



Mansfield & District

Model Flying Club

Meeting Minutes

Date:

Location: Polly Bowls Club

Committee Members Present: 15

Apologies:

**Apologies given: Philip Barrett, Colin Rowbotham,
Mick Whileman, Gary
Hankinson and Tony Lachowski.**

**The Chairman and Vice Chairman opened the
meeting at 8.01pm and
welcomed everyone to the meeting. The Chairman
apologised for missing**

the two previous meetings, but he does have to work.

Matters arising:

Jamie said that the website is now working and the wasp nest has gone.

Chairmans Report:

The rescheduling of the fun day is the main thing we need to sort out at this meeting. Valerie suggests that we hold the fun day on the 17th of August, the Portaloo was not available before then. Valerie asked if everybody was happy with the 17th of August, everyone agreed with the 17th. Jamie suggests that we have some trays of fizzy pop there and he would like to pay for them, he will get cola, orange and 7up. Julie suggested that having some water as well might be a good idea. Jamie apologised for not being at the field much recently. He has had an abscess and it was a bad one. He asked if anybody had got any problems

with the the field edges etc. Andy Mills said that there is a small tree in the first pit buffer, Jamie said that he would take care

of it. Jamie said that Dave Drew had asked at the last meeting about indoor flying this winter. Jamie said that the venue he was suggesting we hire has several chandeliers, the owners are concerned about the risk of them getting damaged. Adam Lomax has made enquiries at the Sutton Leisure centre, they gave him the following quote for hiring the sports hall which has a high ceiling. They gave him a price of £44 per hour or book it for 12 weeks and pay £40 per hour.

**Any questions on the Chairman's report:
None.**

**Treasurer/Secretary's Report: -
Valerie said that she has paid £206.50 to Ulyetts for 4 cuts in June and has donated £50 for Michael Rhodes, over the internet, to Nottingham Hospice. The bank charges for last month are £6.25. Valerie gave the following figures:
Current Account 2292.35
Petty Cash 49.00
Raffle 56.40
Interest Account 4739.11**

Total: £7136.86 on the 31st of July 2025.

**Any questions on the
Treasurer's/Secretary's report: None.**

Any other business:

**Paul, Julie, Jamie, Gary and Andy attended the
funeral for Michael Rhodes.**

**They said it was a very good send off for him, Jamie
says that there is an
Order of Service on the table if anybody would like
to look at it. Valerie
asked if we are having a raffle tonight, yes was the
reply.**

**The chairman thanked everyone for their
attendance and closed the
meeting at 8.30pm. The next meeting will be held
on Wednesday the 3rd of
September 2025, 7.30pm for a 8pm start. A raffle
was held tonight, taking
£13, Brian Gascoigne won £6 cash and £7 was for
the raffle fund.**

**Janis Hinchliffe
Minutes Secretary**

**I accept this as a true and correct account of the
above meeting.....**