

ASPC Minutes: 2/09/2008

Meeting called to order: 7:15pm by Vice President Ben Kellogg

Sec Report: The minutes were read and corrected. Tim Weigle said he was sooo sorry for the two GIANT mistakes that he made.

Treasurers' Report: Cassie reported that she had received the books from Joanie. She also reported that since the dues were assessed there was a very large deposit this month to the club. Tim Weigle motioned to accept 2nd by Chris Gear, accepted

Pop & Beer Report: Ben Kellogg reported that there was only a little money in the kitty and he was waiting for a check to start his duties. He is taking a poll to see what everyone wants in the fridge

Old Business:

1. BANQUET: Cassie called several facilities with the Blue Wolf being the cheapest, at \$25 a person. She recommended staying where we were at since we still couldn't beat the price. She said that she didn't have the figures to compare. Chris Gear said that he gave a report to Paul Waschak and it should be in the minutes. Paul Waschak lost the minutes for last March, which is, where the information was. It was suggested that we change the date next year to the first week in March. If it is changed March 7th looks likely.
2. FLORIDA TRIP: (Lake Wales) Dave George gave a report he said that it was a bust for skydiving. 13 of us went. The weather was low clouds and high winds all week. But we did get a very interesting tour of Strong Enterprises and saw the ATV parachute system. We then went to a very nice Mexican restaurant and had a nice meal and then went to see the "Bucket List". Another day some of us went to Epcot, which was enjoyable. Jared Russell and his girlfriend Emily came down one day, and Rick Kuhns and his girlfriend Kay came down a couple of days. Ben had his first cut-away, and since the rigging loft wasn't open the DZO let him use a rental rig at no charge for the day. There were a lot of low time jumpers there. Some as little as 15 jumps. We all noted that the low time jumpers were jumping on marginal days, and at one point everyone went to the landing area to see who would get drug after they landed. The DZO treated everyone very well and the aircraft they brought in were very good; a King-air, Casa and a Twin Otter.

New Business:

1. Cassie Drummond was Shawn Meyers' mouthpiece and he told her to have everyone sign a waiver for this year. Shawn also said that the dues had been assessed and that those in the red needed to pay up by May or they would be charged retroactively from January. Locker Fees are assessed in May and there is no pro rating of that fee. Banquet registration can be made on-line or to Cassie.
2. Cassie said that everyone's address needed to be updated since a lot of the flyers came back with bad addresses.
3. 8:10 the phone rang and it was Rick he said the fish weren't biting.
4. Cassie reported that she got a 1099 from the bank and didn't know what to do with it. Tim Weigle said that since we were non-profit all we had to do was report it.
5. Cassie read a letter concerning 1-800-SKYRIDE. USPA has dropped its lawsuit and USPA members are free to conduct business as they choose.
6. Paul Waschak announced that the Instructors Seminar would be before safety day on March 9th. All Instructors and coaches should make plans to attend. We can then have safety day.
7. Paul Waschak said that he needed to submit a name to USPA for the Judy H. Chesney award. It was suggested that the club be sent.
8. Paul Waschak also let it be known that Chuck Oppenlanders brother Chris did very well at the collegiate nationals.
9. Paul Waschak also said that the S&TA/ DZO conference would take place in Lima Ohio March first. Dave George said that he might sacrifice and go with Paul. Tim Weigle said he might be persuaded to fly there.

New Members:

none

Members Present:

Ben Kellogg
Cassie & Jimmy Drummond
Rob Scherer
Dave George

Chris Gear
Tim Weigle
Paul Waschak

Jump Drawing: None

Adjournment Motion: Dave George Second by: Chris Gear Adjournment: 8:46pm

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