

December 2, 2016

Lake Sawyer Hawks Meeting Minutes

This gathering was the annual Holiday Potluck instead of a meeting. 33 people, including family members, were present and the potluck started about 7:00pm. Lots of food was shared and along with the club provided hams it made for a delicious feast enjoyed by all.

After the meal, President Randy Ling summarized our year of challenges and the loss of our dear friend and club founder, Marlow Anderson. Randy also identified a number of people who contributed their time and efforts to make the clubs challenges and events successful:

Luke Olsen and Tom Richards gave thought provoking presentations to the County at the public meeting. Randy also thanked all those that took the time to send emails in favor of the flying site at Hobart.

Marty Njaa, Peter McCowin, John Jackson, Steve Ashmore, and Steve Black worked on the Noise Committee to measure noise levels at the field with a number of airplane fly-bys. Also, members that brought their planes to the field for noise testing helped the club establish a noise database showing compliance with noise requirements.

Our flying field remained in good condition for more time than usual due to the extra care and efforts of Steve Ashmore. His excellent maintenance and mowing was appreciated by all members that fly at the field.

Vice President Dennis Sivak spoke about the attendance of members and others at the November 25 Museum of Flight, RC Flying Model Exhibit. A member of the Snohomish Radio Aero Club came to the December 1st Float Fly as a result of talking to Hawks members about our flying site at the Ferdinand Boat Launch.

A drawing for door prizes resulted in the following:

Tom Richards - Horizon Sport Cub S
Luke Olsen - UMX F4U Corsair
Steve Greene - UMX P-47 BL
John Crum - \$50 gift card
Dick Weaver - \$50 gift card
Dennis Sivak - \$50 gift card

A good time was enjoyed by all and with many helping hands the meeting room was quickly cleaned up.