



# Balsa Obituary

Clinton Model Aviators  
AMA Chapter #1206  
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### Minutes from the August meeting.

1. There were 16 members in attendance.
2. Our IMAC contest is coming up on August 27 and 28. We need help to make this a success. Tom has a sign-up on the web site. You can sign-up for specific times and activities. If you can only come out for a couple of hours your help will be appreciated. We need help starting Friday to set up and clean up the shed. We will also need help Sunday to clean up after the contest. Toby needs a count for steak dinner Saturday night, if you will join us for dinner, please let Toby know. We also need side dishes to go with the Steaks and potatoes that Toby is supplying. we also will need Ice for both days.
3. Gents we need to do whatever we can to get more help for these events. If we don't we will not be able to support the club with the income we get from the events.
4. We still need more volunteers for the mowing list. Please let Tom know if you can help. Note that the dates for this year's list are Thursdays. The list for the next 4 weeks is:  
August 4 Dave  
August 11 Steve  
August 18 Marty  
August 25 Toby/Joey
5. The following plan to permit members to get dues credit for work performed was put on hold until 2018 due to the mower issue.  
  
"Dale discussed a plan to get members to help that he had seen at other clubs. There would be a sign-up book in the shed and each time a member would help at the field he would note this in the book. This could be mowing, helping at an event or a workday or anything that helps the club. At the end of the year the items would be tallied for each member. Each time a member works for the club \$10.00 would be taken off the next years dues up to a max of \$30.00. This way a member could lower their dues from the \$85.00 to \$55.00. The members present voted to give this system a try for the 2017 flying season. This change to the dues will need to be added to the Club Bylaws and this is the first "notice"."
6. If you have not heard, the Grasshopper has died for the last time. The club voted to purchase a new mower with a warranty. Please see the attached form and help us get a reliable mower for the club. Any help will be greatly appreciated.

**Next Meeting is August 4, 7:00 PM at the CMA Field.**

Dues may be sent to Fred Ford at 1147 Southridge Ave. Wilmington Oh 45177 Dues are \$85 for all members