

## **Nampa Model Aviators June 2011 Meeting – June 9, 2011**

- Following a great barbeque, club president, Jack Read called the meeting to order, there were 25 members present. The barbeque cooking duties were expertly handled by Ed Reagles.

**President's Report:** Jack welcomed the members in attendance and introduced a visitor, Mark Bell. Mark wanted to find out more about the club and was invited to the meeting. Jack thanked everyone who participated in the fly-in and said that based upon the nice weather and number of attendees the event was a complete success. Three contests were included in the event and they were a climb and glide which was won by Roc Cox, a flour bomb drop which was won by Rex Sperry and a spot landing poker draw that was won by Paul Wilhelm. Special thanks to Roc Cox for making the plaques for the winners.

**MOTION:** A motion made seconded and unanimously approved to approve the May 2011 minutes.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

**VOTE ON MOTION:** To amend Article XVII to change the number of times a visitor may fly at the field prior to obtaining membership in Nampa Model Aviators from one day to three (3) days. This motion had been seconded and unanimously passed at the May meeting. The change was posted on the May 2011 minutes which were sent to the membership. The vote to approve the change was 25 members voting yea and 0 members voting no. The bylaws are amended to reflect the revision (see attachment). (Closed)

- **Public Day:** The public day will be held on July 16<sup>th</sup>, starting at 9:00 a.m. The primary purpose of the event is to educate the public, our neighbors and local officials about RC Modeling and to introduce them to the activities of the club. We will be setting up airplanes on “buddy box” trainer systems and allowing visitors to see what flying an RC airplane is like. We will also have some computer flight simulators set up to give them an orientation before they get to fly the real thing. Lunch will also be available for a nominal charge.

**TREASURERS REPORT:** Club treasurer, Mike Jordan gave the members a detailed report of our financial status and any pending expenses.

- The monthly raffle drawing was held and Darryl Ford held the winning ticket. The prize was a (still in the box) 2.4 GHz Airtronics 8 channel, Radio system which was donated to the club by Leon Waterman.
- The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:

Ron Landram, Secretary, Nampa Aero Modelers

Approved:

Jack Read, President

**ATTACHMENT: Revision to the Bylaws ARTICLE XVII is amended to read:**

1. Guests are individuals that reside outside of the Treasure Valley and have been invited to fly by a Corporation Member in good standing. Guests must be under the supervision of the inviting member and it is that member's full responsibility to supervise and inform the guest of all Corporation rules and ensure current AMA membership or equivalent international insurance.

2. Visitor is an individual interested in applying for Corporate Membership and must provide proof of current AMA membership to a Board Member. Upon completing these requirements this Visitor must be sponsored by a Member in good standing willing to accept full responsibility to supervise and inform the Visitor of all Corporation rules. Before initial flight can take place the sponsoring Corporate Member must inspect all radio equipment and aircraft mechanics to ensure safe operation. During the Visitor's flying, the sponsoring Member must stand with the Visitor at the flight box in the event assistance is needed. Visitors may fly a maximum of three days.

3. Events are exempt from Article XVII, Sections 1 & 2.