# The Aerogramme

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July 7, 2016 AMA Club #187 Meeting minutes from Thursday, June 2, 2016.

The regularly scheduled meeting started at 7:00pm with 20 members present.



Officers:

President: Curt Gould

Vice President: Matt Dauteuil

Secretary: Ron Vernier III

Treasurer: Gary Warzocha

Instructors:

Aero/Glider Billy G. 860-429-1046

Ron V. 860-205-3277

Aero/Heli/ Multirotor:

Greg W. 860-508-2394

Rich P. 860-614-3915

Aero:

Matt D. 860-228-2059

Introductory Pilots:

Rich P. Ron V

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Field Marshals:

Don M. Ray B. Treasurers Report is accepted and is as followed:

Income: \$71.00 Dues: \$48.00 Raffle: \$13.00

Sales: \$10.00 Expenses: \$60.22

Envelope: \$ 0.55
Porta John: \$37.22
Postage: \$11.95
Raffle Prize: \$10.50

Net Profit: \$10.78

Cash & Checking: TBA Investment Acc. TBA Total: TBA

**New Member:** Alex Krasser (Jerry's son). Looks like he can fly, welcome to the club!

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### Old Business:

Lawn Mowers: We have four people now mowing. That may seem like enough, but we can still use more for both fields. If you are interested in helping, please contact Ron V. or Curt.

Promoting the club: We are still looking for ways to get our name out in a good way. If you have suggestions, please contact Curt. We are also looking for events to be held at the fun flies, if you have an idea, come out and fly the event!

Both Coventry and Mansfield fields rolled! Thank you Al and Ray!

#### New Business:

Evening fly day: In the past Friday was always an evening fly day, a day where you knew people would be down there; so, if you are heading out on the selected fly day and want people to join you; make a call, or send out a message! There are plenty of people who will meet you there!

Float Fly Weather: In the event of rain, the weather team at the NEDS will call it by Saturday. There will be a float event held on June 11, 2016 in place of the float fly, boats available, and no facilities.

Update, it is canceled.

Watch for poison ivy.

Coventry Lock: Please verify that the gate is locked, several members have approached the gate and found the lock undone. You need to have the code in, close the lock and spin, you cannot spin and then lock. In addition, please make sure the lock is locked to the other lock. Allowing the farmer/state access to the field.

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Coventry Fest: Members call to action, we need some more help! We have five people signed up for the event, but it will be a long day. If you can help in any way, please e-mail or call Curt.

Badges/field safety: There have been a lot of new people at the field and it is starting to get a little confusing! You should be wearing your NEDS badge and have your AMA card available if questioned by a board member/safety officer. In addition, please understand the flight line, safety lines, pit area, and flying area! There have been some infractions of all of the lines.

Leaving the field: don't jump, but people may beep (short and quick) to signal that they are leaving. If you are comfortable, wave them out. If you are not comfortable, ask for someone to spot for you and they can wave a car in or out.

**Raffle:** The glider won by Mike S. and a Fly Boys DVD won by Cliff M.

### **Upcoming NEDS events:**

NEDS Fun Fly July 16, 2016 (Coventry) NEDS Float Fly July 24, 2016 (Mansfield) NEDS Fun Fly August 28, 2016 (Coventry)

### **Upcoming NON-NEDS events:**

NCRCC Dawn Patrol July 10, 2016 (Ellington) NEPRO Race, August 6,7, 2016 (Ellington) New England Jets August 20, 21, 2106 (Gardner MA)

Meeting adjourned at 7:30.

Recorder: Ron V.