of York County Flyers.



That's all for now...safe and happy flying until next time.

Your Editor...Mike Baker