KPA Members Meeting Minutes

Date: 8-10-23 Time: 19:00

Meeting called to order by: Rachael Woodworth

Opening comments:

Members and visitors were welcomed and minutes from last members meeting (7-13-23) were presented by Rachael Woodworth. There were 22 persons in attendance.

Treasurer's report was given by Randy White and Aaron Riggs, our current account balance is \$4627.75.

Old Business:

Establishment of the following:

Activities Committee: Max Hagerman, Carson Mattingly and Curtis Hall.

Youth Programs Committee: Rick Markle and Tom Vernon.

Safety and Proficiency Committe: Rachael Woodworth and Randy White. Airport Coordination Committee: David Mattingly and Tim Filiatreau.

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New Business:

<u>Introduction of new Board members:</u>

Rachael Woodworth, Max Hagerman, Aaron Riggs, Randy White and Curtis Hall.

Up-coming events were brought forward for discussion and dissemination to the membership;

Tompkinsville "Pumpkin Drop" Sepetmber 2nd.

Mt. Sterling "Fried Chicken Fly-out" Sep 21st.

Women in Aviation's "Girls in Aviation Day" at Bowman Field September 23rd 12-4pm.

'Smoke-On' formation flying clinic -September 28 – 30th, hosted at BRY.

London-Corbin "Food Truck Fly-out" October 14th.

KPA's "Chili Cook-Off and Pumpkin Drop" October 28th.

KPA "Thank you Cookout" to thank all the KPA volunteers for their hard work at breakfasts -TBD. (Est. plates served: 7-8-23: 315!)

<u>Aviation safety and awareness presentation:</u> Chris Carter presented AC 90-66C, guidance for Non-Towered Airport Flight Operations -it is new as of June this year.

Rachael Woodworth opened discussion on KPA pilots student pilots and enthusiasts sharing as mentors and experience sharing to promote honing skill sets, aviation safety and overall camaraderie. We are actively seeking members willing to share their time and knowledge to be mentors and for mentorees... Please contact Rachael Woodworth or Randy White if interested -Also, please help us with updated ratings and interests to better help the match-up process.

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Tom Vernon reported that BRY has approximately 4-6 new CFI's gaining into the Samuel's Field community and will be able to help ease the burden on local flight training needs. Also Saturday September 12th an unveiling of the memorial stone for Terry Welshans will be at 8am at the flag poles.

Rick Markle opened discussion on the Bluegrass Aviation Experience flight students and that many lack resources to continue beyond solo flight. He proposed KPA sponsored grants and/or scholarships as well as person-to-person involvement of KPA pilots sharing experience, training and other information as well as financial assistance.

Next meeting will be September 14th at 7pm in the BRY terminal building, See you there!

Secretary; Curtis Hall