

OROC Meeting Minutes

Date: September 4, 2008

Location: Giovanni's Restaurant, Beaverton, Oregon

Club Officers Present : Stephen Tarr, Yvonne Moscoe, Gary Harris

Meeting Opened at 7:35 PM by Stephen Tarr

Treasurer's Report:

Yvonne Moscoe reported on the status of the treasury.

Deposits	\$247.00
Payments	\$183.55
General fund	\$3761.69
Land fund	\$1250.00
Total	\$5011.69

Announcements

New member Gary Knauss was at the meeting, and asked about camping beside OROC members at BALLS. He was given things to look for to help spot OROC members.

Greg Clark reported on the August research launch. There were about eight flyers present.

Old Business

Steve Tarr ordered fifty more bumper stickers. Tim Ryerse offered to place an order for 24 hats and 24 shirts, and \$500 was given for a total to aim for.

New Business

George Rachor announced that TARC 2009 was open for registration, and that the field he uses is open all winter, and is FAR 101 capable. He mentioned that there can be limited other flying on the field. George also updated us on the build and fly session to be held this Saturday at Hillsboro Hobbies, adding that the Tigard H.S. TARC team would be there.

The rest of the meeting was about the upcoming Sheridan launch.

We should be expecting two Scout groups and one 4H.

Mark Gholston will bring the trailer out to the launch site around 2 PM on Friday. The equipment had just been serviced at the recent trailer party conducted at Mark's, and is in good shape for the launch.

Robert Krausert is bringing fiberglass welding blankets for fire protection.

Gary Fillible is contacting the Scharfs and expects everything to be a go with them. Gift cards with \$100.00 certificates each will be at Sheridan for all to sign, and taken to them by Gary after the launch.

John Lyngdal brought in a new LP pad head, and reported on the progress on the new LP pads which was going well. George Rachor is getting new 1/8 " rods. Steve Tarr has new pennant line.

Robert Krausert volunteered to call in the launch to The Oregonian's A and E family outing section.

Randy is still working on the waiver, the process being difficult because of a new person at the FAA unfamiliar with rockets, but expects it to happen.

It was thought that we were adequately prepared for the launch with GSE in good order and important positions filled

The meeting was adjourned at 7:58 PM.

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