



# FlightLines

## Shawnee Mission Radio Control Club

May 14, 2026



AMA Charter 312

President  
Will Lavery

Treasurer  
David Moore

VP Safety/Training  
Steve Spielbusch

VP Field Operations  
John Baker

Secretary/Newsletter  
Tony Baron

### Upcoming Dates

Pylon Racing  
May 16<sup>th</sup>  
At the flying field

SMRCC Meeting  
June 11<sup>th</sup> 6:00 PM  
At the flying field.

Combat Flying  
July 4<sup>th</sup>



At the flying field

SMRCC Meeting  
July 9<sup>th</sup> 6:00 PM  
At the flying field.

## Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Steve Spielbusch at 6:30 with ten members, and four officers in attendance. See the attached attendance sheet.

The April 2026 meeting minutes were approved and no one proposed that they be read.

**Treasury Report:** Dave Moore gave the following summary of the treasury.

Income Total: \$632.55	Expenses Total: \$281.63
Cash on Hand: \$128.00	Checking Account: \$11,734.33
Total: \$11,862.33	

The Treasury Report was approved.

**Training & Safety Report:** Steve Spielbusch announced that training was going as scheduled, but the turnout of trainees is light. Steve wanted to thank the trainers and all members that help with student pilots. Steve also wants to remind everyone to do a range check on all new planes and any plane that has a new receiver in it (before you fly it.)

The Training & Safety report was approved.

**Field Maintenance:** Bob Stiglic will apply some Tick and Bug poison to the infield grass area on Friday after the grass is cut. The poison will be re-applied sometime in July.

The Field Maintenance Report was approved.

## Old Business

No old business was brought up.

## New Business

It was proposed that our President compose a thank you letter to the park for the resurfacing of the landing strip, the new roof, and gutters. The members voted unanimously to approve to change the monthly meeting time to **6:00 PM**. Steve needs volunteers this Saturday morning at 9:00 AM to help cut down some bushes and small trees that are growing in the taller grass just outside the field area. Bring boots, cutting loppers, and a healthy amount of tick repellent.



## New Business continued

The attending membership decided to have the club picnic on July 18<sup>th</sup>. July 18<sup>th</sup> is the same day that the Dave Ellis family will be coming to show their appreciation for our club's friendship with Dave. The club will be presenting bronze plaque in memory of Dave. The plaque is to be mounted on the first table as you walk in.

Josh Maurer wanted to mention to everyone that there is a section on the website to sell planes and other aircraft related items. The link on the website is called Buy, Sell, Trade. That will take you to the Classified section where you can post your items that you want to sell or trade.

Dave mentioned that the shed is not to be used as a dumping ground for miscellaneous items. No date was set to do a cleanup of the shed. If you want to help clean up the shed, contact Dave Moore.

## Model of the Month

No model of the month was submitted.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:56 PM. A small auction was held after the meeting.

