## Minutes of Club Meeting March 15th, 2017

There were eight members present at the meeting, which began at 7:00 PM.

## TOPICS DISCUSSED

Norris stated that AMA membership is now on computed for one year from date of joining, not a calendar year as had previously been done. This change makes it the responsibility of each club member to make sure that they renew their AMA membership when notified. The members present decided to post on the pin board, those members whose AMA membership is expiring in the next 90 days. This will alert them to the need to renew, as well as inform the other members as to who might be flying with a current AMA membership.

CLUB DUES – Members are reminded that the 2017 dues are now due and payable. If you are remiss, please mail your dues in to Dennis Snoke ASAP.

FIELD MAINTENANCE – The mower is in good shape, and the blades will be sharpened, belts and oil checked, and ready to roll when needed. Club members who mow are reminded to always check the oil level before mowing, and fill the mower with gas when done. Field rolling will be done in late April or early May when the frost is out of the ground. Gene Merritt, our newest member, will look into the possibility of getting the use of the equipment donated to do the work.

PIN BOARD – Hardware will be salvaged, and repairs made to the board. Primary use will be to house the mowing sign-up sheet and the expiring AMA memberships.

WEBSITE - The members approved the renewal of the \$65.00 annual expense to keep the website active, and members are encouraged to list any planes or other equipment they may have for sale on the site. Please contact one of the club officers if you wish to do so.

FIELD EVENTS – Based on good attendance at last years two events, the members approved having two FUN FLYS in 2017, one in June and another in September. It was suggested that we do a better job of advertising the events with flyers, social media, and possibly cable TV.

FLIGHT TRAINING – The possibility of having a dedicated evening for flight training was discussed, and all felt that this was a good idea. It will be discussed further at the April meeting on the 19<sup>th</sup>.

NEXT MEETING will be held at the field on April 19th, and the annual election of offices will be held at the May meeting.

Mike Kraynyak Secretary