

SWAP MODELERS AUGUST 2019 MEETING MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 6:30pm at the Club field, Pat Murphy president presiding. July's meetings minutes were read and accepted. The treasurer's report was given and also accepted.

New member Tom Troxel was welcomed to the Club. He is a full scale pilot and flies multirotor aircraft but is also interested in fixed wing.

Art is looking into possible meeting places for the Club's winter meeting. He has a call in to the Baltimore Highlands School about using one of their rooms. Once again the need for help in the cooking area during our upcoming event was stressed. A signup sheet will probably be circulated at the next meeting. A suggestion was made that wives and girlfriends be asked to assist.

Copies of the Club's "letter of agreement" with BWI airport, and an aeronautical map were handed out the attendees. The requirement to report "flyaways" was discussed. It was decided that Art Vail and Greg Gee would contact persons to be notified in the event of a flyaway. An email will be sent out with their phone numbers. It was recommended that the "failsafe" feature be activated on all aircraft. The definition of FPV was discussed.

Glenn Metzler gave an update on the Field Improvement project. He stated that the AMA would like to have completed project information by November 15th.

It was requested that the overfly areas at the ends of the field be mowed by our mowing contractor, Pat Murphy said that he had mowed it previously and would mow it again.

A 50/50 drawing was held after the meeting, Bill Fairweather was the lucky winner.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:10pm, 27 members attending. Next meeting will be on September 16th at 6:30 at the club field.