



# ***March 2026 Newsletter***

***The Dallas Radio Control Club held its meeting on March 18th, 2026, via Google Meets.***

***The meeting was called to order by Perry Bartlett at 7:37pm.***

***The following club officers and members were present.***

***1) Perry Bartlett- President***

***2) Michael Clements- Vice President***

***3) Wes Lewis- Treasurer***

***4) Richard Pence- Secretary***

***5) Jeff Dinius***

***6) Chico Romero-AMA District 8 Assistant Vice President***

***7) Eric Delano- Field maintenance***

*The first order of business was to approve of the last meeting minutes. Perry made a motion to approve the minutes and Richard seconded the motion. The motion was approved.*

*Perry asked for the Treasurer's Report. Wes reported the Club has a total of \$3,815 of which \$3,310 are in the bank account, and \$505 are in the Club's PayPal account. He additionally reported that he paid out \$179 from the Club's paypal account for the 1-year renewal of the Dual-Rates software package that runs thru March of next year. This is the software used by the Club to maintain all its administrative records as well as the Club website.*

*The first item on the agenda was field maintenance. Perry asked for volunteers to help with field maintenance such as mowing, weed trimming, etc. Perry shared that Scott would bring an ant killer to treat the mounds. It was decided in the days leading up to the Jet and Warbird event, extra attention to the field is needed. Perry said he would post on Facebook messenger for help with this. Another item addressed was runway repair of the uneven surface between the taxi way and the runway. Richard commented he would help with the runway repairs.*

*The second item on the agenda was to decide what the Club should do with the two old Husqvarna lawn mowers. The Club took a vote, and it was decided by a majority vote that considering the extreme disrepair of each mower, they would be scrapped.*

*The third item on the agenda was to discuss the upcoming Warbird and Jet Fly-In Event to be held on May 23 rd . Special guest Chico Romero was asked to attend the meeting to help assist in the planning. Chico asked if we had sent out a request to the various sponsors for items they would like to donate to the event. Wes replied he had sent the letter out to everyone on the list provided by Chico, and so far, we've had 1 sponsor agree to donate a 25% off coupon to be used as a contestant award. Chico suggested sending out the letter again 30 days prior to the event. Wes replied he would. Wes*

*commented that we didn't post a rain date for the event. Chico replied he would help with that. Chico asked if we had raffle items to donate, Wes replied he had one and possibly another. Chico asked if several people from the Dallas club would attend the Rockwall Fun-fly event on April 18 th and observe how that event was presented. Perry, Wes, and Richard responded they would attend. Perry opened the floor to other topics for discussion. Perry voiced concerns from several other club members, due to work conflicts, had trouble making the Club's meetings for a 7:30 start time. Perry made a motion to change the Club's meetings from a 7:30 start time to an 8:00pm start time. The motion was seconded by Richard, the motion carried.*

*Going forward, the DRCC club meetings will begin at 8:00pm on Google meets for the immediate future.*

*Perry adjourned the meeting at 8:24*

*Special shout out to John Hughes who has been Mowing the field and keeping up the maintenance on the new mower!!*