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MEETINGS HELD MONTHLY FROM OCTOBER THROUGH APRIL,
 SECOND WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH, AT 7:00 P.M. IN THE
 BASEMENT OF THE FIRST PLACE BANK, 325 SOUTH HIGH
 STREET, CORTLAND, OHIO 44410. MEETINGS AT FIELD
 FROM MAY THROUGH SEPTEMBER. DIRECT ALL
 CORRESPONDENCE TO CURRENT FAA PRESIDENT.

FLYING FIELD IS THE ERNIE HALL MEMORIAL STRIP, EVERETT HULL RD. (ACROSS FROM TRUMBULL COUNTY
 FAIRGROUNDS, OFF BAZETTA RD). FIELD IS CLOSED DURING THE TRUMBULL COUNTY FAIR.

FLYING HOURS: MONDAY THRU SATURDAY: 9:00 AM TILL DUSK
 SUNDAY: 1:00 PM TILL DUSK
 NOTE: ELECTRICS CAN FLY ON SUNDAY FROM 9:00 A.M. TILL DUSK
 WEDNESDAY IS BEGINNERS DAY

FLYING RULES: YOU MUST HAVE A CURRENT FAA AND AMA MEMBERSHIP. YOU MUST FOLLOW FAA AND AMA RULES.
 ALL FLYING IS TO BE DONE NORTH OF THE FLIGHT LINE. STARTING OF ENGINES IS TO BE DONE IN PILOT
 AREA OF THE READY BOX.

GUEST: UPON PROOF OF VALID AMA MEMBERSHIP, GUEST MAY FLY ON LIMITED OCCASIONS PRIOR TO APPLYING
 FOR FAA MEMBERSHIP.

MEETING MINUTES:	May 13, 2009	LOCATION:	Ernie Hall Field
Called to Order@	07:00 PM	Total Members:	85
Total Attendance: 32	Officers Present: 4	Members Present:	28

REPORTS:

President: Newsletter stands approved. Joe requested a moment of silence in honor of the death of one of our long-time members, Joe Costanzo. Motion made by Charley Carl to send a card to the family, seconded by Ken O'Rell and passed. Also motion made by Charley to donate \$25 to Bristol Library in Joe's honor, seconded by Doug Hannas and motion passed. Joe recommended that the club purchase a memory plaque for names of past members deceased, and post in clubhouse. Idea was that it would start now. Joe will obtain cost and report to club. Charley Carl suggested that we replace and maintain the hummingbird feeder that has, for years, been provided and maintained by John Petit. Club agreed that this was a good idea and Charley offered to take care of this. Joe expressed great thanks to all who attended and helped on Clean-up Day, April 18th. There were 28-30 members present. The field looks great; benches and tables were leveled out and stained, garbage cleaned up. Thanks to Bill Stavana for the great job he did for the club in grading the driveway, rolling the grass, and helping with gravel. Thanks, too, to those who helped Bill (Ray Reghetti, Dan M. and Don S. to name a few). Motion made by Jack Walters to donate \$200 to Bill for his work, seconded by Joe Ramps, and motion passed. Final cost of driveway slag was \$ 585.00, which was well below the estimate of \$1300. A reminder to all who visit the field: SLOW DOWN when entering the field so that we can keep our driveway in shape and the gravel on the driveway, not thrown on the grass. Joe called Rick Seidle and suggested the he cut the grass on Thursday or Friday if possible so that it's in good shape for the weekend. Reminder to club members: STOP FLYING WHEN RICK IS CUTTING GRASS ON RUNWAY. It takes about 40 minutes; let's give Rick the opportunity to do this without interruption. Very small electrics and helicopters can move to the heli corner while field is being mowed. Suggestion made that grass is blown away from the benches and building. Joe will mention to Rick. Bill Stavana offered to groom the east approach.

Technically, this is state land so we are not in a position to request this be done.

Vice President: Nothing

Secretary: AMA is holding a member drive from April 1st through September 14th 2009. Brochures have been left in the building if anyone is interested.

Treasurer: Please contact treasurer for current balances

Field Marshall: Doug requests that members keep gate closed if possible when no one is at the field. There has been some field damage from people coming in. Perhaps this will deter some of this. Also, members mentioned that there are several holes in the field that need to be filled.

Safety: A fire extinguisher has been purchased and is located with the first aid kit behind the frequency board.

Unfinished Business Sanction for FAA Fun Fly on July 26th has been submitted and Joe Lewis will be CD.

Ed Hammond won the \$50 gift certificate on Clean-up Day.

Keith Anderson made a motion that the club should offer free membership to Jon Soda while he is in the military. This led to discussion that to honor those that serve our country, we should offer free membership to any club member who joins the military as long as they maintain an active AMA membership. Keith made the motion, Emil seconded the motion, and passed unanimously. Joe will contact Jon Soda to renew AMA so that he can be offered free membership.

New Business Four new members: Joe Patrizi, Vaughn Craver (former member), Steve Ronyak, and Chuck Sexton (former member). All four were voted into the club. REMINDER: new members must qualify in the presence of 3 current members.

Joe Lewis recommended that the Saturday after our monthly meeting, we have a club picnic at the field. We still have burgers and dogs from the Swap Meet to use and club members each bring a side dish. Ray Park is going to donate a grill to the field and if anyone wants to grill, simply bring your own propane bottle. Time will be 11 a.m. to gather, eat at noon.

Joe Lewis had previously suggested that the club buy pizza for a meeting on occasion, but expenditures cannot be made without club approval. Discussion led to the idea of using 50/50 raffle money to buy pizza after it accumulates enough. Doug Hannas made the motion and seconded by Emil to use accumulated club money to buy pizza for meetings.

Show & Tell John Thomas brought a Stevens Aeromodel kit that he has been working on.

50 / 50 Raffle Won by Joe Tricomi, \$15.50.

Closed Motion to adjourn by Emil Santo and seconded by John McCarty.

NEXT MEETING WILL BE AT ERNIE HALL FIELD ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10th

New Member Gary DiPersi would like to purchase used 72 FM radio that is not too old. Please call 330-372-3770 if you have one to sell.