



September 4th, 2013

**President:** Brad Banville **Treasurer:** Elaine Schenk **Secretary:** Brian Cheadle  
**Chief Flying Instructor:** Rob Fekete **Field Operations:** Tom Savage

**Call to order** 19:30, Pembroke Airport

**Attendees:** Tom Savage, Brian Cheadle, Bob Graham, Stefan Boyle, Jeff Hesketh, Ken Klein

**Financial report,** Elaine Schenk

No change from the June report

Tom provided the list of people who donated to the refurbishment of the runway. Tom sent a letter of thanks to all non-member donors (*text removed for website posting*)

**Field Report,** Tom Savage

Tom reported that weeds have been growing in the new gravel runway and he has been pulling them out. Apart from a six week period when he was away, he has been cutting the grass regularly. Tom asked if people were interested in access to the field being maintained this winter, but nobody expressed any interest.

**Flying Instruction,**

Tom and Stefan reported that several people have recently bought trainer planes and are looking for instruction. Tom and Brian will check the availability of instructors. People wanting instruction should contact Tom. An instruction session on the use of simulators for people who want to learn to fly will be held at Pembroke Airport over the weekend.

**Pembroke Airport 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, June 15<sup>th</sup>**

Tom arranged for a static display at this event that was very well appreciated.

**Membership**

The current membership is 22. Tom reported that there were several ex-members who have been using the field. To use our field people must be a current member of MAAC, have their wings and either be member of the club or a guest. It was proposed and carried that the combination for the lock should be changed and the new combination will be sent to paid up members.

**Website, Bob Graham**

Bob reported that the website cost \$135.00 a year to maintain. There was discussion on whether we were getting value for the expense. Jeff suggested that there may be cheaper alternatives and will look into it with Bob.

**Next Meeting.**

The next meeting will be Wednesday November 6<sup>th</sup>.

The meeting was adjourned at 21:45