



# Hangar Rat

Spillway Radio Control Club, Inc.

AMA Chapter 979

Founded 1972

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## Next Meeting:

The next meeting of the Spillway Radio Control Club will be Thursday, May 14th at 7:30 PM. at the St. Charles public library.

## Minutes:

Cary Armand called the meeting to order at 7:31pm. Loren read the treasure's report which stated that the club currently has \$6454.33 in the bank.

**Old Business** – The fun fly will be on April 18,2009 at 9 AM. There will be a \$5 landing fee. Some events could be climb and glide, spot landing, taxiing contest. There will only be one plane allowed per pilot and that plane must be used for every event. Food will be provided with bar b que on the menu. The prizes will be cash money with the amounts to be determined at the beginning of the event.

**New Business:** Buck mentioned of a possible donation for some metal building materials if the club could use it. Skip Jacob reminded the club that approval from the core is needed to build anything permanent at the field.

It is time order fuel again Lauren will place the order in the next few weeks.

The website fees have been renewed. The certificate of insurance has been issued. The certificate for the AMA charter was also received. The club incorporation has been applied for the club for 2009.

Lauren Bailey brought up some discussion for the future of whether or not to lower the dues; future decision will be had at meetings to come.

Bill Phelps stated he had found remains from fireworks on the field, if anyone finds someone doing anything illegal it needs to be reported to SCPD. Do not handle it yourself.

Lauren Bailey and Al Smith are still working on the club flag. Some prices are being gathered and possibly the money could get donated to the club. The size of these club flags will have to be smaller than the American flag size that is flown at the field now.

Skip talked about a National Outdoors day on June 13, 2009 this could be a good day for the club to put on a display and greet the general public.

Skip Jacobs stood up and talked about SAFETY, he has noticed that some people have been flying above and beyond their skill levels and also flying dangerously, this was brought up as a reminder to be safe and fly safely. Any near misses or unsafe acts should be brought up and talked about in a courteous manner before someone gets hurt. Lauren Bailey mentioned that there should be a safety discussion brought back to the meetings like in the past. It was agreed upon that there will a safety topic at future meetings. Safety Is Everyone's Responsibility.

Please welcome Chris Barrett who was voted in as a new member.

**Model of the Month:** Al Smith showed his Super Trainer, a low wing trainer that looks like the super tiger and is powered with a Tower Hobbies .46

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