



FlightLines

Shawnee Mission Radio Control Club

October 8, 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
October 10th
At the flying field.

Team Competition
and **Chili lunch**
October 17th
At the flying field.

SMRCC Meeting
Nov 12th 6:00 PM
Shawnee Civic Center

Swap-N-Shop
December 5th
Lenexa Old Town
Activity Center

SMRCC Meeting
Christmas Party
Officer Elections
Dec 10th 6:00 PM
Shawnee Civic Center

Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Will Lavery at 6:02 with thirteen members, and four officers in attendance. No new members or guests were present. See the attached attendance sheet.

The September 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: \$257.18	Expenses Total: \$119.64
Cash on Hand: \$152.00	Checking Account: \$9,986.07
Total: \$10,138.07	

The Treasury Report was approved.

Training & Safety Report:

Steve Spielbusch reports that training nights are well attended. Steve thanks every member who trains and assists in setting up the planes.

Steve also reported that we have had several planes crash due to a loss of signal. One of the transmitters shut off due to a low battery. Steve recommends that you set your low battery alarms on your transmitters if applicable. It is also recommended that you try to stay in bounds so any downed plane will be easier to retrieve.

The Training & Safety report was approved.

Field Maintenance:

Tony Baron gave this report as John Baker is on vacation. The two John Deere tractors have had their voltage regulators replaced.

Dave Moore spear headed the effort to clean and reorganize the shed. Bob Stiglic and Tony Baron assisted. All cardboard boxes have been replaced with plastic containers with lids. Mouse poison has been placed in the shed and mouse activity has slowed down.

The grass is still growing, but at a much slower pace. Cutting the grass will continue as needed.

The Field Maintenance Report was approved.



Old Business

The Swap-N-Shop will be at the Lenexa Old Town Activity Center 9301 Pflumm Rd., Lenexa, KS 66215 on December the 5th. Steve Spielbusch confirmed that we might still need 3 or 4 more tables for the check in and snack areas. Several members said that they will bring tables. The same members that assisted in getting pizzas, sodas and snacks are confirmed. All we ask is for volunteers to assist vendors to unload their items and bring those items into the Activity Center.

New Business

The membership voted to host a Chili luncheon and Flying competition on Saturday, October the 17th at the flying field. You are encouraged to bring your favorite chili and snacks and have some fun.

Model of the Month

Rob Mincey presented a modified AeroScout. Rob replaced the pusher prop with a 64mm EDF fan. The EDF fan is mounted in a 3D printed housing. Extra weight had to be added in the nose to achieve the correct center of gravity. Rob also put in a 40 AMP esc and powers it with a 4S battery.

Rob won the model of the month.



Rob Mincey with the EDF AeroScout

The meeting was adjourned at 6:36 PM.

Attendance Sheet

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Tony Baron	
Scott Wallace	
Rich Kirkpatrick	
Rds MINCEY	
Jay EKUGII	
Eric Fernandez	
Donna Fernandez	
Russ & Ross Roberts	
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DAVID MOORE	
Will Lavery	
Dennis McEmphay	
Ryan Combs	
Marc Allen	
Steve Spielbusch	
Jerry Jantz	