



Another Successful CARFF Auction. Photo: Wayne Hutmacher

***Next Club Meeting: 7:30PM, Wednesday June 4, 2014 at the CARFF Clubhouse***

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                                 Farewell Bob Sharpe

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403-343-6301 (Call will be forwarded to member on duty). Primary contact: Stephen Poburan  
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**Fire Burning Permit:** Not Required.

**Field GPS Coordinates:** N52° 12' 6", W113° 42' 18" (N52° 12.106', W113° 42.304')

**CARFF on Facebook** <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1418503868392501/>

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## CARFF GENERAL MEETING

DATE: May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2014

In attendance: Gale McCoy, Jon From, Vince Mulhall, Tony Lindhout, Greg McMaster, Harvey Fodor, Chris Kendall, Trevor Praud, Jeff Belbin, Kevin Belbin, Ron Joyce, Steve Osmond, Lorn Brooker, Rob McCoy, Scott Graham, Scott Nelson, Brian Davies, Ron Ditchburn, Darren Weich, Greg Parker, Rene Weber, Gary Allison, Adam Tomalty, Brad Cleland, Wayne Hutmacher

Call to Order : 7:36, secretary was late.

### Agenda:

Additions: Nil

Moved: Tony Lindhout                      Seconded: Brian Davies      Carried

Minutes: Moved: Lorn Brooker              Seconded: Rob McCoy      Carried

Financial Report: Bank account: \$34,677.48      GIC: \$5,318.87                      Total:\$39,996.35

### Old Business:

1. Memberships, notice of motion to be seconded, open for discussion and voted on. Committee Rene Weber, Gary Allison, Wayne Hutmacher. Amendments read by Wayne Hutmacher change date to set membership fees para., (f) to Annual General Meeting instead of "when setting annual budget". Seconded by Lorn Brooker. Amendment moved by Rene Weber Seconded by Gale McCoy that para. (e) be amended to five members in good standing from one member in good standing. Seconded Ron Ditchburn, carried, notice of motion voted on and carried.
2. Dust abatement, notice of motion to be seconded, open for discussion and voted on. Moved by Harvey Fodor seconded by Gale McCoy followed by open discussion. Amendment moved by Wayne Hutmacher that amount to be spent be up to \$900.00 seconded by Gale McCoy, amendment voted on and carried, notice of motion voted on and carried.
3. Auction report Rob McCoy: Rob thanked all members who showed up and worked with the help auction could not be held. Rob suggested that look into amalgamation with Didsbury and/or other changes that might be made to be considered in the fall. Gale gave a brief overview of finance, numbers are down from last year 138 buyer/seller from 156 last year which would reflect in the amount received from Registration fees. Almost \$25,000 received in sales, \$440.00 in raffle and over \$1,000.00 in concession, less expenses, rent ,groceries, etc. Raffle radio donated by Don McGowan Zone director in lieu of rent for club house for annual zone meeting. Raffle airplane donated by Eraldo Pomare. Door prize donated by Darren Weich, thanks to all concerned. Vote of thanks given to Rob and Gale McCoy for organizing. Gale mentioned that recoding of sale was handled by member's wives in attendance, no mistakes and the job was VERY WELL DONE.
4. Air show Jon From: Advised that still going ahead and still in planning.
5. Glider Fun Fly Eraldo Pomare: Pres. Jon advised on behalf of Eraldo that glider fun fly being moved to Saturday May 31<sup>st</sup> and Sunday June 1<sup>st</sup> rather than previously reported May 30/31.

### New Business:

- (1) Three new member introduced themselves.
- (2) Pres. Jon requested and moved a motion for permission to use club field for Central Alberta Dizzy Fun Flyers (Control line club) Saturday May 10<sup>th</sup> as their field under water. Seconded b Gale, motion carried.
- (3) Vince Mulhall advised that the costs for the internet domain name approx., \$28.00 per year would be paid for three years rather than on yearly basis.

Open Discussions: Scott Nelson advised of float fly at Rocky weekend May 17/18.

Field maintenance crew chiefs are: Harvey Fodor, George Rehman, Loren Brooker, Robe McCoy each to get their own crew members.

Adjournment: 8:43 PM

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## Sailplane Weekend - Sat May 31 & Sun Jun 1 2014

A relaxed weekend of soaring and sailplane bench flying. Hope to see lots of new CARFF sailplanes out there! Any sailplane/glider welcome - foamies, electric assist, winch, DLG, SLS, aero-tow, F3J, super-sized glass scale ships ..... Don't have a sailplane? Come out, watch and get the bug!

Below are some pics from previous events:



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## EDITOR'S SOAPBOX

**Eraldo Pomare**

Last month we bade Bob Sharpe a sad farewell at the Innisfail United Church. Bob's funeral was well attended by many people, including many CARFF members. Clearly a well respected man. Our condolences to Flo & Bob's family. We will miss Bob.

Another CARFF Auction is in the history books and once the accounts are all settled, Gale will report back on the financial results. My non-scientific observations are: club members supported the event very well with lots of workers on the day. Rob & Gale did their usual outstanding job of organizing the auction which ran very smoothly! Andy Metzger made his return to CARFF activities and did a great job in the concession with Herb Curran. I understand the ladies had a zero error rate in recording the sales. Wow.

Hobby Extreme and PM Hobbies supported the auction again with grab bags. Ron Simonson sold a pile of tickets for the draws! Everyone had fun and it seemed, on the whole, to be a buyer's market with some good deals.

Thanks everyone who worked to make the auction a success. See you at the field!



**2014 Club President Jon From with his Ka8 Sailplane - ready for the Fun Fly**

### 2014 Calendar of CARFF Events

May 31/June 1 (S/S)	Sailplane Event - Organizer: Eraldo Pomare
June 4, 2014 (Wed)	Club Meeting, CARFF Clubhouse
July 27, 2014 (Sat)	Airshow, CARFF Field
July 2, 2014 (Wed)	Club Meeting, CARFF Clubhouse
Aug 2 & 3 (Sat/Sun)	Western Canada Pattern Championship - CD Will Gross
Aug 6, 2014 (Wed)	Club Meeting, CARFF Clubhouse
Sep 3, 2014 (Wed)	Club Meeting, CARFF Clubhouse
Oct 1, 2014 (Wed)	Club Meeting, CARFF Clubhouse
Nov 5, 2014 (Wed)	Club Meeting, CARFF Clubhouse
Dec 3, 2014 (Wed)	Club Meeting, CARFF Clubhouse - AGM & Election Night

***Additional 2014 events will be published as soon as information becomes available***

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