

BRISTOL COUNTY RADIO CONTROL CLUB, INC. # 1349

Minutes of Membership Meeting

March 3, 2015

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, March 3, 2015.

Officers Present:

President	Gary Carreiro
Vice President	Jeff Rebello (absent)
Secretary/Clerk	Gary Barboza
Recording Secretary	Ed Goulart
Treasurer	Michelle Brito (absent)
Safety Officer	Gerry Dupont
Events Coordinator	Ted Brito
Contest Director	Ned Watts (absent)

There were (14) members present.

The meeting was called to order at 7:07 P.M.

Secretary's Report

The minutes of the February 3, 2015 meeting were read and unanimously accepted.

Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer's Report was read and unanimously accepted.

GENERAL FUND

February starting balance	\$ 7,229.15
Expenses	-000.00
Deposit	<u>000.00</u>
February Ending balance	\$ 7,229.15

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February starting balance	\$ 616.31
Expenses	-000.00
Deposit	<u>0.00</u>
February Ending balance	\$ 616.31

Committee Report

None

Correspondence

None

Unfinished Business

1. Chris Ferreira updated the club on the partnership with the Dartmouth High School engineering program. The STC prototype aircraft has been constructed and flight tested. Supplies and equipment donations are being procured from the school grant and club members. A meeting schedule with the students will be established at the April meeting.
2. Gary Carreiro updated the club on the status of potential flying sites. The White family and the owner of the Gillette Road property in Fairhaven will be contacted in mid-March. Gary feels that the Rochester site offers the greatest potential for the club, especially since the owner has already agreed to accommodate our needs. A site visit to Rochester has been tentatively set for May 2nd, or May 3rd. Gary expressed the desire to make a final decision on a site and to acquire a long term lease. Joe Gubler volunteered to become a member of the site committee.
3. Four new club members were unanimously inducted into the club. They are Albert Hess, Sammy Capeto, Cecil Horton, and Dave Fredette. This action brings the total membership to 40. Three persons were added to the waiting list; Toby Denault, George Wilbur, and Robert Desaultis.
4. The club unanimously voted to increase the membership to 45 after some discussion.
5. Gary Carreiro announced that a waiver to allow Mike Medeiros to re-join the club will be on the April agenda.

New Business

1. John Fontes informed the club that the sponsors of the Rochester Fair, which is held in August, would like us to put on a park flyer demonstration as a filler between various scheduled events.

Comments from the Officers

1. Ted Brito announced that he is feeling much better and that members can expect a blizzard of E-mails in concert with this winters' weather.

Comments from the members

None

The meeting closed at 8:14 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Ed Goulart
Recording Secretary