

## August 2010 Meeting Minutes

This month's meeting was held August 14th at the Eastfield College flying site. There were 7 members in attendance, including new member Jim Trombla.

Ralph Snow reported \$4029.01 in the club treasury as of August 13<sup>th</sup>.

Warren Bean reported that he had attended a Dallas RC Club meeting and had suggested that they might publicize the DEAF-24 event on their website since it will be held on their field. He learned that the \$5 fee they collect for each flier at the DEAF event is the standard fee charged by the park. Dallas RC collects the fees and forwards to the park commission. In other words any AMA member can fly at the Dallas RC Club field at any time for \$5 each occasion.

Warren reported that Gary Warner may or may not be able to officiate at the Scale event, depending on his work load. Warren has been working to update the scale rules that Gary supplied him. Chris Vanderbilt is going to look for scale score sheets from past years in case Gary is not able to attend.

One member reported that he had used the Club Finder feature on the AMA website and not found DEAF listed when he inserted his zip code. Ralph agreed to look into the problem. Subsequent to the meeting Ralph tried the system and discovered the answer to the apparent problem. Since Ralph is the club contact person and resides in Arlington (76012 zip code), Ralph's address is the official address for the club. Someone entering a Dallas zip code must specify a radius large enough to include Arlington if he wants to see the DEAF club included in the list of clubs. This situation will prevail until some member residing in or near Dallas decides that he would like to be club Secretary.

It was reported that the Rowlett club is planning to host an indoor flying session at the Rowlett Civic Center in October. Subsequent to the meeting it was learned that this event is scheduled for October 9<sup>th</sup> from 1 PM until 4 PM. They plan to have it posted on their website, [www.rowlettclub.com](http://www.rowlettclub.com), within a few days.

It was decided that the club should pay the fee for reserving the meeting room at the Samuell Grand Recreation Center next year. We will use that facility only when the weather is too cold to meet at Eastfield.

The meeting was adjourned at 11 AM.

Ralph Snow  
DEAF Secretary/Treasurer