EAA Chapter 725 Meeting Minutes June 2, 2024

Meeting called to order and pledge of allegiance at 1pm.

Guests introduced:

Curt from California. Now has a hanger at GP airport to bring his Swift up here. He also discussed his involvement of his local California EAA gold star chapter.

Tom used to be a chapter 725 member years ago but only recognized Stan. He might join up again soon.

Nicks wife and children came to support Nick's membership and involvement.

Agenda items from Dennis:

Mower we us at airport needs new blades installed.

Dennis and Stan cleaned shower recently.

Dennis reviewed our budget / funds.

Sign-up to volunteer for future pancake breakfasts.

Alan mentioned hanger space rental / lease per sqft. He is discussing this with the airport to equalize / normalize this price across all hangers.

Airport Days is not funded by Josephine Co. any longer.

Dennis reviewed Independence, Oregon gold star chapter 292 member application. Theirs has questions about what skills and talents potential members will bring and volunteer to that chapter.

Recent Shady Cove burrito breakfasts was well attended which has been increasing year to year.

Upcoming raffle might include member offered airplane ride. If not a commercial pilot, member can not accept compensation for the ride.

Alan introduced a motion to close our chapters YAD scholarship account. Discussion reveled the account was not started but cash was handed to recipient. Motion was amended to cancel all previous motions concerning YAD scholarship effort connected to chapter 725. Going forward, our efforts for supporting YAD will be informal until we have a need to organize a proper scholarship program.

Stan plugged upcoming Wings and Wheels event in Cottage Grove airport. Oregon historical aviation museum at that airport is a sponsor.

Discussed upcoming Airport Days event and our pancake breakfast. Discussed upgrading our hamburger lunch with to include a smoked meat plate with an increased donation for this meal.

Meeting adjourned around 2pm

25 board, member and guests in attendance.