



TIGER TALES

THE NEWSLETTER OF THE NH FLYING TIGERS RC CLUB

JULY 2026

From Your Vice President:

I apologize for the brevity of my report this month. Believe it or not, my company sent me to the Oshkosh AirVenture show put on by the Experimental Aircraft Association. As I write this, I just returned from the daily airshow featuring an F-22 Demonstration, B-1 Flyby, formations of warbirds, electric airplanes, eVTOLs and extreme aerobatics. Next month I'll publish a report and some pictures. Suffice it to say, it is the mecha of the aviation world for this week.

John

NH Flying Tigers RC Club – Monthly Meeting Minutes – June 27, 2026

Meeting commenced at 1:00 PM with 3 officers and 16 members present.

The Secretary's Report was accepted as published in the June newsletter.

The Treasurer's report revealed a current balance of \$4,972.61. Of that \$2,000 will be expended for the field lease leaving approximately a \$3,000 balance. Last year there was approximately \$2,500 in the account after the field lease was paid showing a year-over-year increase of the treasury of approximately \$500. The Treasurer's Report was unanimously accepted.

The President outlined the fact that he is still waiting on some of the new members anticipated from the Intro to R/C Day. Paul provided the training report identifying two students Mike and Tom and discussed training opportunities on Monday mornings and Tuesday and Thursday Afternoons.

The President and John Cook provided the Field Report discussing the recent repairs to the mowing deck of the Ford Tractor that included substantial welding to repair cracks that had developed. Also, John Cook discussed the work he and Joe Musto did on the Roller including rebuilding the carburetor, changing the oil, fixing the leaky fuel tank, and fixing the charging system. John also discussed the update of the locks on the mower container to combination locks from the previous keyed locks. John indicated that he would be rolling the field as soon as it was dry enough to roll. John Cook also made an appeal for folks to help with field maintenance given that he has been shouldering a majority of the load. John Also discussed

working on a better ramp solution given that the current ramps are cumbersome to move.

John Lavery introduced the idea to purchase fold up safety fences to protect the pilot stations and prevent an inadvertent collision between aircraft on the ground and any pilots flying.

The President indicated that he would be painting the flight station pads with orange paint to make them easier to see and that he was working on an updated field map. Paul discussed recent conversation with Keith from Total Air indicating that Keith is happy with our flying discipline and is interested in giving RC airplane flying a shot. Paul postponed the 11 July Fun Fly due to conflicts with other events. Paul also indicated that the updated Club Handbook, that has been dramatically shortened, would be sent to the membership in the next few weeks. After the membership has had a chance to review, there will be a vote on accepting the changes. There will be a separate training handbook published in addition to the club handbook.

There was a reminder that the burn barrel is only for wood and that the membership is expected to carry in/carry out as we don't have any type of garbage pickup.

Paul made a motion to donate \$150 specifically to the Marion Garrish repair fund in addition to our normal meeting space donation. The motion was seconded and all members present unanimously voted in favor of the additional \$150 donation.

The final discussion revolved around the current scarcity of nitro fuel. Paul was looking into ways that the club might be able to make a bulk buy and defray some of the hazmat charges.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:32 PM.

John

Club Officers	
Newsletter submissions deadline August 19 th	President: Paul Pazolt
Next Meeting July 25 th at the field, 1:00 pm	Vice President: John Stevens
See the Calendar at our website for up-to-date activity information: www.nhflyingtigers.com	Secretary: Rich Kieley.
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