

LARKS Meeting [Minutes](#) Thursday, December 10, 2020

Note: Meeting being held virtually due to Covid19

Meeting Opened::

6:37 PM by Vice President Marc Morgan

Attendance:

Members: David Beagle, John Bernard, Wayne Broadfield Jr., Greg Cardillo, David Clutts, Daryl Davis, Arlyn Eckstein, Curt Henschel, Stan Houfek, Bob Luchun, Marc Morgan, Carl Ricard, Blaine Richardson, Wayne Richardson, Izzy Sorce, Joe Stout, Clinton Sweet, Henry Vreeland, Scott Wheaton

19 members attended

Guests: None

Secretary's Report:

Minutes from the October 29 meeting were read and approved (motion Daryl Davis / Wayne Richardson)

Treasurer's Report:

Treasurer's report was read and approved (motion Wayne Richardson / Stan Houfek)

- Checking: \$7,444.06*
- Savings: \$18,704.75*
- Total: \$26,148.81*

Membership Report:

- Current Members:*

<i>Membership Type</i>	<i>Number</i>
<i>Adult</i>	<i>56</i>
<i>Life</i>	<i>1</i>
TOTALS	57

Renewals are now being accepted for 2021.

10 members have renewed for 2021.

Renewals are now being accepted via PayPal as well as by mail.

- **Anniversaries:**

Name	Years
Bill McGuire	16 years
John Black	7 years
Glenn Smejkal	7 years
Vijay Sheth	4 years
Daryl Davis	3 years
Wayne Broadfield Jr.	1 years

- **New Applicants:**

Name	Joined Date
David Beagle	2020-12-10

- **Applicants Voted In: David Beagle**

Field Report:

- **North/South runway status (David) - Looking to acquire fill to level area. County asked for a schedule - Proposed approximate runway locations were marked with orange paint.**
- **Sign for field with county contact info for plane retrieval is coming... Being finished. Will replace signs under shelter and on the entrance gate.(David)**

Website Report:

- **Support for membership renewal via our website and PayPal is set up as an option for 2021 to reduce the handling of checks/cash. A Paypal account is not required to use. Of course cash/checks will still be accepted.**

AMA News:

- **A reminder that the 'original' FAA registrations expire this December. You can renew at <https://faadronezone.faa.gov/#/> - the cost is \$5. Avoid sites that offer to 'help' you for an additional charge.**

Member Health:

- **Larry is continuing in his recovery... Occasional updates can still be seen daily on his daughter's Facebook page at: <https://www.facebook.com/BosshardtMarzek>**

Old Business:

- *This is the first meeting in the next round of Meeting Attendance drawings.*

New Business:

- *Elections: Proposed slate of officers:*
 - *President: Marc Morgan*
 - *Vice President: Wayne Richardson*
 - *Secretary: Greg Cardillo*
 - *Treasurer: David Clutts*

Officers were elected unanimously.

The club thanks Larry Boone for his years of service as President, and we look forward to flying with him again.

- *Appointments: Safety Coordinator (AMA required position) - Blaine Richardson volunteered and was so appointed.*
- *Pylon Race: Our 2021 Pylon Race is scheduled for the weekend of March 19th. We will be evaluating the Covid situation in late Jan/early Feb*
- *Discus Launch Team Trials: It has been requested to use our flying site for the Team Trials for Discus Launch Gliders. There will be no need for support from club members - just use of the field. A Feb weekend (Fri-Sun) is planned. Motion made to offer use of our field (Marc Morgan / Greg Cardillo). Passed unanimously.*

Activities for the Month:

- *Open Airshow / Fun Fly is scheduled for **Saturday, December 12, 2020 9:00 AM***
Sponsor: Charlotte Sport Modelers Society
- *Winter Swap Meet / Fun Fly is scheduled for **Saturday, December 12, 2020 10:00 AM***
Sponsor: Gateway RC Club

Model of the Month:

- *Joe Stout showed his Stearman PT-17 Model 75 purchased as the winner of our Attendance Drawing!! The full size model was developed in 1926-27 by Lloyd Stearman and was powered by a Continental 225HP engine. It has a 32' wingspan, and is 24' long.*
The model is from Horizon Hobby, and is a 1.1M (44.5") wingspan and

