President: Scott Nagler Vice President: Richard Klass
Treasurer: Cliff Yee Secretary: Phil Theodoseau
Director Field Maintenance: Chris Dolan
Director Safety Officer: Michael Yaukey

OMAS Board and General meeting minutes

Date: November 10, 2026, at Main Street Pizza, Banks

Attendees: Cliff, Scott, Chris, Phil, John, Mike

Meeting started at 6:11pm with Scott Nagler presiding

- **Safety concerns**
  - Please beware of mud between the railroad tie and parking lot. This could become slippery and cause you to fall. Looking at ways to remove the mud and restore the gravel between the parking lot and field walkway.
- **Financials**
  - Cash balance $6,399.55

  Membership 39 paid, 9 juniors, 1 honorary = 49 club members
  - CD's investment accounts: $11,894.49
- **Club dues to remain the same at $85 per year.**
- **Field Report:**
  - The field has lost power and water due to Lewis's repairing a swale





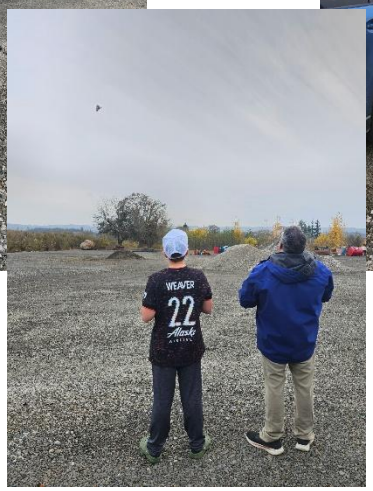
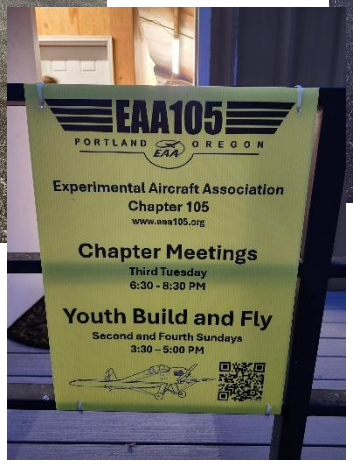
draining off the water from adjacent fields. The Lewis's are working with a contractor to restore power and water. Hopefully it will be repaired within the next couple of weeks.

- **Port-a-Potty**
  - Discussion on acquiring ADA port-a-potty review. The cost of a new one is between $2300-3300 with an estimated $100 per service with a $300 per year cleaning fee. This cost exceeds our yearly budget without compromising the lease cost and standard field maintenance. If anyone would like to donate funds for the cost of an ADA port-a-potty it would be greatly appreciated.

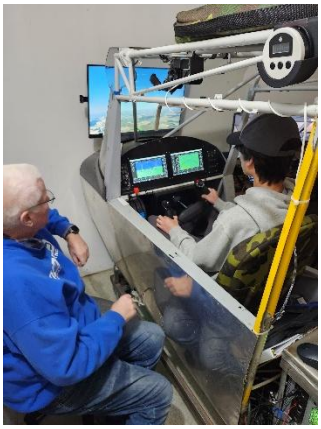
- The present single port-a-potty (OMAS owns) cost $90 per service. We service it 3 times per year at a cost $270.

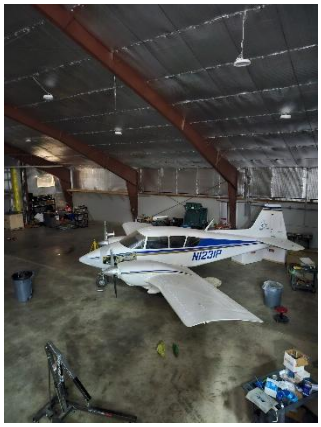
- **Recruitment:**
  - Scott, Mike Yaukey, Bruce Rose worked with Mike Whalen of EAA105 on Saturday of this month, featuring the flight simulator, AMA Guillows, Flight Test models, and affordable rubber band powered planes. This bi-monthly event provides young aviators the opportunity to explore the










hobby and aviation in general.

