

# The Transmitter

September 2017

## Belleville RC Flyers, Meeting Minutes, September 14, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 PM by Vice President Jerry Nevenner at Skooter's Restaurant in Mascoutah, IL. 10 members , (2 officers) and 2 guests were present.

A motion was made, seconded and carried to accept the minutes of the August 10, 2017, meeting as published in the August 2017 newsletter.

**TREASURERS REPORT:** by Tim Cipolla, read by Jerry Nevenner. Beginning and ending balances for the month of August 2017 were read. There are 47 paid members as of the end of June. MSC to accept the report as read

### COMMITTEE REPORTS:

**FIELD:** The mole activity has decreased considerably the last two weeks. Cooler weather and some "discouragement" may have had an impact on the little critters.

**SAFETY:** Darwin showed pictures of his left arm that lost an argument with the #2 propeller on his F7F Tigercat. He was working on a landing gear problem, so he had power to the right nacelle and then accidentally bumped the throttle lever on the transmitter. A few days later, Dan showed Darwin how to program a "kill switch" on the transmitter that will disable the motors, but allow the rest of the plane to function.

**TRAINING:** by Dan Arens. No active students at this time.

**WEB PAGE:** The club web page is out of date. A suggestion was made to check into getting a new webmaster who has time to keep it up to date.

**OLD BUSINESS:** Dan will send in notice of our upcoming Swap Meet to AMA for inclusion in the Events section of Model Aviation magazine.

**NEW BUSINESS:** Rob Nebgen reported that he has been contacted by the Cubmaster of Pack 43 in Mascoutah to see about arranging a demonstration of RC planes and flying. He will pursue that idea. Rob provided a "fatality report" for the "Old Pharts" weekday activities. Dan = 1, Larry = 1, Mike = 1, Luis = 1, Jim B = 2, Jerry S = 1. Rob demonstrated at the field how to retract fixed landing gear and Darwin demonstrated blood donation at home, (The Red Cross was not impressed).

**CORRESPONDENCE:** None

**NEW MEMBERS:** Jeremy Howard was voted in as a new member and Art Curle was voted in as a returning member.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Tim Cipolla has moved. His new address is 844 Calista Ridge Drive, Belleville, IL 62221.

**ATTENDANCE PRIZE:** None

**NEXT MEETING:** 7:00 PM, Thursday, October 12, 2017 at Skooter's Restaurant, 323 E Main St, Mascoutah, IL.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 PM

Darwin Evelsizer, Club Secretary

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## **In Memorium of deceased members of the Belleville RC Flyers**

**May they all rest in peace in that big hangar in the sky.**

<b>Jerry Ballard</b>	<b>Marv Bloome</b>	<b>Earl Boyer</b>
<b>Bob Bunch</b>	<b>Don Carstad</b>	<b>Wally Conrad</b>
<b>Bob Craft</b>	<b>Ted Ellicott</b>	<b>Will Etling</b>
<b>Chuck "Bud" Grider</b>	<b>Clarence Golightly</b>	<b>Jim Hawkins</b>
<b>Mel Hobbs</b>	<b>Clarence Idoux</b>	<b>Dick Jamerson</b>
<b>Norb Kanyer</b>	<b>Charlie Lewis</b>	<b>Joe Martinez</b>
<b>Larry Mennig</b>	<b>Ray Meyer</b>	<b>Tom Meyer</b>
<b>Frank Moll</b>	<b>Frank Moore</b>	<b>Bob Morris</b>
<b>Leonard "Len" Nevenner</b>	<b>Ray Robineaux</b>	

### **Coming Events**

**October 14, 2017, Tail Gate Swap Meet, Buder Park, Fenton, Missouri 8:00 AM-12:00 PM, No fees**

**November 5, 2017, Columbia Swap Meet, Turner Hall, 211 E Cherry St. 8:00 AM- 2:00 PM**

**November 12, 2017, Decatur Swap Meet, #1 College Park, Decatur, IL 9:00 AM**

**December 3, 2017, Mt Vernon Swap Meet, 800 S 27<sup>th</sup> Street, Mt Vernon,**

**March 3, 2018, BRCF Swap Meet, Moose Lodge, 2425 North Illinois Street/Hwy 159, Swansea, Illinois**

**BRCF monthly club meeting, Thursday, October 12, 2017 at Skooters, 323 East Main Street, Mascoutah, Illinois. Meeting at 7:00 PM, eats and camaraderie at 6:00 PM.**

**Send 2017 dues, \$60, to Club Treasurer, Tim Cipolla, 844 Calista Drive, Belleville, IL62221. This is a new address for Tim.**

**PAYMENT OF DUES IS CRITICALLY IMPORTANT TO GENERATE SUFFICIENT FUNDS TO COVER THE COST OF KEEPING THE FIELD IN FLYABLE CONDITION.**

