

EAA Chapter 1298 November 4, 2023 Meeting Minutes

Telly Kassimis called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM. Meeting opened with pledge. Thanks to Telly, who filled in for Steve who was not feeling well, but is doing fine as of this writing.

Guests were shy, as no one spoke up.

Telly introduced John Williams who presented Merle Wagner an award for his gracious hosting of the Commerative Air Force meetings in 2023 at the EAA hangar.

Frank Brunot reported on financials, which are also posted on the bulletin board.

Hangar Committee:

- Merle Wagner fixed the PA speaker – Thanks Merle

Upcoming Events:

- 12/16 - Young Eagles Rally 10:00AM - 1:00 PM – Paul Bryant pilot briefing 9:30
- 12/7 - Papa Joes's – RSVP to Phil Renard 614.499.5766 – a few seats left
- 2/17 – Bi-Plane fly in lunch to plan

Bruce Harding spoke to the Build n Fly kickoff in the next month or so.

Jack Maher has a list for the polo shirts. \$30, plus \$2 for each X after XL - .XXI \$32, XXXI \$34. \$2 for each tag line – 2 max. IE; N123RV and/or name. Monies are due prior.

Rany Crouch spoke about a number of Florida Fly-Ins today. In addition, he spoke to island flying.

Joe Haulton spoke about the Boy Scouts move to EAA 1298 due to some logistics. 11/17-19. BOD item and insurance.

Karl Bambas wanted to add Bald Eagle flights to the BOD.

Projects:

- Merle Wagner – Ready to fly, but Merle needs a BFR
- Ron LeBlanc spoke to machining aluminum errors, and alternate materials for prototypes
- Ricky Rawls – Finishing panel, ultralight is finished

50/50 - \$ 47.50 won by the boy who picked, but we did not have his guest info.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:40 am.

Respectfully Submitted,

Bill Smith
Chapter EAA 1298 Secretary