

August 2023 Meeting Minutes – Northwest Skyraiders (Control Line Model Airplane Club)

Meeting held August 8, 2023, 6:00 PM at Denny's at 1246 North Central Ave, Kent, WA.

18 members were present including:

- Mike Potter – President
- Kris Millard – Vice President
- Steven Holt – Secretary / Treasurer
- Dave Gardner – Safety Officer
- Steve Ashmore
- Jeff Byers
- Rodney Claus
- Dennis Clinton
- Bob Einhaus
- Steve Helmick
- Ben Jones
- Randy Ling
- John Lunz
- Trent Marvin
- Jim McCartney
- Jim Schneider
- Wayne Terry
- Bob Welch

Mike Potter called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

Old Business:

- The status of the new potential flying field at Thun Field was discussed. Authorization for use of the field is proceeding, with Thun Field management. The site has expanded to 2-1/2 acres, allowing room for 2 possible grass circles with paved centers. Jim McCartney reported that the potential flying site had been cleared of the brush on it by the airport personnel. Randy, Jim and Mike will continue to maintain contact in support of the development of this plan.

New Business:

- Steve Holt gave a Secretary and Treasury report noting our current Checking and Savings balances. Howard Rush contacted Steve and will provide a final financial accounting for the Stunt-A-Thon contest when he returns from the NATS.
- Mike Potter and Randy Ling provided information on the next Northwest Skyraiders Contest, the R.F. Stevenson Memorial Raider Roundup contest is scheduled for September 16-18 at the Auburn Municipal Airport. Randy will be reaching out to members for assistance in running the contest. The events were agreed to and Randy will be submitting the sanctioning paperwork soon.
- **The list of future events from Flying Lines include the following:**
- August 18-20: Bladder Grabber, Snohomish Field, John Knoppi, CD
- September 16-18: R.F. Stevenson Memorial Raider Roundup, Auburn Municipal Airport, Auburn, Wash., for Aerobatics and Carrier.
- October 7-8: Ringmaster Flyathon, Auburn Airport, Dave Gardner, CD.
- The meeting was adjourned at 7:15 pm.

As submitted by Steven Holt, Northwest Skyraiders Secretary/Treasurer

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