



## KINGSTON RADIO CONTROL MODELLERS

MINUTES of the Regular Meeting  
Monday, December 20<sup>th</sup>, 2010

**Called to Order** by Gary Droppo at 7:42 PM with 26 members and guests. These included the following people who were welcomed to the meeting: Richard Barlow, MAAC President; Glenn Takahara, new member; and guests Max Izatt and Tom Mackey.

Gary Droppo provided a positive and thorough review highlighting KRCM's achievements and the major activities of this successful year of operations.

He expressed his hope that these successes would continue in 2011, while stressing safety and flight training, but also with attempts to introduce fun-level competitions, especially for flyers that have no experience with contests.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT:** Presented by Jim Murdoch  
Moved to accept by Cliff Smith, Seconded by Rene Lebrun

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT:** Presented by Rolly Siemonsen  
Copies of the Audited Financial Statement dated November 30, 2010 were distributed to those present at the meeting. Further copies are available upon request by members, including at the next meetings. Rolly fully explained all entries in the Expenses and Income sections and the separate Events Report for 2010.

Bill Hetherington was thanked for his close review of all entries and his final approval as Auditor.

Moved to accept by Jay Kingston, Seconded by Erle Jenkin. Members present voted to accept this Financial Statement.

### **MOTION IN REGARDS TO THE “FUN FLY FUND”**

Rolly presented the following motion, as a result of his work on the Annual Statement: **“During the July 2010 meeting the Fun Fly Fund was increased from \$2000 to \$2500. At the time it was felt that the extra \$500 might be required to run the events. When preparing the year end financial report it was apparent that \$2000 was adequate to cover the costs incurred for these events. I hereby make motion that the Fun Fly Fund be returned back to \$2000. Doing so will put an additional \$500 into the Operations account.”**

Motion moved by Rolly Siemonsen, Seconded by Dave Fasken and approved by a vote of members present.

### **TREASURER’S REPORT: as of December 20, 2010**

Rolly presented the following figures:

Bank Balance: \$10,299.02

Book Balance: \$10,088.07

Outstanding Cheques/Commitments: 2 outstanding cheques to MAAC.

Operating Account Balance: \$1647.78 YTD

Contingency Fund: \$3034.12

Fun Fly Fund Balance: \$00 YTD

Membership: 83 Open members, 11 Junior members and 2 Honorary.

Motion to accept by Jay Kingston, Seconded by Cliff Smith and approved by vote of members present.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

**Projector:** This was returned with a full refund. Two sources for no-cost loans of projectors were identified for future presentations requiring one.

**The MAAC Presentation “MAAC Explained”** presented by Richard Barlow at our November meeting is now featured on the main page of the MAAC website in 2 downloadable formats.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

**Donation to KGH:** Rene Lebrun reported that Jennie Izatt’s sales of home-made sweets, treats and beverages at Indoor Flying sessions had so far resulted in an \$86 donation to KGH. This volunteer initiative by Jennie Izatt will continue.

**Article by Cliff Smith in Model Aviation Canada:** Cliff’s article on his flight in the Nanchang CJ-6A has been published on Pg 14 of the December 2010 issue.

**Winter Fun Fly: Sunday, February 27, 2011**

Wilf Hill has volunteered to organize a Winter Fun Fly at KRCM's field on February 27, when no indoor flying is scheduled. Beef stew and buns will be served. A Motion to approve this club-sponsored activity and the expenditure of funds by Wilf as organizer was made by Cliff Smith, Seconded by Marc Adelstein and approved by vote of members present.

**Election of 2010 Executive**

Gary Droppo read the following list of nominees for the Executive generated at the November meeting:

**President – Gary Droppo**

**Vice President - Dave Fasken**

**Treasurer – Rolly Siemonsen**

**Secretary – Jim Murdoch**

**Chief Flight Instructor – Cliff Smith**

**Contest Director – Mike Siemonsen**

**Auditor: Bill Hetherington**

No further nominations were made. A Motion to acclaim all nominees was made by Paul Bauder, seconded by Kirby Rowe, and approved by vote of the members present.

**MOTION TO ADJOURN** by Jay Kingston, Seconded by Merrill Baker

**MEETING CLOSED AT 8:30 PM**

**WORKSHOP: Building a Turnbuckle – Part 1 - Rolly Siemonsen**

**Next meeting**

Monday, January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2011, 7:30 PM  
in the RCAFA club hall at the Kingston Airport  
This is the third Monday of the month