

Pre-meeting:

Paul brought goodies for sale and give-away.

Ed opened an AV bay full of ants. (it was a LIVE charge)

Meeting called to order at 1945

board in attendance:

Gary

David Armstrong

Tim Ryerse

George Rachor

Call for new attendance:

Jeff Brazil from Yamhill

- working with rocketry team at high school (Jordan Slavish) - Yamhill Carlton HS

Erik read minutes

April 1 launch at garden home did not occur due to soggy conditions.

Gary is enquiring with THPRD as to whether porta pots are planned.

2017 OROC flyers are available from Tim Ryerse

Brothers Launch Planning

Waiver expected to be on track. request submitted a month ago, approval agreed in principle, but not sent out yet.

Rent check to land owner planned

Show of hands for May launch - many hands.

Volunteers will be needed. Expect sign-up sheets at the May meeting.

RSO training will be held, probably optional.

launchpad discussion - existing quad pods are slowly wearing out. If you have ideas or know of other commercial options, please speak to BOD.

Safety equipment upgrades.

TRA has budget available by request.

discussion of PA and FM radio system replacement.

need PA system in place by NXRS.

Offer of donation of speakers under condition made.

Defibrillator kit?

kits cost \$1000-1500.

possibility of renting an AED?

THPRD demo launch - party in the park - OROC requested to participate

July 29th (coincides with Brothers launch)

George and Stephan will coordinate.

Anyone interested in helping/flying, please contact George and Stephan.

30m demo for ~5k people.

static display table

Eclipse August 21st.

Silverton High School will be participating in NASA project w/ weather balloon.

Dan will be conducting model rocket launch. Looking for helpers.

Eclipse camping discussion.

OMSI may have space rented at Salem fairgrounds for launch. Contact OMSI for details.

New business:

TARC update: 9 teams practiced w/ George. Last weekend was final qual deadline. All teams got required flights in (~150 over past few weeks)

Evergreen aviation center may be putting in hotel and convention space. Possible NARCON site?

representatives from 100k' rocket club and 30k' club. static test fires coming up this week!

meeting adjourned at 8:29pm.