

MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING
AUGUST 12, 2004

The meeting was called to order by President Roland Lamer at 7:2 p.m. There were no additions or deletions to the minutes of the last meeting. There were 44 members in attendance.

TREASURER'S REPORT: In the absence of Jim Breen, George Santikian read the Treasurer's Report provided by Jim. All is well with our accounts.

GUESTS: None

NEW MEMBERS: Waymon Pendergrass, Albert Movesian, Christian Angelich were all voted into FRM; Welcome men:

OLD BUSINESS: John Lockwood reported on the recent T-34 Pylon Races held August 7 at the FRM Field; After expenses, the event took in over \$700.00 with over 30 entries, and John Lockwood and John DeProspero won 2nd and 3rd place respectively; Congratulations to John and Company for a very enjoyable and successful event; John lastly thanked all who assisted during the event.

Ron Thalman reported on the proposed storage facility; Much discussion on this subject; Members voted to purchase the \$1,900.00 storage structure.

George Santikian asked members to discuss any further changes to our revised FRM Constitution, Bylaws, and Field Rules as published in Watts New; Members had no new changes; Publication will continue next month and will be voted on at the September Business Meeting. (*Note: Our thanks to Jim Breen for reorganizing and preparing the revisions for our Newsletter).

Dave Fusinato reported on the upcoming Jet Rally, September 17—19, FRM Field; Dave reported that there is much interest by pilots and spectators; For more information or to volunteer to assist Dave, call (559) 940—DAVE.

NEW BUSINESS: George Santikian reported on Flyers available for the Giant Scale event at Morgan Will hosted by SCCMAS, August 14, 2004.

Eric Dreaden reported on upcoming Scale Warbird event at the FRM Field on August 28; Help for Parking/Donations, Snack Bar, etc., is needed; Contact Eric if you can assist him at (559) 292-5210. Eric also asked club to consider replacing orange plastic fencing north of pit area; Eric will get bids on costs and report to the club for vote.

Jack Weems reminded members of the August 15, 2004 Float Fly at Millerton Lake (Madera side); All FRM and Madera club members are welcome:

Roland Lamer reported that FRM member Gary Wucinski and wife Molly have volunteered to head our Snack Bar Committee for next year; our thanks to Roland and wife Gail for handling this important task for many years.

Jack Weems reported that a volunteer almond tree (presumably the work of bird-related seed dropping:) is growing about 100 feet from the Field entry gate; **WARNING TO ALL:** Do not damage or disturb this tree in any way as Jack may want to harvest almonds from this "special gift to the club We think Jack is very serious about this... No jokes please; Only at FRM are these things possible:

AWARDS: **Ace:** John Lockwood and Gang for a fine T-314 event; **Goof:** Paul Bourzac for tripping in pit area sending his plane full throttle into the pit area; **Crying Towel:** Ron THalman for crashing his T-34 racer.

SHOW AND TELL: Don Tatum showed his P-51 fuselage with special lettering and detailing; Nice job, Don.

MEETING ADJOURNED: 8:38 p.m.

RAFFLE: Lucky members won a number of great R/O prizes featuring an R/C kit, engine, glue, and many more fine R/c items.

Thanks George for Taking the Minutes.