

## EXETER EAGLES MEETING MINUTES 8/15/18

The meeting held at the flying field started at 7:00 with 6 members and two guests in attendance. The two guests are considering membership in our club. The field was recently cut and looks fabulous. No problems reported with our mower. A discussion about our final event in September took place and it was decided that the date for the event would best be Saturday the 22<sup>nd</sup>, with a rain date of Sunday the 23<sup>rd</sup>. This is in line with past event dates for September and seemed to be more agreeable than an earlier date due to vacations and other plans. We will have a meeting on September 5<sup>th</sup> to make final plans for the event. Please plan to attend if possible. The more input to our event helps us improve the event for our members. As always feel free to bring a guest!

There was a lengthy discussion about our mower shed. For now we will stay the course and discuss this at the fun fly briefly. Any changes to the mower shed will be shared with the management of the Padre Pio before we spend money or replace any property that is not ours. We also discussed the option to have a meeting in October. This also will be reviewed at the fun fly.

We sold four hats and one sticker at the meeting! More of each are available!!! The money will be forwarded to Dennis to deposit in our account.

Pin #20 is missing and has been for some time. If you have it, or know someone that uses it, try to remember to return it!

A treasurer report was reviewed at the meeting. We are in good shape for this time of year with all expenses paid except future mowing and the fun fly. We did discuss future costs for a storage shed, and in the more distant future, a replacement mower when ours is no longer useful. For now, our mower is in good shape. But the cost for a replacement must be considered before we face a very large expense without any planning.

A membership report was also reviewed. We currently have 40 paid members. This is a very healthy number of members. We are not hearing of any issues competing for flight time or any other issues related to overcrowding at the field. And, 40 members makes our financial obligations easier to meet and provide savings for the future expenses.