



## Fairfield League of Yankee Radio Controllers

# MEETING MINUTES HOBBY HANGOUT DECEMBER 4, 2019

**CALL TO ORDER:** 7:35

**ANY NEW MEMBERS OR GUESTS PRESENT? None** 

**MEMBERSHIP PRESENT: 22** 

APPROVAL OF LAST MONTHS MINUTES: Minutes were approved as submitted COMMUNICATIONS: CORRESPONDENCE, NEW MEMBERS, AND GUESTS None

- 1. Bill Josiger announced it would be a short meeting, pizza had been ordered for 8PM.
- New Year's Day at Ron's House 92 Transylvania Road, Roxbury, CT starting at 11:30.
  There will be sandwiches, hot chocolate, cider and refreshments for all guests are welcome
- 3. No January Meeting
- 4. Aaron Ham has been invited for Feb/Mar meeting to give a talk on full scale aerobatics
- 5. Bob Milanese was asked to give a talk on batteries in 2020
- 6. The Scale Symposium in Poughkeepsie Jan11 was presented anyone interested to contact Ron to car pool
- 7. Joe Higgins from Grass Roots Academy contacted Fly RC about a visit in 2020. Ron will follow up with him.

#### TREASUERS REPORT: Jay Wiener

- 1. All bills are paid we are maintaining a positive balance. The 2019 rent has been paid.
- 2. There are 32 members paid to date

#### **MEMBERSHIP...Bob Motta**

1. Nothing to report Bob Motta was recovering from hand surgery

#### **FIELD MAINTENANCE:**

- 1. Field is in Great Shape
- 2. If you can fly when there is snow on the field, avoid walking on the field, foot prints are tough on small planes
- 3. Field volunteer mowing plan was huge success. Thanks to Mike. Mike will set up again next year.
- 4. Need a volunteer to head up a team to layout the new engine test & break-in area behind the shed. No volunteers stepped forward. Roger Hornecker has agreed to build the new test stand.
- 5. Batteries will be taken out of solar panel after New Year's Day Fly In.
- 6. One tractor smoking and one needs a battery. Will discuss options over the winter.
- 7. New World tracking Satellites are being placed adjacent to our field. The manager stopped at our field and indicated there is no interference issue with us. Bill indicated he wants to meet with manager just to establish a relationship and points on contact, if it becomes necessary.

### **SOUND AND SAFETY: Rich Margules**

1. Will be updated in 2020

**OLD BUSINESS**: (See announcements and correspondence)

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- 1. Catered Paella, Clam, Lobster, Steak picnic which membership would split the cost was discussed (discussion to continue in 2020).
- 2. A vote was unanimous for the continuance of the current officers.
  - a. Bill Josiger President
  - b. Paul Ivey acting Vice president
  - c. Jay Wiener Treasure
  - d. Ron Faanes, Secretary
  - e. Nino Desposati, VP is on temporary medical leave

#### **OPEN ACTION ITEMS:**

- 1. Heritage Membership Drive In progress
- 2. Ridgefield American legion Membership Drive In progress
- 3. Invite Southbury EMT's to our Picnic so they will be acquainted with us who we/where we are and what we do. Membership agreed Mike will work with the Southbury Volunteers.

50/50 RAFFLE: Won By John Misch gifted his winnings to the club a hearty Thanks

**SHOW AND TELL: NA** 

MEETING ADJOURNED: PIZZA ARRIVED meeting adjourned 8:15PM

Secretary