

LARKS February meeting will be held on February 22, 2024**100 EAST Caroline St Tavares, FL 32778 Rm TBA @ 6:30 pm**

David Clutts called meeting to order at 6:30 PM There were 19 members present!

President Wayne Richardson and VP -Curt Henschel were not able to attend

December's Secretary's report- was read and accepted

Treasure report – was postponed- PayPal membership dues have not been transferred

Safety report- Bob Davis stated that the LARKS safety rules need to be review and updated as the current one was from 2007 – concern about taxing by the flight stations

Guest: Larry Medock –he has been flying for a long time and is considering joining the LARKS

Old Business:

Pylon Race scheduled for March is in jeopardy - Greg emailed stating that he does not have enough worker support, so unless another club offers to provide workers – he will cancel.

He will do the Pylon workers drawing from last year at the next LARKS meeting (he will get someone else if he can't attend)

Upcoming events-

LARKS SWAP meet is planned for February 10, 2024 at your field.

Ocala Swap meet- Feb 17, DLG Event at our field Feb 22,to24 **Field is closed to flying.**

Perry GA swap meet Mar 1 &2

New Business:

John Hopke was having a group at the field for Jan 26,27,& 28. Extreme Flight would be there with their team pilot. John would like to do this the last weekend of January going forward. **The field is open to flying.**

AMA Charter renewal information has been received and will be processed shortly.

Several attendees voiced their concern about their checks for LARKS dues had not been processed or were processed weeks after they were mailed. I will be checking the PO Box frequently and **I will email each member as I receive their checks to confirm receipt.**

Please use the:

LARKS

PO Box 611

Tavares, FL 32778

Many members complained about the meeting room. It is too noisy making it very difficult to hear what is being said! David Clutts said that he would talk to the town manager about getting the larger room at a reduced cost. **Either way we need to move to the larger room!**

I will send out an email to 2024 non- paid members reminding them about paying their dues ASAP to avoid the \$20 late fee.

I will send an email to 2024 paid members with the new gate code effective Feb 1, 2024.

Model of the month was presented by Bob Davis – It was a Cosmic Wind (Ballerina) a Beautiful plane. Thank you for bringing the plane a sharing the information.

David Cultts brought in two smaller bi-wing planes to sell, which did not take very long to do!

Meeting adjourned at 7:25PM