



Monthly Meeting Notes

PCRC Club Meeting on 19 May 2025

The meeting was held at 10am, 19 April at the field.

Members attending: Tom Carney Cliff Andrea Jason Baker Jim Corey Paul Dwyer
Luther Hux Greg McCain Dan Rodgers Earl Ritter George Saar
George Saar Dave Terrell Oliver Gaze Gene Zagorsky Dave Zona

- **Treasurer's Report-** copy attached.
- **Old Business**
 - **AMA Site Improvement Grant-** On 15 May the AMA awarded the club a site improvement grant of \$1,349.36. Members expressed their appreciation to Jason Baker for his work on the grant application. Members were reminded that when making purchases for the club, they should obtain a separate receipt (i.e to not mix personal purchases with club purchases on the receipt.)
 - **Passing of Tim Lowe-** Members signed a sympathy card that was provided by George and Verna Saar; it will be presented at Tim's service this Saturday. (For service info, see Tim's obituary at <https://www.endersandshirley.com/obituary/ira-tim-lowee-iii>).
Members decided to donate \$100 to the Winchester SPCA in memory of Tim.
 - **Fire Extinguishers-** Paul Dwyer generously donated two lithium-ion extinguishers to the club, one each for the Sulphur Spring site and the Berkeley site. A standard extinguisher fire will be mounted in the pavilion to allow quick access in case of fire.
A survey of the standard extinguishers will be conducted to determine how many replacements may be required.
 - **Email from Prospective Members-** Jim Corey and Gary Foreman updated the public website with the email pcrc.query@gmail.com in lieu of officers' personal email addresses and phone numbers.
 - **Investment of Club Funds-** On 17 May, Tom Carney and Jim Corey opened a Small Business Money Market Account at the Truist Bank with an initial deposit of \$7000.
 - **Indoor Flying at Snowden Bridge-** Dave Terrell reported that his discussions with the HOA at Snowden continue. He is scheduled to give the HOA a second demonstration flight. He hopes to convince them to allow PCRC members occasional access to their indoor recreational facility for indoor flying.
 - **Indoor Flying at Shenandoah University-** Now that the academic year is over, Dan Rodgers is attempting to gain access to a large facility at the university for occasional PCRC indoor flying.



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- **Gary Allen Estate-** Dan Rodgers was present to give to members some of the model airplane supplies/material once owned by Gary Allen. The club appreciates the assistance that Dan has given Susan Allen in cataloging, repairing, and transferring Gary's modeling material.
- **New Business**
 - **Bush hogging-** The members noted that it is time for the first bush hogging of the season. Jason Baker will contact Judy Construction for an estimate. There was discussion of possibly purchasing our own bush mower; Gene Zagorsky will gather more information about this option.
 - **Gravel for Driveway-** The members decided to purchase ~20 tons of crusher run for the driveway. Jason B was authorized to arrange for the purchase (up to \$1000.)
 - **Signs-** Members authorized Luther Hux to spend up to \$200 to purchase three new signs for the field.
 - **Family and Friends Fun-Fly and Picnic-** the date was set for Saturday, 28 June.
 - **Model Aviation Day, 16 Aug-** Tom Carney volunteered to investigate the feasibility of the club doing an event in conjunction with the AMA's Model Aviation Day. (In the past, PCRC had community open houses in celebration of this day.)
 - **Apple Blossom Festival 2026-** George Saar reported that now is the time to begin planning for club participation at this event. In past years, the club had a static display and provided information to festival guests. George volunteered to get the details on participation.

Next Meeting will be 7pm, 16 June at the field



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Treasurer's Report 19 May 2025

I. CHECKING

ACCOUNT BALANCE as of 19 April 2025.....	\$9,398
+ DEPOSITS	+ \$60
13 May <i>Income</i> - dues from Olver Gaze \$60	
- WITHDRAWALS	- \$7,061
20 April <i>Expense</i> - Gene Z for mower fuel \$55	
20 April <i>Expense</i> - Luther H for sign \$5	
13 May <i>Transfer</i> - to Money Market \$7000	
ACCOUNT BALANCE as of 19 May 2025.....	<u>\$2,397</u>

II. MONEY MARKET

ACCOUNT BALANCE as of 13 May 2025.....	\$7,000
+ DEPOSITS	+ \$1,349
15 May <i>Income</i> - AMA Site Improvement Grant \$1,349	
ACCOUNT BALANCE as of 19 May 2025.....	<u>\$8,349</u>

SUMMARY	
Funds Currently Available	
Checking	\$2,397
Money Market	<u>8,349</u>
TOTAL	\$10,746