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Meeting Minutes

June meeting of the Austin Radio Control Association

President Tom Sewell called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. There were 28 members present.

The minutes of the May meeting were read and accepted as read. The minutes of the special meeting were also read and accepted.

The treasurer's report for May was read and accepted as read.

Old business:

Total cost of the runway was \$11600; this included several loads of loam to backfill the runway with the existing grade. There was approx \$3500 in donations towards the runway. Ken reported that all is on schedule for the Big Bird in August.

Bob Price gave the date of the helicopter event as Oct. 8th-10th.

Associate membership was discussed and was determined that the dues would be \$30.00 non pro-rated and no voting rights. A motion was made to amend the by-laws to allow associate memberships based on the guidelines set forth by the executive committee. A vote was taken and the motion passed.

New business:

Bob Covish said Georgetown would like to hold their August 24th meeting, here at our field for Bob to do a show & tell presentation about turbines and his King Cat. This was agreed to, and we shall also provide hot dogs and hamburgers to our guests.

Ken said the Coca Cola has bottled water for the Coke machine, which will take the place of Diet Dr. Pepper. Coke has also raised the price of their product from \$.38 to \$.42 per can. For now the price will remain at \$.50.

The swap meet is put off until the fall, possibly Oct, after the helicopter event.

Blue Max nominees:

From a long list of nominees, Roger K. won for taking over a take-off attempt of Ken's turbine, having the throttle at idle and not being able to recover in time.

Morris Duet won the door prize

The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 PM

New Pit Area Notes

Not too much to report this month. The Club appreciates the cooperation in holding off on fueling on the new asphalt cap. We are giving the asphalt a recommended time to cure out. Gasoline and Jet-A/Kerosine should never be fueled on the new asphalt as they will "eat" right through it.

Next Meeting
Thursday Evening
July 29 th
7:00 pm
at the Flying Field

Upcoming Club Events:

July 29th	Club Meeting
August 20th 21st, 22nd 26th	Big Bird Meet Club Meeting
September 10th 11th, 12th 30th	Greater Southwest Club Meeting

**Event
Updates
at the
next
meeting**

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