



AMA Charter #3470

November, 2016

Club Information

President: Seth Nagy

Vice President: Ted Flemming

Secretary: Wayne Barrett

Treasurer: Tom Withem

Safety Officer: Butch Clark

Field Marshall: Keith Herold

Intro Pilots: Chris Roberts, Seth Nagy, Vic Welland, Tom Schultz, David Hames

Contest Chairman: Vic Welland, Don Bourdon

Meeting Activity Coordinator: Chris Roberts

A Note From The President

November is election month. We will elect club officers at the meeting. The nominations from last month are Terry Gilliland - President, Ted Fleming - VP, Tom Witham - Treasurer, and Wayne Barrett - Secretary. There will be an opportunity for additional nominations before the vote is called. The other positions - Safety Officer, Field Officer, etc are appointed. I hope you will be able to attend the meeting on the 15th. - Seth

NEXT MEETING

*Our next club meeting is
Tuesday, November 15th at 7:00PM
at the Caldwell Public Library,
120 Hospital Ave NW, Lenoir, NC.*

Typical Meeting Agenda

- Welcome
- Approve Agenda
- New member applications
- Reports
 - Field Officer
 - Safety Officer
 - Intro Pilots report
 - Treasurer's report
- Old Business
- New Business
- Auction / Show & Tell
- Q & A

October's Meeting Minutes

Seth called the meeting to order at 7:00PM and welcomed everyone.

There were no new member applications.

The minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved.

Tom arrived just in time to deliver the financial report - \$2816.16 and 34 paid members

Field report – looks nice, we need a bigger boulder.

Safety report – Butch “A-OK”

No new Intro Pilots, but it was told that Rick Harris would like to get out and fly sometime.

Old business – Lee and Ken thank everyone who came out for the Bob Tillman Memorial Fly-In.

Old business – Seth followed up on the possibility of getting electrical service to the field. With it being an old landfill, this doesn't appear to be an option for us.

New Business – We voted and the “yeas” prevailed in scheduling a quarterly porta-jon cleaning!

New Business – We nominated people for the elected officer positions for 2017; see Seth's notes above.

New Business – It was suggested that we have our Christmas party at the Side Street Pour House and this can be voted on at the next meeting.

New Business – After attending Hunting Creek's Bob Tillman Memorial Fly-In, Butch Clark (our Safety Officer who works at Longview Electric) told about the event to his coworkers and employer. The owner of Longview Electric, Luke Connelly, asked butch for a 2017 event list from CAM so that he can look through it and consider some of the events for him to sponsor. This has the potential to be a great way for CAM to reach a wider group of potential members, work with and invite other clubs, have a closer relationship to our community, and really promote the hobby in a great way. So for the November meeting, we have decided to tackle a list of possible events we can host through 2017.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:45PM.

After the meeting, Chris gave a presentation of his prototype lost plane alarm. The alarm is designed to be powered by a small standalone 1S lipo and features an LED indicator light and a loud beeper. It operated off of a spare channel such as a gear channel, but a really neat function of the alarm is that it does not use up the channel; i.e. you can use it on your gear channel and still have retracts that work just fine. Once the alarm is armed, it can be remotely activated through its assigned channel. It also will sound off if the receiver battery dies or is knocked lose during a crash; so the alarm can still help you find your plane even if the plane's battery is lost, pretty neat!