

Cotswold Radio Control Society

Committee Meeting

Thursday 28th May 2012 at Aston Down Control Tower

Eric Brownbill, in the capacity of acting Chairman, opened the meeting at 8:05 p.m.

1. Present

Members present :

- Bob Maltby
- Mario Malecki
- Eric Brownbill.
- John Dobson.
- Doug Garland.
- Gordon Bishop

Guest :

- Sid King.

2. Minutes

The minutes of the previous Committee Meeting of were read by the Secretary, Eric Brownbill.

- Proposed : Doug Garland.
- Seconded : John Dobson.

The minutes were unanimously approved by the meeting.

3. Matters Arising

- Minchinhampton Common Noise Problem : It was confirmed that CRCS was not involved and no official complaint had been made. The agreement with the BMFA and the National Trust was for silent flight only. No local club had jurisdiction over activities on the common.
- Talk : Andy Westgate might give a talk on glass fibre techniques.
- The Graham Birt resignation : This issue is now closed.

4. The proposed fly-in

A discussion took place on ideas for the fly-in put forward by Sid King.

- A list of flying slots would be drawn up and each slot allocated to a participant, who could choose to fly alone or accompanied by one or more other flyers. This was intended to create a safe flying environment, and to encourage participants to fly their best models.
- The event would be advertised in order to get an idea of the numbers who would want to participate.
- A 'go/no go' decision would be made the day before. Participants would be asked to contact a central point to check if the event was on. Mario Malecki, Sid King and Doug Garland agreed to act as contact points,
- The focus would be on scale models and 12 – 18 pilots would be expected.

5. The glider incident

After discussions with the Chairman of the Gliding Club and the CFI, this issue can now be considered closed.

- There must be an active lookout on the flight line.
- The CFI will warn glider pilots not to overfly the model flying area.

The Chairman closed the meeting at around 8:56 p.m..

Minutes Approved by

- Chairman :
- Secretary :