



Hello all,

December is here! I hope again you all are well and healthy. Things are still a little weird out there with this virus still going on, but I am still thankful for being able to still go flying. Last meeting, we did have at the church instead of our Appreciation dinner. We had a good turn out, stayed socially distanced and had a good visit. Larry did an overview on repairing foam planes and hinge joints. thanks for going over that Larry, I learned a couple things and I enjoy having those discussions. It is always nice to get others input on different approaches on things I know we all run into, we all can learn something from someone else.



Larry Nelson giving presentation on hinges and foam airplanes

Don't forget it is that time of year pay your club dues for this next year, and last year if you haven't, we don't mind double payments. Also keep up with your AMA that is required to fly at the field and on top of that your FAA number, mine expires this month. It is only \$5.00 for three years see the link below.

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Our December meeting will be at the church as normal. We will be doing our election of officers for the next year as normal. This will be a little harder due to the virus, I know there are a few that are not comfortable coming to the meeting due to the virus and health concerns which I completely understand and support. We came up with a couple ideas because I really want your input. if you have a nomination please send it to Stan before meeting date. Larry is also working on doing a Zoom call during the Meeting if that is something you are interested in please reach out to Larry so he can have your email address and we can try that. Here are the current positions held:

President	Destry Jacobs
Vice President	Larry Nelson
Safety Officer	Ron Banta
Events Coordinator & Webmaster	Brian Westberg
Secretary/Treasurer	Chuck Curtis
Newsletter Editor	Stan Johnson

Please email your nomination(s) to: sjohnson825@msn.com

My term as president has been very fulfilling. I am proud to be a part of such a great group of people and to see how far we have come year after year just getting better and stronger. I have been putting the ideas out there for having someone else taking the reins and taking us to the next level. New blood, new fresh ideas a new approach. Is that you? Do you know someone? I will always be committed to this club and be a part of it and appreciate all of you for the support you have given me in the past. Look at the other Positions out there if there might be something you would like to do or become part of the leadership team. Don't delay, do it today! let's count your vote, have a voice.

As of now we are still planning to have our New Year's Fun Fly on New Year's Day so keep that in mind and we will be sending out updates on that.

Stay positive, stay healthy, get out and fly!

Destry

Member of the Year Award

Les Scheidt has been named Member of the Year for 2020 by our club president Destry Jacobs. This award is given annually to a club member for reasons including regular attendance at meetings, helping out with club events, field work and other activities.

Les was presented the award at our November meeting. Congratulations Les!

SJ



Les receiving Member of the Year Award from Destry

Upcoming Events:

December 8, Tuesday, 7:15 PM. Meeting at the church. We meet in the basement of the Methodist Church, NW corner of Willson and Olive St. Use alley side entrance.

Election of new club officers.

Swap Meet!

January 1, New Years Day Fun Fly.

January 12, Tuesday, 7:15 PM. Meeting

Building Season

It's winter and it's building time. The only interruption will be the New Year's day fun fly with hot chocolate and burnt (sometimes) chili. It's always a fun time and, if anyone needs skis, I have a jig for making them from 1/8" plywood. The plywood works well for the larger planes and the plastic ones are better on the small models. It's New Year's Day that we really appreciate the club house.

If anyone needs small parts - hinges, quick links, etc.-let me know.

Chuck Curtis



New Years Day 2020!

Club Officers for 2020

President	Destry Jacobs	581-4374
Vice President	Larry Nelson	599-4222
Safety Officer	Ron Banta	600-6846
Events Coordinator & Webmaster	Brian Westberg	580-3834
Secretary / Treasurer	Chuck Curtis	587-4934
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