

SWAP MODELERS APRIL 2018 MEETING MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm at the Glen Burnie Shop Rite Store, Pat Murphy president presiding. March's meeting minutes were read and accepted. The treasurer's report was given and also accepted. Pat asked if there were any new members present. Art Vail said that we have gained 19 new members this year as well as 5 ex-members who rejoined.

Art put forth the proposition that this year's first "fun fly" date be changed from Saturday May 26th to Sunday May 27th. The change was approved by vote of the members.

The plans for the upcoming field workday were discussed.

Art reminded members that he is accepting monies for the sale of raffle tickets. Club officers were given lists of members who have not yet renewed their Club membership.

Pat Murphy suggested that if any members see nonmembers flying drones or other aircraft that they be encouraged to join our club.

The question was asked "why can people fly fpv in the city and get away with it." It was explained that they are outside of the 30 mile limit.

There was some discussion about special rule 336 being under attack by the FAA again. Members were informed about the importance of supporting the AMA in its fight to protect our hobby.

A 50/50 raffle was held after the meeting, Glenn Metzler was the lucky winner. Next meeting will be at the Club Field at 6:30 pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 pm. 22 members attending.