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Meeting - The August Meeting was held on the 16th of August with 10 members present.

Membership - Currently at 44 paid members.

Next Meeting – 6 Sept with a rain date of 7 Sept at the Flying Field in conjunction with Fun Fly.

Scheduled Fun Fly's – 6 September 25 with a rain date of 7 September 25.

Treasury Report – Balance Forward \$2,910.38, Total Income \$120.00, Total Expenses \$128.03, Ending Balance \$2,902.35.

Mowers – No issues holding up well.

Scheduled Fun Fly's – 6 September 25 with a rain date of 7 September 25.

Club Merchandise – The Club Hats are still Available for \$14.00. Contact Bob Wingert for availability.

Limited Fly Dates – Due to events taking place at Padre Pio we have some flying restrictions for the following dates. During these dates only electric and control line flying will be permitted. Sept 20th thru the 21st and Oct 11th thru the 14th.

Shout Outs -

Roy and Tony have done the lions share of the mowing for the field. We are all grateful that they maintain the field for us. Roy is also the caretaker of the mower's and has done a great job keeping them in peak condition.

Brian and his son have also taken roof top pictures with a drone of the Padre Pio roofing structure. This has really helped to cement our relationship with the Padre Pio Center. They needed pictures for the insurance company due to a huge event that's happening shortly.

Mower Shed – Shed has been moved out of the Corn Crib and the location is yet to be determined. Ultimately, we would like to put it on the concrete slab once the Corn Crib is removed.

Model Airplane Runway Fabric – We had discussed using runway fabric on our runway. What are everyone's thoughts on this?

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Permanent Canopy – We are looking into getting a permanent tent that's 10 X 20 feet long. We would be removing the canopy from the frame when not in use. We are looking for approval from Padre Pio. This would be great for those hot days and for preventing too much sun exposure. The canopy would be held on by short bungees with round balls on the ends.

AMA Membership – We currently verified and have everyone up to date on their AMA memberships. You must maintain a current membership with the AMA to be a Club Member. Membership expires a year from the date you apply so they can expire on any given month. Renewing at the beginning of the flying season is a sure way to ensure your good for the entire season.

Gene Merritt – We donated \$100.00 dollars to the Tunnel to Towers Foundation in Genes memory. Their mission is to honor and support the heroes of our nation by providing essential resources and assistance through the power of donations. They believe in serving those who have selflessly served us and work tirelessly to make a positive impact on the lives of fire fighters and veterans. They are dedicated to improving the quality of life for those who have sacrificed so much for our country and ensuring that their bravery and service is never forgotten.

Sincerely Bob Wingert Club Secretary