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Flying Pilgrims Town Crier

Next Meeting: 7:00pm August 20th

Location – Flying Pilgrims Field

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Field Report

Wednesday evenings are designated for training new pilots. Remember they need extra space and consideration as they learn. Their flights take precedence over general flying during the designated training times.



Glenn McIntosh's Super Cub on a fly by at the July Fun Fly (Photo by Bill Slabey)

Club Business

The June Meeting was canceled due to severe weather.

The July Meeting called to order at 7:03pm by President Tom Ranta.
Club officers in attendance: Tom Ranta, Carl Cornell, Jack Kezelian
Attendance – 16 members

Old Business

- No old business.

New Business

- Jack gave the treasury report. The club is financially stable, details of the finances are available to members during the meetings (just before or after).

Discussion

General discussion about club activities took place during the meeting (unofficial business)

- ✂ Jack mentioned that the fun fly on July 20th was an open house with the hopes of getting some area flyers out to see our field and enjoy the day. Food and other preparations were to be very much like any other fun fly.
- ✂ The Giant Scale Fly is on September 13th & 14th. Volunteers are needed to help with a number of things. Speak up if you are willing to help out during this fundraiser.

July Fun Fly

The July Fun Fly was well attended by club members and area flyers. Thanks to the members that contributed (Jim and Jack) to make the event a success. Especially those (Joe and Don) that had not planned to help out but did!

Video of Wade from Skymasters flying his Curtiss Jenny during the fun fly (video by Rick Reynolds) <http://youtu.be/sB-4RSkNZBA>

Fun fly highlights video created by Jason Paluchniak <http://youtu.be/c5nv81xYeZ8>

Newsletter photos taken by Bill Slabey

(See more on the website - <http://www.flyingpilgrims.com/gallery/thumbnails.php?album=21>)



Funfly host Jack Kezelian













Meeting adjourned at 7:35 PM.

Club Events

August Membership Meeting – 7:00pm Wednesday August 20th 2014. General Membership Meeting hosted at Flying Pilgrims Field (off Ridge Road just north of Geddes Road.).

Fun Fly – Fun Fly for Flying Pilgrims members and their families. Fly, eat, have fun. Flying starts Sunday August 24nd at noon.

Fall Phase Out For Fun Radio Controlled Airshow –Giant Scale Fly-In and Airshow September 13th and 14th sponsored by Flying Pilgrims Model Aircraft Club and IMAA Chapter 31. All Giant Scale, War Birds, and Jet Aircraft welcome. [Event location](#) – Flying Pilgrims Field on the corner of Geddes and Ridge Rd, Ypsilanti, MI. Event Flyer - http://www.flyingpilgrims.com/phpwebsite/index.php?module=documents&JAS_DocumentManager_op=downloadFile&JAS_File_id=192

Area Events

Monroe Area Cloud Busters Humane Society Benefit – August 16th at the Monroe Area Cloud Busters field. RC flying demonstrations/airshow to benefit the Monroe humane Society. For more information contact Leo snaproll7@comcast.net.

Thunder Over Michigan – Vintage flight demonstration and airshow presented by the Yankee Air Museum, Willow Run Airport, Ypsilanti, MI. August 9-10, 2014. For more information visit - <http://www.yankeeairmuseum.org/airshow/#>.

Michigan Jets Annual Charitable Fun Fly – Radio Controlled Model Jets at Gross Ile Airport to raise funds for Make a Wish, Naval Air Station Gross IIs, and Wishes in Flight. August 7 to 10, admission is \$10 per car load. For more information visit <http://www.michiganjets.com>.

Flying Pilgrims Club Officers 2013

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