

Albuquerque Soaring Association (ASA)

Newsletter August-2006

From The Interim Editor:

We need a permanent newsletter editor. You'll note that this newsletter is very basic. So if you have even a marginal grasp of the English language and computer skills, please consider taking over.

Clin Lashway

P.S., the first guy to complain about the quality (or lack thereof) of this newsletter automatically becomes the new editor.

Minutes from August-1, 2006 Meeting:

Recorded by Dennis Clingan

Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm
12 members present, 1 guest Herb Runkle

Treasurer's report: Clin reports all looks well.

Hobbies-n-Stuff Gift Certificates: 2 were given away since no meeting in July.
Dennis Clingan and Clin Lashway were the lucky recipients.

Thanks to Stan and Helen!!

Mother report:

Hand Launch: 3 members showed up and several trim flights were made with light rain, then decided lunch was better.

Green's Peak: Dan and Richard reported great lift on both days, and all planes survived the trip. They also discussed the rooms at Sunrise Ski lodge for anyone interested in staying. Room prices ~ \$50

The Hiss n Boink contest was discussed with some of our new members putting the pressure on.

Upcoming events:

8/5 Electric Fun Fly
8/12 Thermal Duration

8/20 ASA Club Picnic
8/26 F5J Electric Sailplane
8/27 Hand Launch

ASA club Picnic: Club will provide hamburgers and hotdogs. Members should bring a side or dessert. Clin will send out a notice to get an approximate number of attendees.

F5J WSC September 8-10:

- Discussion was held on the time window for round on each day and the prep times.
- Point scoring and penalties
- Awards and costs associated with purchasing them
- Discussed there would be no T-shirts or banquet

New Business: A new venue for pie was discussed and it was decided that Dan would sample from multiple sweet shops and report back with his findings

Show and Tell: Dispersed planes and parts donated by the wife of a fellow hobbyist to be put to good use
Fred offered a set of NSP Laser wings to a good home and Dan offered to put the in the air again.

Dan displayed a new fuselage from Art's Hobbies

Meeting adjourned to Flying Star