

EAA Chapter 565

General Membership Meeting

January 3, 2024

Attendees - 32 members, no guests

The meeting was called to order by President McClure at 7:00 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

The membership was informed that Vice President Dave Krug resigned his position due to other time demands.

Scott Ford resigned his position as Secretary/Treasurer due to his move to EAA Chapter 66.

Jim Kaletta was introduced as the new Vice President.

Ken Hill was introduced as the new Treasurer.

Don Willecke is the new Secretary.

It was stated that in order to keep a more accurate record of income and expenses, the Chapter will provide a receipt for all incoming payments - with the exception of the breakfasts and dinners.

Discussion followed on the formation of a committee to plan and organize the monthly breakfasts and dinners. Members were asked to consider volunteering to help.

Member Doug Williams is at home and recovering, and Member Dennis Kirk is also recovering from a stroke.

Dick Solar presented an entertaining presentation on safety covering the following topics:

- Complete a visual walk around prior to flight

- Avoid distractions

- Do not fly with a malfunctioning instrument

- When a problem is encountered in flight - Fly the plane first.

- When flying with another pilot, clearly communicate who has control of the aircraft.

The January dinner will take place on the 20th, with filet mignon on the menu. The cost is \$15 per person. The attendance will be limited to 50 to comply with the fire regulations for our building.

The FAAST Team presentation will be held on January 20 from 9 am to noon in the EAA building.

President McClure informed everyone that the KPGD Tower is open to visitors, and encouraged members to call and request a visit.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Don Willecke, Secretary