

If you think you can or think you can't, you are right.



Chester Shans.
Spitfire

Crashing my way to being a better pilot

You cannot propel yourself forward by patting yourself on the back.



Steve Croft.
Stearman

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Some key things for the BAS membership to think about

BAS should consider being significantly engaged in the Adaptive Management Process for Natural Wildlife Management, particularly the focus groups and the two community workshops – one in June and the other in the fall.

It will make a world of difference to BAS if the Defined Future Condition for the North West Shore area is “maintain the status quo and prevent further decline of bird nesting” rather than “try to restore the wildlife habitat to the way it was 20 years ago”. It will take significant effort and time to stay well engaged in this process.

BAS members should take the opportunity to record bird activity data near the BAS field seriously. If we are lazy and don't record much bird activity, then that lack of data could be detrimental to our cause.

Jim Dimmick

PS. The bird activity data log book is in the shelter on the bench.

BAS MEETING MINUTES April 11th, 2012

Meeting called to order by **PRESIDENT** David Goodnow at 6:30 pm with 13 members present and one guest. Motion made by David with a second to the motion by Al Coelho to accept last months meeting minutes as they appeared in last months newsletter. Motion voted on and passed.

TREASURE REPORT-- In the absence of Treasure Dean Ehn, David gave a detailed report of the clubs finances.

1ST VICE PRESIDENT REPORT-- 1ST Vice President Augie Bruno stated the club now has 83 members of which 21 also belong to the float fly sub group.

2ND VICE PRESIDENT REPORT-- 2ND Vice President Joe Sherran was not present. No report was given.

OLD BUSINESS-- Augie Bruno informed members of the action taken at the last meeting of the Boulder City Council meeting and the meeting with the Boulder Parks and Recreation. Augie thanked club members James Mack, Skip Miller, Rich Anderson, Greg Hine and Jim Dimmick for their hard work and time spent on the effort to keep our field open. As of this time the field is closed.

NEW BUSINESS-- Augie introduced Matt Claussen Urban Resource Manger for the Boulder Parks and Recreation Department. Matt stated the field will be reopened for flying on April 13. He displayed a map of the restricted area during the bird nesting period. Some new rules will be posted at the field. Flying time will be 10:00 am until 7:30 pm. Matt said he would email the club on the new rules which will apply during the bird nesting period. A discussion was held on having a workday at the field for annual maintenance and what is needed for field upkeep and repairs. Motion by David Goodnow with a second by Ken Jochim to have the workday on Saturday May 12 starting at 9:00 am. Motion voted on and passed. The drawing for the \$20.00 gift certificate went to Murray Lull. Motion by Al Coelho with a second by Ken Jochim to adjourn the meeting. Motion voted and passed.

Respectfully Submitted Rudy Glick.

BAS Meeting, May 9th
6:30 PM at Hobby Town USA

BAS RC Groups forum new link.

www.TinyURL.com/BASForum

Members, May 2012 Birthdays

Richard Myron

David Goodnow

John Minors

Bob Pederson

Vladimir Lyapunov

**NEW HOURS FOR FLYING AT
CHANDLER FIELD.**

10:00 AM till 7:30 PM Daily.

Until Further Notice

A new feature has been added to our Club meetings at HobbyTown. A \$20 gift certificate for HobbyTown will be provided to one lucky attendee at the up coming meeting Wednesday May 9th at 6:30 PM.

See Web Page for Event Listings

www.boulderaero.org