

# Lake County Modelers and Flyers Assn.

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## LCMFA Meeting Minutes for

May 14, 2025

### 1. Open Meeting: 7:05 p.m.

### 2. Roll Call

- a. **Club Officers:** Jeff Woollett, Len Todd, Mac McClellan, Greg Bayles, Bob Robinson
- b. **Members:** Josh Hanson
- c. **Guests:** 0

**3. Additions to Agenda: - Jeff:** Len requested adding three new items to the May 2025 agenda.

**4. Approve Past Meeting Minutes – Jeff:** Len made a motion to approve the April 2025 minutes as written. Greg seconded. All in favor. Motion Carried.

**5. Treasurer's Reports & Approve Bills – Mac:** Checking balance as of May 2025 is \$10,385.74. Len made a motion to approve the treasurer's report and approved bills as presented. Bob seconded. All in favor. Motion carried.

### 6. Old Business

- a. **School Program, Drone Soccer – Len:** Drone Soccer is done for this year. We hope to be back at the School in the Fall.
- b. **Field Maintenance Planning – Greg:** Greg talked about working on the lawn mower. He did a lot of mowing and everything looked great.
- c. **Chamber of Commerce – Jeff:** Jeff talked about how the Chamber is working with new leaders and Jeff is now a Trustee. He is now a voting member.
- d. **LCMFA Club Trainer Planes – Jeff:** Tabled

- e. **Assets List – Mac:** Tabled
- f. **Potential LCSO Meeting – Len:** He asked one of the sheriffs and a drone operator to try to get a couple people together for a presentation. He will talk to Rich and with Harold about giving a presentation about our club.
- g. **Event Food Service Provider – Jeff:** We have two Food Vendors for the Summer Events. One is the same one from last year and the other one is a new one for this year.
- h. **2025 Marketing Plan – Len:** He has event posters to be printed and then dropped off to our local sponsors here in Baldwin. Mac offered to help get these to the sponsors here in town.
- i. **Status of Altitude Waivers – Len/Jeff:** AMA wants the Altitude Waiver information added to a place where it will be visible to all members. We will need to revise the Operational Rules with the new Altitude Waiver rules.

## 7. New Business:

- a. **LCMFA Vice President and LCMFA Secretary positions need to be filled: Jeff:** We still need a new Vice President and a new Secretary.
- b. **Blessing of the Bikes: May 16-18, 2025:** Jeff talked about the Blessing of the Bikes regarding what will be going on during those days.
- c. **Ronette, Treasurer – Safety Day: Jeff:** The manager and Ronette came out to look at our field to check things out for Safety Day. They were given by Mac a copy of the water permit. Safety Day will be after June, Spring Fling, event.
- d. **Boondoggle: Len/Jeff: 3<sup>rd</sup> weekend in August.** Went over the event staffing. There was a talk about having a potluck dinner on Wednesday night. Then set up for the Boondoggle event. The pilot's dinner is to be on Friday evening. The club meeting for August to be announced soon.  
  
**Spring Fling: 2<sup>nd</sup> weekend in June.** Potluck dinner on Wednesday night. Then set up for the event. The club meeting is at 7pm at the main event area on Friday.  
  
**RC Expo: 2<sup>nd</sup> weekend in July.** Potluck dinner on Wednesday night. Then set up for the event. The club meeting is at 7pm at the main event area on Friday.
- e. **Freesoil Senior Center – Jeff** to call the Senior Center to set up a date for LCMFA members to go there with a static display and a presentation regarding our Club.

- f. **Club T-shirts & hats: Len:** It was talked about possibly sourcing out the sale of our T-shirts and hats to a local family business. We might start off with hats first as we do not have any left to sell. We would still sell our T-shirts at the events as we have quite a few T-shirts in stock. More information regarding this to follow.
- g. **Operational Rules Changes: Len:** We will need to revise the Operational Rules with the new Altitude Waiver Rules. Once revised, we will email an updated membership packet to all members and update our webpage with the revised Operational Rules.
- h. **Annual Club Meeting: Len:** We will have an annual meeting to be attended by all members during the Boondoggle. Jeff will have further information for all of you regarding the date and time of the meeting.

#### **8. Member Round Table Discussion:**

**Mac** wants to thank everyone for all the help while he was busy helping with Michelle.

**Bob** had a nice but very cold 7 day soaring fun fly in Traverse City. They had a good turn out and great food.

**9. Adjourn:** 8:55 p.m.

**The next LCMFA meeting is scheduled for Friday, June 13, 2025,**

**at 7:00 P.M., at the Main Event Area**