

February 2020 Meeting Minutes – Northwest Skyraiders (Control Line Model Airplane Club)

Meeting held February 11th, 2020, 7:00 PM at Denny's at 1246 North Central Ave, Kent, WA.

Eleven members were present including:

- Mike Potter – President
- Kris Millard – Vice President
- Dave Gardner – Safety Officer
- Bob Einhaus
- Al Fernandez
- Mike Haverly
- Steve Helmick
- Ben Jones
- Trent Marvin
- Steve Tilden
- Bob Welch

Mike Potter called the meeting to order at 8:00 pm.

- The financial report was presented by Mike Potter. We have substantial balances in both our checking and savings accounts.

Old Business:

- No old business was discussed.

New Business:

- A discussion was held concerning the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) published by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) on the topic of requiring identification transmitters in RC airplanes, drones and other model aircraft.
- The Northwest Aviation EXPO at the Puyallup Fairgrounds was supported by Rodney Claus, Fred Gordon and Mike Potter. The booth was well staffed with Northwest Skyraiders members and flyers. Thanks go to Nick Stratis for coordinating with the EXPO administrators securing our booth.
- The annual northwest Control line contest schedule was discussed and dates were selected for the two Northwest Skyraiders contests. The Stunt-A-Thon contest is scheduled for August 22 and 23, 2020 and the Stevenson Memorial will be held September 12 and 13, 2020. These dates are much later than the club typically schedules them, but between concerns about availability of the Auburn Airport flying site due to construction plans and conflicts with other northwest scheduled flying contests, these were the best dates to select. Mike Potter will be in contact with the Auburn Airport management to follow up on the airport availability.
- The northwest contest and swap meet schedules were discussed. They are available to review on Flying Lines.
- If anyone wants to pay their \$25.00 annual NWSR dues for the 2020 year, please send them to Steve Holt at 2059 Hoquiam Ct NE, Renton, WA 98059. He will send you your membership card.

Mike Potter asked for any other new business and adjourned the meeting until next month. The next meeting will be held on March 10th, 2020 (2nd Tuesday of the month).

By Steve Holt, Northwest Skyriders Secretary/Treasurer (from notes provided by Mike Potter and Dave Gardner)

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