

M3 Club Meeting 2012-09-10

The monthly meeting was held 9/10 at the field. This date had been previously published because the normal Monday was Labor Day. Attendees included Pete Bergstrom (Pres), Gary Hunt (VP), Mike Hilderbrandt, Stan Lemmon, Bill, and Andy Kunz (Sect).

Before the jet event, several turned up to clean, repair tables, set new pilot stations, etc. Thanks to those who helped out. The new pilot stations are particularly good.

Pete reported on the jet event that \$80 was donated to Big Brothers/Big Sister. The event was considered a success, having netted \$3420.

David Payne wants to have a club campout weekend on the first weekend (Fri-Sun) of October.

Next event will be the IMAC event, its final year at Eli Field for now. This event rotates to a new club every few years. Mike H. reported that the everything is arranged for it to be a success.

We discussed getting hats for the club members. The samples are red, with white and black Eli Field logo on the front. A motion was made by Gary, authorizing the purchase of 100 hats at about \$9 each, to be sold to members and friends for \$15. It was seconded by Bill and passed. Andy and Pete will handle the purchase arrangements.

Andy reported that the glider club at Monticello Airport will be having an appreciation day to all airport users, and has invited M3 members to attend. This event is scheduled for 9/22 with a rain/wind date of 9/29.

Stan and Pete moved a large table/workbench from Horizon to the hangar. Several suggestions were made for its use, including a charge table and a place for notices about club rules among them.

Andy mentioned a desire to have a month fun-fly event at the club and was seeking suggestions. Some that were mentioned were cutting a TP streamer, bomb drops, limbo, pylon racing (fast/slow), etc. Gary suggested having some inside the hangar over the winter, and as a point series. Andy will put together some suggestions to gauge interest.