

# ***BRISTOL COUNTY RADIO CONTROL CLUB, INC. # 1349***

## **Minutes of Membership Meeting**

October 2, 2012

The monthly meeting of the Bristol County Radio Control Club, Inc. was held in the Northeast Terminal Building at the New Bedford Regional Airport on Tuesday, October 2, 2012. A moment of silence was observed for recently deceased member Manny Arruda. Some donated items from his estate were purchased by members who were present.

### **Officers Present:**

President	Gary Carreiro
Recording Secretary	Ed Goulart
Safety Officer	Gerry Dupont
Events Coordinator	Ted Brito
Contest Director	Ned Watts

There were 14 members present.

The meeting was called to order at 7:11 PM.

### **Secretary's Report**

The minutes of the September 4, 2012 meeting were read and unanimously accepted.

### **Treasurer's Report**

The Treasurer's Report was read and unanimously accepted.

<b><u>GENERAL FUND</u></b>	<b><u>August</u></b>	<b><u>September</u></b>
Starting balance	\$ 2,082.53	\$1,936.96
Expenses	- 145 .57	- 54.54
Deposit	000.00	000.00
Ending balance	\$ 1,936.96	\$1,882.42
<b><u>TAG GRANT</u></b>		
Starting balance	\$ 315.39	\$ 460.96
Expenses	- 0.00	- 0.00
Deposit	145.57	0.00
Ending balance	\$460.96	\$460.96

### **Committee Report**

None

### **Correspondence**

1. The New England Swap Meet will be held at Bradley Airport on October 6-7.
2. The Bridgewater multi-meet will be held on October 13.

### **Unfinished Business**

1. The YMCA Fall event was successfully held last weekend. This has led to an invitation to perform at the UMass Dartmouth Fall Family Festival on October 13, 2012. It will earn the club a fee of \$150. Discussion of field flying conditions at the University ensued. It was unanimously voted to participate.
2. Safety concerns at the Smith Neck Road field and possible fines for safety violations, per the bylaws, were talked about.
3. The Float-Fly will be held on October 20. A Canteen truck will be coming. A large turnout is expected. Three awards will be given, financed from meet proceeds.

### **New Business**

1. The possibility of procuring a larger second field located on Faunce Corner Road was presented.
2. Ben Costa was unanimously voted in as a new member, sponsored by Carlos Costa.
3. It was unanimously voted to spend \$100 for batteries for the club's electric trainers. Funds to be provided from the TAG grant.
4. It was unanimously voted to spend \$210 from the TAG grant for 2 Alpha 40 trainers for the club.
5. Nominations for next year's officers were entertained. The slate consists of the present officers with the exception of the Recording Secretary, Ed Goulart, who indicated he was not a candidate for re-election. Carlos Costa will be the new nominee for this position.

### **Comments from the Officers**

None

### **Comments from the members**

None

The meeting closed at 8:47 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Ed Goulart  
Recording Secretary