



## Purdue Pilots Inc. Meeting Minutes

April 24, 2012. 18:00. Physics 333

Daniel Spivey presided.

Chris Markel took the notes.

### New Members & Ratings:

No new members, but plenty of check-rides coming up before the semester ends.

### Today's News Articles:

CNN recently did a report from West Lafayette!

“Safety rule could create pilot shortage” (video)

<http://www.cnn.com/video/?%2Fvideo%2Fus%2F2012%2F04%2F23%2Ftsr-oleary-pilot-hours-law-change.cnn#/video/us/2012/04/23/tsr-oleary-pilot-hours-law-change.cnn>

“Plane crashes in gulf of mexico, pilot ‘unresponsive’”

<http://www.rawstory.com/rs/2012/04/19/plane-crashes-in-gulf-of-mexico-pilot-unresponsive/>

### Great News:

It has been confirmed that we have enough money for 31862's restoration! This will happen as soon as school gets out.

### Not-so-great News:

PPI apparel will have to wait until next semester. It's something that we definitely want to do in the future, but it is too late to be placing any orders.

### Maintenance Report:

**N38394** – Due for its 100-hour inspection. This should happen early next week so plan accordingly!

**N31862** – Estimated to have an engine change around Christmas time. We will negotiate terms with Santa when that time comes.

### Squawks:

**N38394** – The GPS screen cuts out above 2000rpm. This also happens during ground checks, but the screen comes back on once idle.

**Reminder** - If you encounter a problem, write it down! Please don't hesitate to report squawks directly to Lafayette Aviation in the future.

Treasurer's Report:

Membership cards expire on July 1<sup>st</sup>! Gillian will only be here periodically over the summer, but if you send her an e-mail she'll point you in the right direction. Also, there's a chance that PPI members will be able to pay dues upfront for both semesters starting in the fall.

**Fly safe over the summer and good luck to everyone on their finals!**

Meeting adjourned at 18:31