

PILOTS ASSOCIATION (KPA)

Meeting at the Nelson County Library: Conference Room

Bardstown, KY

13 September 2018

President Randy White called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

Secretary's Report

Minutes from the last meeting could not be read as the Secretary was not present. The meeting minutes from 9 August 2018 are on the FlyKPA.org website. Brennan Callan agreed to be the Acting Secretary.

Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer was not present. Randy provided details on our financial activity.

Membership Chairman's Report

Terry Welshans reported that the membership application webpage is operational. Membership payments are handled via PAYPAL.

Terry introduced three guests.

- Tom Pheifer is an adult leader with Boy Scouts of America Troop 142 and is assisting in establishing an Aviation Explorer Post associated with our organization.
- Jeremy Booher is the Principle of the Nelson County Area Technical Center. He spoke about partnering with our organization to include aviation related curricula in his facility.
- Laura Arnold is the Director of the Nelson County Workforce Development. She spoke about aviation related skills and how many job opportunities are available once the skills are taught.

A group discussion continued with many suggestions of how multiple other organizations and people can help Nelson County to move forward with their educational programs.

Safety and Proficiency Chairman's Report:

Randy White talked about hanger door safety, tow bars, and the unfortunate consequences of leaving an airplane battery charging with the ignition switch on. Chris Carter talked about runway incursions and communication.

Old Business

Randy White discussed that there were 65 attendees at the "Louisville IMC's" Air Traffic Controller's Forum with the Louisville IMC. Gary Tucker (the Chief for the Louisville International Airport's (KSDF) ATC) wants to have a similar event at Bardstown.

New Business:

A KPA banner is being made and will be available at the open house.

There was a discussion on having a future Air Traffic Controller's Forum at Bardstown.

Randy passed around a photo and a computer-aided-design (CAD) sketch of what he proposed for a ladder rack near the fuel pump so that the ladder will be out of the mud or snow.

We now have two types of shirts available for members to purchase. T-Shirts (blue with silk screened logo / no collars) are \$16 and embroidered 'polo' style shirts (blue with collars) are \$30. Both are available in large up to 2XL sizes.

The meeting closed with a discussion on future aviation events. Those within a few hours flight time will be added to the event calendar on the website.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm.