## **Meeting Minutes**

Date: September 13, 2009

Location: County Extension Office

President Vic Barlow called the September meeting to order. All officers were present. Membership roll was also called. Several members were present and one guest.

One bill was presented for the trailer and our new balance is \$652.00

The minutes were read and approved.

Under old business:

Minutes are now posted on the web.

Gus stated that the stands are about done and will be ready for the October launch.

Curtis Reynolds and Jon Craig both have certified Level 1

We are now the proud owners of a trailer, it needs some work, will make a nice fall project.

The Port-a-potty subject came up again and it looks like we can rent one for around \$110 for the weekend or buy one for around \$250. Issues of storage and transportation came up. It was decided we definitely need to rent one for the launch in November.

The make it and take it program will be put off till next year due to lack of time and planning.

Vic reported on the letters to schools project. So far there is little response. Vinton elementary is interested and Randy will be working on that one. Lafayette Jeff also responded and is very interested and Vic will be working on that one.

New Business:

Brian gave a successful rocket launch report. It was noted that the October launch will be at Purdy's and hopefully the November launch will be at Ash Grove. Octobers launch will also feature the Crayon rocket race.

John Tsohas gave a hybrid rocket report and Tim gave an update on the Ice project.

Randy gave an update about Purdy's Sod farm. Because of business some of his land will be going back to Soy Beans. This may affect us slightly.

Elections will be held in November, with nominations to take place in October. Nominations are due by October 16<sup>th</sup>.

The Ash Grove launch will be November  $21^{st}$  and  $22^{nd}$ . We are thinking about doing a press release and how to make this launch a big deal. Land owners will be contacted again and gifts will be bought for the land owners as a sign of gratitude.

October 18<sup>th</sup> launch at Purdy
Octobers meeting will be on the 21<sup>st</sup>.
October 30, 31 and Nov. 1 MWP
November 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday Meeting
December 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday Meeting
Novembers HP Launch will be at Ash Grove on the 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>.