

# 2024 NWSAM Annual Meeting ~~Agenda~~ Minutes

Call to order: 6:02 pm pst September 13, 2024

- Treasurers Report by Terri Ingram
  
- Old Business:
  - Dave- Recognition of new(and new-ish) judges
  - Contests- What went well, what didn't?
  
- New Business:
  - AMA Rules- Mike Ingram\*
  - NASA Affiliation- Mike Ingram\*
    - \*Lively discussion on these two topics. Decision was to implement the AMA rule(s) on Builder of the Model for a trial period of two years. Among other changes, this implementation will allow a 'striped, recovered and refinished' ARF to compete in the Expert model class. See the 2025 Competition Guide when available for details.
  - Next Year's Contests:
    - Event Firm but dates tbd:
      - Spring Opener- Joe Ball advised that the Zillah club is officially requesting to host the Spring Opener- same weekend in June. Group approved by vote.
      - Field of Dreams- Tom Rainwater believes that the Redmond club is amenable to hosting the Field of Dreams event in June.
      - Silver Hills- Phil Tallman is willing to CD the Silver Hills event in Athol, ID in July but would like a 'cooler' weekend as the heat this year was brutal.
      - Fly-A-Ways ?
        - The membership felt this event went well. Dan Gillespie will contact Scott Enochs to see if the Fly-A-Ways club would be willing to host again.
        - **\*\*\* Added after meeting, the North Plains event has been approved for Aug. 15-17 2025.**
    - Championship? TBD

Discussion:

- Proposed Rule Changes? And Discussion- see above
  
- Elections – Director and Vice Director:

- As demanded by the NWSAM By-Laws Section IX- Elections of Officers, it is time for elections for Director and Vice Director.
  - Members were asked to please submit nominations to Director Dave Rawlings, Vice Director Tom Rainwater and Secretary/Treasurer Terri Ingram by end of September.

Adjourn: 7:20pm pst