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Prez Sez

On July 24, the Float Flyers Group got together and went to Horseshoe Lake in Illinois and went float flying. We wanted to test the boat we bought, and do a little flying. It was a beautiful day and we all had a great time.

Now, you might want to ask how I can join in on the fun. Our group is wide open to all of the members of the St. Charles Saints R/C Club. There is a one time fee of \$75.00. This fee is to pay for the cost of incidentals (gas, repairs, and miscellaneous items that may come up).

It's a real hoot to fly off water and if you have never done it, you are missing out on a whole lot of fun.

The next Float Fly is Sunday, August 14, 2011. We meet at 7:00 AM SHARP at the Shell Gas Station on West Elm Street right before you get to the HWY 370 turn off. We turn on Hwy. 370 going east and take the Hwy. 111 turn off going south to the Denny's Restaurant where we have breakfast, then off we go again on Hwy 111 to Horseshoe Lake entrance. If you want to just check it out your more than welcome to come out whether you have a float plane or not.

If you have any questions just call Paul at 314-263-5187 (my cell #).

See you at the next meeting (8/11/11), and bring something to fly.

Paul (The R/C Nut)

Meeting Schedule

Meeting Dates Remaining in 2011:

Aug 11, Sep 8, Oct 13, Nov 10, Dec 8

Meeting Time:

7 to 9 pm.

Meeting Location: May thru Sept meetings are scheduled to be at the FLYING FIELD



Meeting Minutes

St. Charles Saints - Meeting Minutes

Meeting called to order 7 pm 7/14/2011 by President Paul Trendley.

Roll Call, 12 members present, 38 absent.

Membership report, 50 members, 20 openings.

Treasures report,

Beginning balance \$6,714.00

Deposits Club dues \$275.00

Boat collections \$600.00

Total \$875.00

Expenses Fuel/Tractor \$22.70

Field Rent \$1,700.00

Field Rent \$450.00

Saints.com \$144.40

Club boat \$600.00

Fuel/Tractor \$85.75

Grease/Tractor \$7.10

Oil/Tractor \$13.12

Fuel/Tractor \$18.93

Total \$3,042.00

Ending Balance \$4,547.00

Motion to accept treasures report, membership aye.

Safety report, no report. Rick Ellis has resigned as safety officer. Club needs another safety officer.

Field Committee report. Harry White will replace Rich Gwyn on the Field Committee. Field has been drug to break up soil in preparation of reseeding. Boat has been purchased for use at float flying events. Boat, trailer with 3 new tires and 9 horse Evenrude motor, \$600.00 Harry White is the keeper of the boat and will bring to the field Sunday for viewing. Club to still purchase life preservers and floatation device for use in the boat.

Old Business. Web master reports he is still working on details of the web site. John encourages folks to send in photos for the member spotlight. Instead of emailing the newsletter to everyone the newsletter will be posted on the website and a notification will be sent when it is available.

New Business. Bob Ponte is the new proud recipient of the BONER award for hitting the pavilion with his plane. Great job Bob. Be sure to proudly display this highly prestigious and much sought after award prominently in your home per club tradition.

Attendance prizes. Dick Magee and Steve Collins.
50/50. Bob Ponte.

Motion to adjourn, membership aye.

SHOW AND TELL

Pictures from July 24th Float Fly

