



EAA Chapter 1378 of Volunteer Aviators

Upper Cumberland Regional Airport

Minutes of: July 18, 2020

Attendance Report - The meeting was called to order by our president, Michael Carpenter. There were 11 members in attendance.

Treasurer's Report - The treasurer reported a balance of \$3,725.00.

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Secretary's Report - The minutes were not passed out due to the reoccurring absence of our meetings.

OLD BUSINESS

- **Young Eagles Event** - A discussion was held to host another Young Eagles event but we needed to know how many volunteers we had before we could come to a conclusion.

NEW BUSINESS

- **TTU's Aviation Program** - Due to Shantini West's hard efforts and commitment, she revitalized TTU's aviation program to open up new possibilities for the university. The group currently has 28 members so far and she plans to start up ground school here in the near future. Our chapter has decided to look into the EAA and see if they are willing to extend the age range to include the members of the new aviation program.
- **New Hangar** - Dewey Young has invested a lot of time and effort in building a new hangar on his property. Sadly, a tree collapsed on top of the roof and caused a lot of damage. Dewey said that repairs should be complete in September, and he has agreed to host a barbeque there to celebrate which will replace our meeting in September
- **Elementary Opportunity** - Melissa Roarsten, a teacher at the elementary school, has reached out to Michael Carpenter to try and start up an EAA education program at the elementary school so that we can introduce aviation to kids at a young age.
- **Guest Speaker Cancellation** - Pam Charles has agreed to be our guest speaker for the meeting, but sadly had to cancel because she tested positive for COVID-19 just weeks earlier.
- **CFI-IT** - Mathew England has announced that he has been training to earn his CFI license.
- **New Member** - Steve Cruthers has joined our chapter. He is a home builder and has spent several hours building planes through plans. He also shared that he is a registered Young Eagles pilot and he currently holds the position as President of a Short Wing Piper Club. Let's welcome him into our chapter.

ADJOURNMENT

- Motion made to adjourn; motion: **APPROVED**