

Purdue Pilots Inc. 8/22/18 Meeting Minutes

Meeting started at 7:03PM

President (Nicoletta Fala):

- Callout meeting on Wednesday, August 29th at 6PM in ARMS B071
- Air race was a lot of fun! Very exciting for all of us to work together and fly from Texas to Maine
 - 2nd place on the last leg and 22nd overall!
 - We've already got donations for next year to compete
- Terre Haute Airshow was August 18th and 19th
 - Cool airplanes at the airshow, even though it was in Terre Haute, IN
 - Military aircraft and sunburns, what else could you ask for??
- Lunch at the Airport was August 18th
 - Really successful talking with the kids about aviation and got to fly a bonanza
- We are moving office locations into Armstrong

Vice President (Kate Fowee):

- Apparel stuff is still in the making. Will have a form for you all to buy apparel next meeting!
- Possibly getting rid of pizza so we will be able to pay off our airplanes and make upgrades
- Disregard emails from the mailing list that relate to our meetings being canceled! It is because new members are deleting the event from their outlook calendar and sent a confirmation to everyone

Treasurer (Divya Bhargava and Sean Wan):

- We brought in \$5270 from PDOG and transferred it to our engine reserves
 - Thanks to everyone who helped us reach this number of donations!
- 29 new members were brought to PPI throughout summer
- Make sure to keep flying as much as possible so we will be able to afford keeping our aircraft updated. This summer was a success and our aircraft were flying every day!
- We will keep you all updated with any changes to prices per hour or membership dues
- Make sure to pay dues if you want to fly this semester. You can do this before or after our meetings or stay tuned for office hours!
 - Don't forget to submit a liability form and remember to bring your fob to scan when you get to Purdue Aviation to fly
- Our C150 is almost \$25 cheaper than Purdue Aviation and between \$20-30 cheaper for the P28A
- Don't listen to rumors about our aircraft. We keep our aircraft at a safe standard for flight. Also, if you CFI doesn't feel comfortable flying at night with a GPS, you might want to find a new CFI...

Maintenance (Tom Stehler and Kevyn Ezzo):

- Upcoming aircraft cleaning event. Watch out in the slack channel for this.
- 33T needed a new spinner assembly, so this cost us a bit of money. Currently in the process of getting replaced
- 11942 had a static check done at the beginning of summer

- 33T VOR needles seem to be working fine
- I will investigate the things you all told me that were wrong with the aircraft. If there is anything else, let us know through slack or email
- 33T – we had someone donate a GPS to place in the aircraft, so that's awesome!

Public Relations (Geoffrey Andrews):

- Send me anything interesting you guys have done! I am making a newsletter soon.

Events (Adam Baker):

- Some fly-ins are coming up so keep an eye out for these

Archivist (Kaitlyn Jones):

- Purdue archives is going through and cleaning up our documents that we brought out of our locker. These have been recovered from all the way back in 1950's

Next Meeting Tuesday, September 4th at 7PM in ARMS 1103. Callout is August 29th at 6PM in ARMS B061.

Meeting adjourned at 7:56PM