



Meeting Minutes

Date: 07/13/2026

Location: Quarry Field, 6pm

Time called to order and by whom: ____6pm by Pres TR Miller____

of club officers in attendance: ____4____

of members in attendance: ____11____

Secretary's report – Tim Stadler (read and approved)

Treasurer's and report – Heath Bartel (read and approved)

Membership Count 2026: __60__

Old Business:

Membership Renewals

- 2026 renewals are now open.
- Members must maintain current **AMA membership**, **FAA registration**, and complete the **TRUST exam**.
- Gate combination is for members only and should not be shared.

Quarry Field Report

- **Silver Tractor** – This project is fully complete. Thanks to Craig, Steve, Tim, TR, and anyone else contributing to this effort.
- **Gravelly Tractor** - Thanks to Mike Stoop for fixing the fuel line issue.
- **Shed Cleaning** – Thanks to everyone who helped to power wash the shed inside and out. It made a huge improvement. Thanks to Andy for hauling away the garbage.

Fun Fly – Financial results shared \$359 profit.

Combat – Going well - held every Tuesday at 6pm

Runway – Discussions on east/west runway and lengthening the small runway. VAM members held a vote and denied so this issue is closed for this year.

New Business:

- **Water Pump** – Motion passed for \$75 budget for Heath to buy club water pump that can be used for spraying, power washing, etc.
- **Metal Shed Door** – Motion passed for \$100 budget for Kirk to purchase materials to replace metal shed door.
- **Solar Discussion** – Heath presented update on solar and city has no objections. However, the DNR is concerned about unattended batteries and installation would require certified electrician. Heath is continuing to follow up on solar and may ask DNR about permanent generator pad if opportunity arises.
- **Parking Lot Weeds** – Steve mentioned we need safe alternative to treat gravel areas. Discussion was held on possibly using some chemicals but doing in small areas at a time to ensure no issues with the chemical.
- **Airplane Stand** – TR wants to keep stand behind shed for now as there may be plans to use in future
- **Field Mowing and Repairs** – This effort is ongoing by the city.

Fox Valley Flight Fest – August 22

- Replaces Brennand Days; event will be held at **ATW** with shared hangar space.
- Food trucks and additional attractions planned.
- VAM assigned spaces:
 - **40 × 25 ft** – Static display
 - **32 × 7 ft** – Flight simulators
 - **20 × 20 ft** – Drones
- Andy G. has nets. Will work on mounting method.
- Possible purchases: business cards, new signage.
- Need to secure AMA sanction/insurance. (Heath)
- AMA provided handouts for attendees.

Club reminders and upcoming events:

Jul 18 – Propbusters Fun Fly – Iron Mountain

Jul 18 – Northern Aces Cecil Sands Golf Benefit Show - Shawano

Jul 18/19 – Astrowings Fun Fly – Grafton

Jul 18/19 – SWARM Friend Fly – Franklin

Jul 19 – Fourth Annual Fun Fly and Tailgate Swap – Pickett

July 19-26 – EAA/KidVenture – Oshkosh

July 26 – E1000 Combat – DePere

Aug 10 – VAM Meeting – Quarry Field 6pm

Aug 13-16 – Warbirds and Classics - FondDuLac

Aug 22 – Fox Valley Flight Fest – Appleton Airport

Aug 22 – Wings and wheels – Hilbert

Aug 30 – E1000 Combat – DePere

Sep 13 – E1000 Combat – Appleton Quarry Field

Sep 14 – VAM Meeting – Quarry Field 6pm

Sep 19 – Flying Circus – Beloit

Sep 19 – Northern Aces Oconto Elks Fly In Air and Vehicle Show – Oconto

Sep 27 – E1000 Combat – Appleton Quarry Field

Oct 4 – E1000 Combat – DePere

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Oct 12 – VAM Meeting – Quarry Field 6pm

Oct 18 – Wausau Swap Meet - Weston

Show and Tell (after we adjourned):

Adjournment:

Motion made and approved to adjourn at: ____6:35 PM____