

Cypress Soaring



April 2017 Newsletter

**April 8, 2017 Meeting, 10:00 am
Hemet/Ryan Airport, in the Hemet
Aviation building, 4530 Walden
Weaver Road (upstairs, northwest
corner of the building)**

**Note: Immediately after the meeting,
Cypress instructors will be
conducting a High Altitude
Physiology class for all interested
members. Participation in a High
Altitude Physiology class is required
of all pilots attending the Lone Pine
Soaring Safari in June.**

**Minutes of the March 11, 2017 Cypress Soaring
meeting:**

**VP Report: Meetings in 2017 will continue to be on
the second Saturday of the month. The May
meeting will be a Family and Friends Day at Lake
Elsinore. The June meeting will be held at Crystal
Airport.**

**Ops Report: Plan is to have database info ready for
the April meeting. Club chutes need to be packed.
Plane Captains please send a photos of each
aircraft's time log at the end of the month to Ops.
Awards for newer members were discussed, along
with local Cross-Country courses that would not
take pilots beyond gliding range of the airport.**

**Treasurer's Report: Checking = \$20,000.08;
Savings = \$37,260.95; PayPal = \$7554.00 + -
Passwords for PayPal have been provided to the**

**instructors. The accounting books have been
reviewed; letters to late-payers have been sent.**

**Maint: Requests that Plane Captains be on site
when annuals are performed to learn the process.
Discus annual due in March. Discussed a Quarterly
Plan w/ Plane Captains to have a checklist to
include notes from each ship's preflight checklist.
Tow Plane fuel valve addressed, trim bracket
scheduled for repair; fuel bladder needs removed to
repair wing sump. Discus ramp jacks have been
exchanged between the Douglas Discus and the
Cypress Discus. Obtaining components needed to
refill oxygen bottles at remote locations was brought
up, approval had been made at previous meetings
but held off until accounting was finished; approval
to purchase equipment re-confirmed.**

**Voted: Carlos Miralles as Plane Captain for the
Discus. Sanding of the Discus gel coat was
discussed.**

**Upgraded outhouse has been installed on the north
side of the Hemet Airport.**

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**Weekend of June 10-11. (We'll be making it a four-
day weekend.)**

**All members are invited to attend. Instructor(s) will
be on hand for non-soloed students. All PIC flying
club ships must have attended a High Altitude
Physiology class.**