



# NEWSLETTER



Proudly serving the Huntsville community at the Captain Trey Wilbourn Model Airplane Field.

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July 2019

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# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The Regional Qualifier for MultiGP drone racing was held July 6<sup>th</sup>. The event had more than 10 participating pilots racing for a spot in the regional finals later this year. The club made \$140 in entry fees and concession sales during this event.

August brings us to National Model Aviation Day on Saturday the 17<sup>th</sup>. I will be the CD for this event. We use this event as an opportunity to reach out to the community to share this awesome hobby. This will be a general fly-in without any organized events. Please share this event with your friends and family.

The soda machine is now working! It has been extensively tested with coins. Coin return and making change are functioning properly. The bill validator still has problems that I am troubleshooting.

We can't fix it if we don't know about it. If you see something at the field that needs the board's attention, please let us know! We would like to know about any concerns no matter if they are member/rules compliance issues or something at the needs repair or upgrading with our facilities. You are our eyes and ears and need your help in maintaining awareness of things that we need to address.

**Remember to sign-in the pilot's log book and place your card on the frequency board prior to flying.**

**The next club meeting is Tuesday July 16 at 6pm.**

**Fly well, fly safe!!**  
**Bob Templeton**  
**President - RCRC**





## Minutes for RCRC monthly club meeting: 18 June 19 Meeting begin: 18:02

### Attendance:

- 4 board members:
- 8 voting members:
- 12 Total in Attendance:

### Old business:

Opened: 18:02

- Expense report: 18:02 thru 18:04 Pass
- Safety: 18:04 Thru 18:06 Pass
- Previous meeting minutes: 18:06 thru 18:07 pass

Closed: 18:08

### New Business:

Opened: 18:08

- Multi GP Qualifier: has been requested for 6 July 2019 Vote: Motion Passes Majority
- Request for a grass runway adjacent to Cement runway
- Road repair: we are on the list with the city for repair
- FAA has RCRC listed in restricted Airspace. AMA government affairs notified to correct.

Closed: 18:26

Closing remarks: none

Adjourned: 18:27

## A Board of Directors meeting July 2, 2019

- Regional Qualifier quad race planning
- New fuel order is in. Price is \$20/gal
- Needed equipment discussion.
- Coke machine parts research.
- Discussion of potential events:
  - Jet meet?
  - District V fly-in?
- City agreement renewal discussion.





## Important Links:

RCRC Website:

<https://rocketcityrc.com>

Direct link to the current weather conditions at the field:

<https://www.wunderground.com/dashboard/pws/KALHUNTS256>

Academy of Model Aeronautics:

<https://modelaircraft.org>

RCRC YouTube:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCBPcz2UzsCDMR-oAO-PaA4g>

FAA Registration:

<https://faadronezone.faa.gov>

