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LAST MONTH: Saturday, Feb 11,84 with 47 members attending, the meeting was called to order at 7:45. Old business, annual dues must be paid by March 31st, also 28 calendars are left to be sold, they can be purchased from the Treasurer.

New business, Gene Horsman talked about the MMU (manned maneuvering unit) that he helped design and build. The MMU was one of the only items used during the last space shuttle mission that worked. Gene said there were about twenty things the astronauts thought should be changed before the next mission. These are only small changes, and everyone knows that homebuilt's require a little tinkering when they come back from their first flight. Gene also reported Lear & Piper were merging, Douglas has bought Hughes Aircraft, and Cessna sold their ARC radio line to Sperry. Gulfstream Corp. lost it's developmental aircraft during a test flight, the Pilot jumped clear.

Lots of Project reports were made, sounds like many of you guys have been busy. Jim Ernst hasn't been working on the T-18, but has made an aviation picture in stain glass. NICE JOB ! Also had a painting of a Pober Pixie given to Bob Green. We had our usual coffee at 8:06 Herrill Davenport controlled the movie projector through three good flicks. The first was an FAR film called "Some thoughts on Winter Flying" then "PROP Strike" and last "Don Flight". I liked Winter Flying the best. President White adjourned the meeting at 9:42 .

NEXT MONTH: Sat. March 10,84 at 7:30 P.M. Our meeting will be at the Rocky Mtn. Energy Center. ***** BE THERE *****

ADDITIONS: James Byers, Ronald Benell, and Walter Carpenter, please add these names to your rosters.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Bill Davis reports as of Feb.11,84. Chapter 43's bank account is as follows,

Savings account	\$ 543.64
Memorial account	283.03
Calendar account	122.50

total	\$ 949.17

MARKETPLACE: For Sale - 95 back issues of Homebuilt magazine, Warner publication. \$50.00 call William Landers after 4 o'clock at 429-2284
For Sale - BD-4 Fuselage kit, Partially assembled, worth \$1300.00 will take \$750.00, negotiable. Contact Dan Ashberger 934-6063

PROP STRIKE: Having your Passengers in their seatbelts before starting your engine, and stopping the Propellor before they open the door, will assure that your Passengers are never injured by a PROP STRIKE.
Please, Always "CLEAR PROP" before starting.

AVIATION HAPPENINGS: From Sport Aviation magazine,

March 9-10	Cape Canaveral, Florida	Valiant Air Command
March 10	Rocky Mtn. Energy Center	Chapter 43 meeting
March 11-17	Lakeland, Florida	Sun 'N Fun '84
April 7-8	Conroe, Texas	Chapter 302 Fly-in

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK: There are a couple dozen Chapter name tags still unclaimed, they will be discarded after March 31, 84. I have just learned that all new members are to receive name tags and that we are several years behind. If there are no objections, I will make a motion at the next meeting to order a batch for those of us who didn't get one. Vern Hoppes mentioned that he want's to get some ideas for the Regional Fly-in at the next meeting, talk to him, as 43's Fly-in representative he wants to get started.

Your ten best tools are your fingers.



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