

FLYING EAGLES, INC

September 2025 NEWSLETTER

Next Meeting: Location: Alice & Jack Wirt Public Library, 500 Center Ave, Bay City, MI 48708
Time: 6:00pm

2025 CLUB OFFICERS ARE:

President: **Mike Massey**

VP: **Mike Young**

Treasurer: **John Potts**

Recording Secretary: **John Wright**

Safety Coordinator: **Gary Schmidt**

Club Trustees:

John Wright

Mike Young

Pat Dauer

Gary Schmidt



Visitors are always welcome to the club meetings and to join us at the club flying field. The flying site is located at 5710 S. Mackinaw Rd., Bay City, MI.

MEETING MINUTES

Mike Massey started the meeting on 09/08/25 at 6:01pm 4 members were present, 0 visitors.

Minutes from the meeting were accepted as printed in the newsletter.

Treasurer's Report –

Ending July 2025 balance -\$600.49

Expenses- \$134.10 Shed repair materials listed below

PVC boards \$101.84

Hinges \$15.98

Stainless steel hasp \$8.93

Stainless steel screws \$7.35

Ending August 2025 Balance- \$466.39

Safety report – None this month

Web report – Newsletters and calendar have been updated. The club website is seeing increased traffic.

August:

Visit us on the internet at <http://flyingeaglesinc.squarespace.com>

21 visitors
20 unique
11 search
10 direct
20 USA
1 Canada

Board report – No board report.

Old Business: Future events are still being discussed with the James Clements airport.

Mike M stated that he is still working on the incorporation paperwork for the club.

The Labor day picnic was a success with a large turnout. The weather was perfect and the food was delicious.

New Business:

John P has put a 12x12 pop up canopy in the shed for the club to use for those hot and sunny days.

The club has not received any info of the River of Times event this year , so we will not be attending.

The last float fly for the Midland rc club is on Sept 27th.

The club is faced with an upcoming expense for our web hosting service through Squarespace. The service from 2024-2025 was covered by John P at a cost of \$192.00 and will expire on 9/11/25 . We all agreed that this was too expensive to continue using.

John P has done the research and has found a reasonable solution.

[Hostinger.com](https://www.hostinger.com) is the same company that the Midland RC club uses and has the following rates.

12 mo @ \$3.99/mo (\$47.88 total)

24 mo @\$3.49/mo (\$83.76 total)

48 mo @\$2.99/mo (\$143.52 total)

A motion was made to change the web host to Hostinger.com and was approved for the 12 mo rate for \$47.88.

We will notify John P to change the service.

Motion to adjourn was made at 6:36 pm

Show and Tell:

** Notes from the editor: Please submit any content you may have for the newsletter. Do you have a spring project in your workshop? Take a couple pictures and email them to me. I would love to beef up the newsletter and make it a much more interesting read!

AIRPLANE CONTEST

Last month's airplane was a Balsa USA Moonraker. No winners this month.



Airplane Contest Rules:

Only paid members of the Flying Eagles Inc. Radio Control Club are eligible to win. All entries must be emailed to kwww68@charter.net the day before the meeting (Sunday or earlier please). The winner will be drawn from all correct entries that have been received by that date and presented during the regular meeting (need not be present to win, even if you have won previously, you are still eligible to enter every month).