

July 11, 2020 Forty-four members enjoyed the pulled pork and potluck evening meal prior to President White calling the business meeting top order. Brent Humphreys was thanked for smoking the briskets. Members were thanked for providing the potluck sides and desserts. New members Kelly and Amy Libby were welcomed. Jack Hines and family are also joining the chapter.

A motion to approve the March minutes as published was made by Lisa Johnson, second by David Johnson and approved by members present. The financial report is posted on the bulletin board.

Tom Young was presented with his 2019 vice president service award. He was absent at the December gathering when the others were presented.

A thank you card from Chase Garrison was read. He is our newest Ray Scholarship recipient.

The two open cockpit planes are listed on Barnstormers. There have been many interesting calls but no takers. We are attempting to get them insured so they can have the break-in time flown off.

We are working on a source for WIFI for the chapter and for the pilot's lounge. The lounge has a poor cell phone signal and the area is considered to be "in a bowl" and coverage is extremely spotty.

Everyone is encouraged to participate in Spirit of Aviation Week due to the cancellation of Air Venture 2020. There will be many webinars, interviews, etc planned. Check eaa.org for details. Due to the planning for Spirit Week, Radek did not provide a VMC question for the month.

September 19 will be our Flying Start event. Volunteers are needed to encourage those interested in learning to fly and to give introductory rides to the participants. Ryan and Cinch Liggett attended last year and are now seeking their private pilot certificates and are now members of our chapter. Others attending showed interest but have not begun lessons that we are aware of.

The several airport board members have painted the pilot's lounge. Sandy Smith, newest board member has donated new blinds. The building is looking much more presentable and will make a better first impression on out of town guests. Thank you to all that assisted with the project.

The 150 donated by Kent Clotfelter has been sold to Ron Hook.

Ray Fine's son Ron said Ray's airplane will be going to Alaska. The family is planning a private memorial later when all four brothers will be available. The chapter has offered to assist or have a gathering at the hangar in his honor at a later date if they wish.

The 4th of July celebration was not as well attended as in the past. Thank you to Cliff Kinkade and Tom Young for grilling the burgers and hot dogs.

The August 8th gathering will be grilled burgers and hot dogs with members providing side dishes and desserts.

David Johnson has his share in Ozark Aviators Flying Club for sale.

A motion to adjourn was made by John Bailey, second by Tom Young and approved.