



Flying Tigers Radio Control Club Inc.

## April 2006 Meeting Minutes

05 April 2006

Call to Order: 20h20 (8:20 PM)

### Executive Present:

Rod Hopkins – Treasurer, Terry Tupper – Past President, Brian Facey – Officer at Large

Members present: 22

Terry Tupper sat in for our President Nick Saraco and Brian Facey sat in for our Secretary Jim Daly.

Motion to wave reading of the March minutes was made and was a unanimous “Yes” vote.

### PRESIDENT’S REPORT

As the Prez, Nick Saraco, was absent there was no Prez’s Report for this month.

### GREAT RUBBER RACE:

Discussion of the Great Rubber race in March ensued. All had a good time etc. It was noted that this was the 10th annual meeting of rubber between the FT and the Burlington club.

### MAY SHOW AND TELL:

The May meeting is the club’s annual Show & Tell, a.k.a. – The Beauty Contest! Chris begged everyone to bring planes so that he and Tony wouldn’t look bad. They are going to have new classes this year for ARF, Kit built, Helicopter etc. The usual best of Show will be included.

### FIELD COMMITTEE REPORT:

Field conditions are fair to good but please be careful of the driveway as much rain can be expected for this time of year. We will be opening the field gradually as time permits with grass cutting, a new windsock, general cleanup etc. Dick is going to source a sliding window for the impound.

### COMING EVENTS:

- 1) Club fun fly - June 4th with a pot luck dinner.
- 2) Helicopter event on Sat. July 1st with rain date July 2nd.
- 3) 2006 FT Scale Aerobatic Encounter - July 8th and 9th.
- 4) GLAMME will be on August 19th and 20th. Volunteers needed. Please help out.
- 5) Swap meet will be in Nov. Exact date not yet determined.

Break at 8:40 for 10 minutes

### NEW BUSINESS:

We will be ordering more hats so if you want one, get your name down soon. Contact the Secretary, Jim Daly, [jamesdaly@sympatico.ca](mailto:jamesdaly@sympatico.ca) with your order. Price to be determined.

**FLIGHT TRAINING – WINGS PROGRAM:**

The Wings program will start on weekend of May 24th with Terry Tupper as CFI. Student instruction will be on Saturday mornings only from 9:00 to 1:00 with regular flying starting at 12:00 noon to get the students used to flying with others in the air.

**PRANGED PIG:**

The Pranged Pig was up next. It was suggested by Terry Tupper that an absent Jack Marcotte should get the pig for pan caking his plane into the ground due to an aileron deciding to part company with the wing. Apparently the wrong kind of glue was used on the aileron hinges and even though warned of flying his plane beyond its limit, Jack stressed the hinges to departure point. Secret sources tell us he used the same glue again for needed repairs in spite of being warned.

Oh well, Mr. Pig goes to Jack for the month of April.

**FIFTY/FIFTY DRAW:**

Half and half draw was \$55.50 and was won Mr. X.

Next meeting is Wednesday May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2006, 20h00, (8:00 PM).

Meeting adjourned at 21h15.

Recorded by: Brian Facey, Officer at Large