



# *KITSAP Aircraft Radio Control Society*



## *Monthly Meeting: Jul 8, 2025 Meeting Minutes*

*Call to order: 7:00 pm*

Tonight, 8 members were in attendance at the Club's general meeting at the KARCS Field.

### **New members**

None.

### **Meeting Minutes**

- President asked if all had a chance to read the June minutes. then asked for a motion to approve them.
- Motion by: Paul Fleming                      Second by: Floyd Dunaway
- The Jun meeting minutes were approved by the members in attendance.

### **Treasurer's Report**

Floyd provided the Jun report on the Club's accounts.

- President asked for a motion to approve them
- Motion by: Duane Barrett                      Second by: Paul Fleming
- The motion was approved by a vote of the attendees

### **General Announcements:**

The Wednesday with Nick and Tim has been going extremely well. The evening attendance has been between 8 – 12 people every Wednesday. This is in spite of some of the days being too windy to fly. When that's the case, everyone shares stories on their current build or how to improve the performance of the planes they are flying. Nick has been doing extra duty for cooking hot dogs for those in attendance.

### **Safety:**

Duane cautions everyone to be extremely aware of the high summer temperatures and to be sure to bring plenty of water. And speaking of higher temps, please be very careful and attentive to the increased fire dangers. Know where the water and sand are kept at the field.

### **Competition Results -**



Last weekends competition was a lot of fun for everyone that attended. There was a lot of flyers, in spite of the Fourth of July Holiday weekend. There was a lot of fun had by all. Results are posted on the website. There were several airplanes that received customization due to attempting to occupy the same space in the sky or a sudden stop with Terra Ferma.

### **Regional Events (tentative)**

July 18-20 – Sanderson Field Flyers will be holding the Scale Flying Contest. For people that have always been curious as to flying scale models in competition and possibly wondering what was involved, please come out to support the Club and watch/join in flying Scale airplanes.

Oct 11/12 is the tentative planned date for the Nitro/Gas Fun Fly. The schedule day is 11 Oct, with 12 Oct as a backup day. Paul Fleming will be the CD for this event, assisted by Nick. More details will be release as the day approaches. This event will be advertised to local clubs and advertised in the AMA magazine. Nick has reached out to Big Foot Hobbies to possibly have a table to sell nitro fuel and accessories. Additionally, Nick has reached out to a local area food truck to come out and support the event. The food truck will take care of all the permitting required by the KCPD. For those desiring to participate, start firing up your engines to get them ready. This should be a lot of fun.

Oct 24-25 – Autum EXPO

**Field Maintenance:** None scheduled for now

### **Old Business:**

During the Wednesday afternoon flying, a discussion arose about 3D Flying. Tim has talked to Terry and Greg about having a 3D Flying Clinic. The idea is to share information and aircraft setups for individuals desiring to fly 3D. For those that are interested, please contact Tim/Nick or one of the Club officers and we'll pass your name along to them. Announcement of this clinic will be emailed to the membership.

ADDITIONALLY, Nick has reached out to SIG Manufacturing regarding the proposed release of the SIG 4 Star – 20. This will be a new airplane designed to fly on a 3S 2000mah battery. We all have a 'butt-ton' of these batteries. Nick's goal in this is to see how many may want this model, as well as establishing a 'Winter Build' in his shop. Please research this model to see who may want to join Nick in this endeavor.



### **New Business:**

I'm going to reach out to KCPD and the vendor that sold us our current covered metal structure. I'm looking to extend our current structure by adding another 20' x 32' covered metal structure. I'm going to get price quotes, as well as reaching out to KC DCD for permitting costs. Nick has been helpful with some of the suggestions. Primarily being that since the County already has a copy of the installation drawings and so we shouldn't really be required to procure another set of drawings. More to come.

### **Show and Tell:**

Jim McEdwards brought out his nitro powered flying John Deere lawnmower. He's been receiving help making servo arms.

### **Comments from the Membership:**

None.

*Adjourned: 7:25 pm*