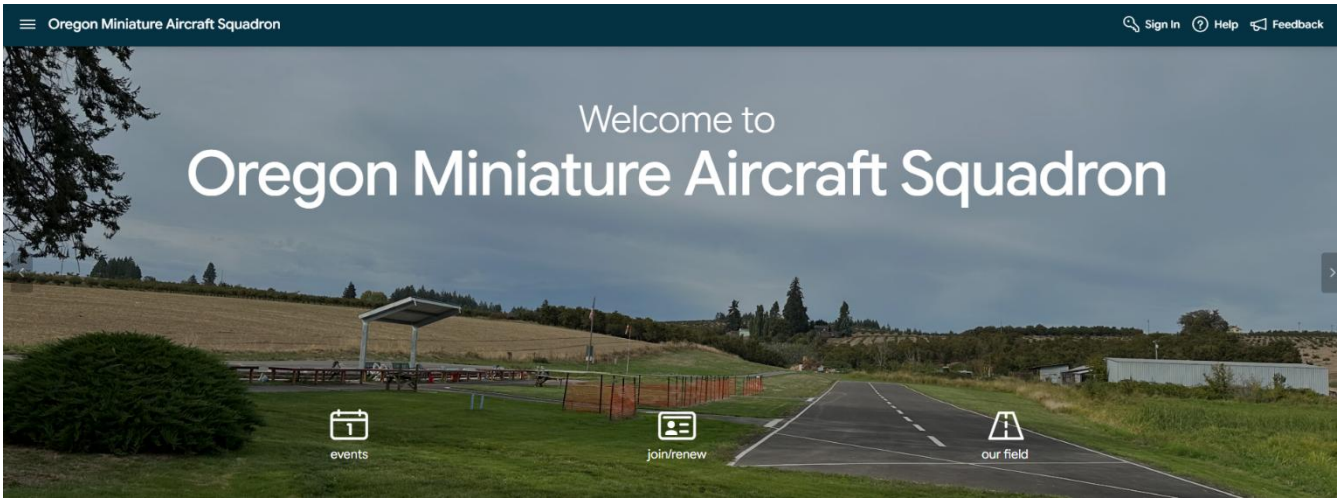
  - Youth flying on Saturdays by appointment in the winter months… contact Scott Nagler @ stnagler@gmail.com to schedule. Senior AMA

club members come out to the field from 10-3pm for open pilot training to explore RC aviation together. “If it’s dry, we fly”

- DualRates new OMAS-RC website

  Our new club web site has a new banner with the summary of the year’s events. This new website will help consolidate all the related documents into one location.

  - https://omas-rc.com



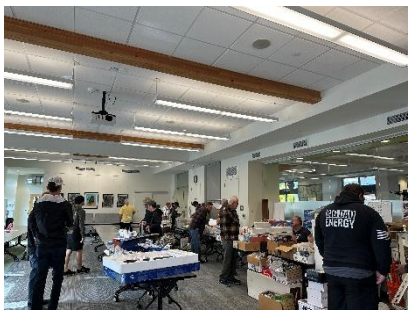
  - Phil started the conversion by gathering related files, documents, financial records, meeting minutes, and similar materials. All of 2026 newsletters have been posted on the website.

  - The web site also has a calendar of events scheduled for the next several months. Please use this as a reference of club activities.

- **Swap meet** scheduled for Saturday October 24th at the Cornellius library meeting room was a great success, and the club is planning to have another swap meet in the spring of 2027. The club sold 6 tables and made $240.00







total from the selling some of Dave's remaining planes. Many thanks to all that helped.
    - Club will be looking into buying additional assassins kits for future youth activities.
- **Banquet planned for February 20th at "The Old Spaghetti Factory" in Tanasbourne from 6pm to 9pm. Preliminary cost $35/person**
    - Salad
    - Main course choice of Lasagna, Chicken Marsala, Fett Alfredo
    - Desert, spumoni
    - 2027 Board Opening: Mike Yaukey will be stepping down as the field safety officer for next year. This board position is mandatory per AMA charter. Contact Scott Nagler (stnagler@gmail.com) if you can volunteer to help the club.
- **Capital project for 2027**
    - The club must stay within the yearly budget, most of the projects for 2027 with be for maintaining the present field table and flight stands. These tables will need to be painted and or resurfaced.
    - The flight stands will need to be rebuilt. Looking for volunteers to buy the materials and organize a work party.
- **Marketing**
    - OMAS is looking for a person to post club event flyers in various public sites for upcoming events.
    - An idea on the marketing initiative is to have a booth at the Hillsboro Farmer's Market summer events. Phil will talk to the Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce department for details on how to set up a non-profit booth at these events.

Next board/club meeting scheduled

- **Tuesday December 8 at 6:00pm,** Main Street Pizza, Banks

Board meeting concluded at 7:37 pm

- **Build tip for this month**
    - Note: As the winter months come upon us, please remember to discharge your LiPo batteries to "storage level" on your charger, or 3.8

volts/cell. If you have a Spectrum charger there is an automatic feature to discharge batteries to that level.

