The Next GAMA Meeting is on July 11th,  
The Second Tuesday at:  
Mel's Lone Star Lanes, 1010 North Austin Ave, Georgetown.  
At this meeting, the membership will be brought up to date on Governmental, Obstructionism, additional cost to operate the club and Safety Violation problems that the EC Board had to deal with so far.  

Don’t Miss This One!!!

So, We’ll Go No More a Flying  
--by Lord Byron

So, we’ll go no more a flying.  
It’s getting too late into the night.  
Though the heart is willing and trying  
And the moon be still so bright.  
For the batteries recharging need  
And the fuel is gone at last.  
And the heart must pause to breathe  
And the pilot too must rest.  
Though the daylight is quickly dying  
And the night returns too soon.  
Yet we’ll go no more a flying  
Not even by the light of the moon.  

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### Georgetown AeroModeler's Association

#### Cash Activity for the month of June 2017

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Georgetown Aero Modelers Association Inc.
Special Board Meeting

June 1, 2017

SALES TAX

Meeting called to order Gary Fisher at 6:00 p.m.

Members present:
Gary Fisher – President
Bob Petrenic - Vice President / Treasurer
George Gilliam – Secretary / Membership Director
Randy Kendzior – Safety Director

Members not present:
Charles Esh – Newsletter Editor

Business:

- A discussion was held on a process for accounting and filing sales tax returns for Sales at GAMA Swap Meets and other club events. George Gilliam is in working with the Texas Comptroller’s office in San Antonio to bring GAMA’s Sales Tax account up to date.

- A letter of inquiry was received from an Attorney Karolyn A. Knaack, P.C., requesting to examine GAMA’s BOOKS AND RECORDS. This letter was referred to Gary Fisher and Bob Petrenic to review and report back to the Board.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 p.m. by Gary Fisher

George Gilliam
Secretary
Georgetown Aero Modelers Association Inc.
Board Meeting

June 6, 2017

Meeting called to order Gary Fisher at 6:30 p.m.

Members present:
Gary Fisher – President
Bob Petrenic - Vice President / Treasurer
George Gilliam – Secretary / Membership Director
Charles Esh – Newsletter Editor
Randy Kendzior – Safety Director

Business:
Approval of Minutes
• Motion: Approve Minutes from the May 2, 2017 board meeting
• Vote: 5 for, 0 opposed
  • Resolved: Minutes from meeting on May 2, 2017 approved without modification.

• Bob Petrenic - Reported the May 2017 Financial report.
• George Gilliam - Reported the May 2017 Membership report
• A discussion was held on collecting and quarterly filing of Texas Sales and Use Tax. The major event
  • GAMA sponsors is the annual swap meet and maybe four other events through out a year.
• After this year, all Sales tax filings will be done yearly.
• Randy Kendzior – Safety Director Lead a discussion about flying field hazards and fire safety. It
  • was noted more members are using gasoline fuel in their models. This will be discussed in detail and
  • possible resolution at the next General club meeting.
• The process for changing the Registered Agent for GAMA was continued to the next board meeting.
• Insurance quotation for the GAMA field equipment was continued to the next meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 p.m. by Gary Fisher

George Gilliam
Secretary
Georgetown Aero Modelers Association Inc.
General Meeting

June 13, 2017

Meeting called to order by Gary Fisher at 7:00p.m.

Members present: Members present: 23
Gary Fisher – President
Bob Petrenic - Vice President / Treasurer
George Gilliam – Secretary / Membership Director
Randy Kendzior – Safety Director

Officers not present:
Charles Esh – Newsletter Editor

Guest – None

Approval of Minutes
• Motion: Approve Minutes from the May 9, 2017 General meeting
• Vote: Motion carried
• Resolved: Minutes from the meeting on May 9, 2017 approved with a change from
  “The AMA has a new classification (Event Manager) for members that host non-sanction events.” To “The AMA has a new classification (Event Manager) for members that host non-competitive events.”

Business:
• George Gilliam, Membership Director - Reported the Membership report
  • Total Membership is 88 Members
  • New members this year - 21 Members
  • Last year’s membership - 19 members did not renew for 2017
  • Total membership last year was 86 members.
  • New Members: Robert Puetz ,Ben Bibb
• Bob Petrenic, Treasurer- Reported the May Financial report.
• Gary Fisher, President - Asked the new members to elaborate on their flying experiences.
• Randy Kendzior, Safety Director – A discussion was held on fire safety and hazards at the flying field. Randy stated we (GAMA) do not owned the flying field. We are guest of the property owner and we cannot afford to cause harm to the property or to the farmer's crops. Model Airplane fuels are changing, to a more volatile gasoline base fuel.
  • Motion: Randy Kendzior made a motion, seconded by Mike Hunter.
  • “Designate the Georgetown Aero Modelers Association Inc.’s flying field as a Smoke Free facility.”
  • Vote: 20 For – 3 opposed
  • Resolved: Motion carried
• Randy Kendzior said he would purchase and install the NO SMOKING signs. A discussion followed about Lipo battery fires and what type of fire extinguisher is to be used. Daryl McCloskey said the ABC or CD type of fire extinguishers could be used on Lipo fires.
• Rene Grebe said John Funk would volunteer to direct the food concession, and will need an additional 3 to 4 members to help with the Pattern Contest scheduled for the 24th and 25th of June.
• Paul Clark said he has a club trainer that needs a new home.
• Mike Hunter said he has sent information on National Model Aviation Day calibration to all area AMA clubs and the Boy and Girls Scouts in the area. At the next month’s meeting, he will have flyers to pass out
• Gary Fisher – said there was a serious incident at the flying field Monday June 12th in the A.M. Gary asked the membership for volunteers to form an Executive Committee to investigate and resolve the incident. Members of the Executive Committee will be Mike Hunter, Carl Bogart, Daryl McCloskey, Rene Grebe, and Richard Rays
• Paul Brown said the corn is high and you can get lost in it as he did looking for his downed plane.

SHOW and TELL
• Jerry Britsch attended the Triple Tree Aerodrome for the Joe Nall event. Jerry presented a slide show that was informative about the Aerodrome and the models were outstanding.
• Edgar Blackledge – Directed the meeting raffle.

Moved that the Meeting be adjourned, and this was agreed upon at 8:39pm.

George Gilliam
Secretary
Picture of the Month

Mountains of Dust in the Carina Nebula
Image Credit: NASA, ESA, and M. Livio (STScI)