

Lake Sawyer Hawks Meeting Minutes
October 6th, 2018
Marlow Anderson Airfield, 24041 276th Ave SE, Maple Valley, Washington

General information—October 6th meeting field weather conditions, winds light variable with broken to scattered clouds clearing to sun in late afternoon.

Pilots are reminded to sign in and record flight time on the county field use time sheet log. Also there is no club garbage pick-up at the field and pilots should take their trash home for disposal.

1:06--Meeting was called to order by Randy Ling (President) welcoming all attending to the meeting--there were 18 club members present.

1:05--General Discussion—Randy Ling reported that the current membership for 2018 was slightly under 50 members. Randy reported that as of the October meeting the club has an operational bank balance of \$1023.73 in checking and 1235.04 in savings. Anticipated expenditures for the remainder of the 2018 are porta potty monthly rental, and the Christmas party.

1:10—Randy Ling discussed and outlined the recently passed and signed FAA reauthorization bill which has replaced the prior section 336 under which model airplanes had previously operated. Randy outlined a few of the key new requirements regarding model aircraft operation within class E airspace, and the new FAA regulations coming into effect when flying within class E airspace. Key points noted all aircraft are now limited to operation below 400ft, Pilots will now be required to take and pass a written test in addition to a flight test the specifics of which are unknown at this time. Pilots wanting additional information are directed to the AMA web page and the respective FAA web page site.

1:30—Club Officer Election--the floor was opened for voting for nominated club officers for the 2019 term. A motion was made to elect all volunteer officers as nominated. The nomination was made and accepted by all members attending. The 2019 club officers will be, President--Randy Ling, Vice President--Dave Rhodes, Secretary—Peter McCowin, Treasurer—Jarad Berkman. Volunteers remaining in their current positions Field manager—Steve Ashmore, Float fly coordinator—Richard Weaver, Communications---Steve Black.

1:40—Randy Ling reviewed the future dates of the club meetings for the remainder of the year as **November 3** with the Holiday get together date and specific location yet to be determined. The November 3 meeting will be held at the **Maple Valley Library**, check the website for specific location and time updates.

1:50—Field Maintenance--Randy reported that the one of the charging station solar panels had failed. A motion was raised and accepted by the attending membership to purchase and replace the panel.

1:53—Club Event Calendar---The club sponsored aircraft display at The Museum of Flight will occur Sunday November 18th. Pilots are reminded that doors will open for aircraft set-up at 9:00

1:55— Meeting was adjourned.—with a number attending members remaining at the field to fly.