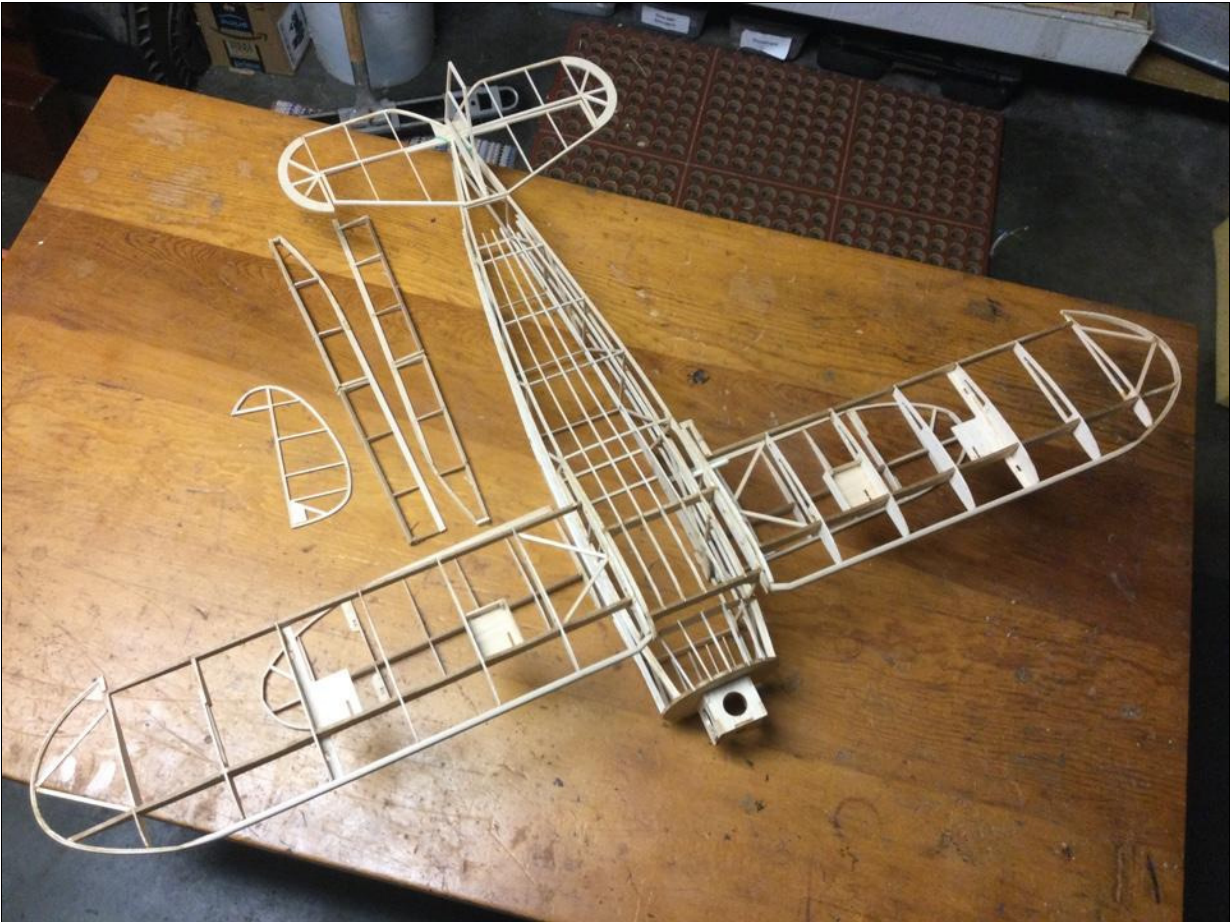
33" length. It is made of EPO foam, comes with AS3X, a BL-15 850kV motor, 45A ESC, spring landing gear, and LED strobe navigation lights. It uses a 3S2200mah battery. It is a sport plane, not acrobatic.



- ***Greg Cardillo showed a Super Akro "Chips" scratch build by his Dad in 2019 from 1981 Model Aviation plans. It has a 45" wingspan, 35.5" length, and is powered by a Cheetah 3250-06 Motor, Turnigy 60A ESC and runs on 4S4000mah battery.***



- ***Greg also showed an "in the bones" WACO SRE model. It was a feature build article in 2019 Model Airplane News, and sold as a "short kit" by Manzano Laser Works. The plane was assembled to its current state by his Dad..***



Awards:

- ***Broken Prop Award: None***
- ***Klutz Award: None***

Next Meeting:

Thursday, January 28, 2021

Meeting adjourned:

7:34 PM