

Retford Model Flying Club 2019 AGM
Babworth Rd Sports & Social Club
5th December 2019

The meeting opened at 1945hrs with 32 full & 2 new members

Apologies received:

Neil Byrne, Paul Anderson, Ted Morris, Jamie Morris, Craig Beadnall, Tim Turner, Paul Holmes

Minutes of the last meeting:

2018 Minutes were agreed:

Proposed by D. Kellard - Seconded M. Williams

Matters arising:

Veranda & fence not completed due to extraordinary expenditure on the mower.

Chairman's report

John updated members on how the club was developing and the implications of the CAA Dares initiative. The field has been immaculately kept by our groundsman Mike Cole and Dave Noar. In recognition of their excellent efforts both were awarded the order of the green RMFC cap to keep the sun out of their eyes during relaxing days at the field.

Secretary

Membership will still be full in after losing 5 members who have left for a variety of reasons, but not due to the new CAA fund raising.

CA reported on the 2 events that help keep costs down over the year our 2 swap meets held in March and November, thank you to all members who came along to support the events.

The new BMFA portal has been a great success, the Go + has made paying subs simpler, all subs were collected prior to 1st January 2019. As more members opt to pay this way less time will be spent on renewals admin.

Neil and Richard the 2 new members to the committee have done excellent work within training and our accounting area

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Treasurer

Groundsman

Dave updated the meeting with the situation regarding the mower which will not be serviced by Greenstripe, the saving of moving to a new service centre will be £438, members thanked Dave for finding the new supplier.

Dave talked about the field and that we may have a problem with moles which he will report back to the new groundsman as he would not be seeking re election. DN said he would try to cut the grass before the mower is serviced, weather dependant.

The meeting thanked Dave for keeping the field in superb condition

Changes to rules & constitution - None

Election of club officers

Chairman	- John Bridgett	proposed by CA seconded JM
Secretary	- Chris Anderson	proposed by DN seconded JM
Treasurer	- Neil Byrne	proposed by CA seconded MC
Grounds man	- Mike Cole	proposed by RW seconded GM
Training	- Richard Wilkins	Proposed by JB seconded SC
Committee	- Steve Course	proposed by JM seconded AT
	- Simon Codd	proposed by DN seconded JM

Any other business

None

Meeting closed at 2140hrs

2020 AGM will be held on Thursday 5th December 2020

Chris Anderson Secretary
Retford Model Flying Club