EAA Chapter 39 meeting minutes, February 8, 2022

Rob Hall, President, welcomed all in attendance and called the meeting to order. We watched the monthly EAA chapter update from Charlie Becker.

Gary Telkamp gave a summary of the GA Committee meeting.

An announcement was made that Ellsworth AFB will be hosting an airshow May 14, 15, 2021.

Burt Corwin promoted the idea that we really need to get a pilot on the Rapid City Airport Board. Anyone interested in being considered for this position should go to the city website and fill out the application. It would really benefit GA to have representation on the board.

Rob Hall presented a list of ideas for future meeting activities and activities for other times of the year. These activities would generate interest and further our goal of education. The board of directors will work on a schedule of the activities.

Discussion was held regarding the bylaws and getting the required board of directors appointed and serving the required functions. The board is to consist of the President, vice president, past president, and at least 3 other members of the chapter. The board members were nominated by the members in attendance and appointed by the president. The board includes Rob Hall(President), Gary Telkamp(Vice president), Josh Scott(former president), Dave Utter, Rick Belsaas and Clint King.

Discussion was held about how to increase activity on the chapter 39 website and on the facebook page. Mike Beason will assist with the facebook page as he is familiar with that process. We want to use both the website and the facebook page to get the word out about chapter activities, breakfasts, flyouts and flyins.

Bruce Bowen announced that the breakfasts will start the first Saturday in May, and will continue through the summer. First Saturday each month. Bruce also advised that the National Cessna 120/140 Convention will be at the Sturgis Airport September 13-17. He is the local host and coordinator and would welcome any volunteers interested in helping with the convention.

Meeting was adjourned