

SPAAR Meeting
December 9, 2024
Zoom Meeting

Attendance: Tom Aument, Louise Aument, Larry Gerlach, Glenn Feveryear, Rita Feveryear, Eric Dorward, Lily Dorward, Bruce Canino, Mark Sternat, Bob Wicker

Treasurer Report: Balance on November 11, 2024 -	\$2288.00
Dues received	107.00
NAR Safety Award	250.00
Current Balance	2645.00

We currently have 59 membership units.
ALL DUES ARE DUE BEFORE DECEMBER 31, 2024

Section Advisor: NAR website is in a state of flux. On December 16, 2024, you will be able to re-register for the new site.

Competition: Pittsburgh Space Command – Steel City '25 – May 3-4, 2025
Mars, PA Anniversary – June 6-8, 2025 – NASA and aerospace vendors will be there.
Launch on 6/8 will be from 10 AM – 4 PM – high power
NARAM – Muncy, IN – June 23-29, 2025 – mostly competition
Carl McLawhorn 13 – Grove City – October 18 – 19, 2025
Virtual NARCON – January 24-26, 2025

Old Business: Due to the cost of setting up a 501c3 and the necessary ongoing filing of IRS paperwork, it was decided to refuse the money from the Rick Hackman Special Needs Trust. Tom will contact the attorney to let him know of the board's decision.

Larry is going to check with the Ephrata Bank to see whose/what Social Security/EIN Number is used for the SPAAR account. If this is linked to George Beever, now deceased, this should be updated.

New Business: 17 ballots were cast for the election of officers and the results are:

President – Tom Aument
Vice President – Bob Wicker
Treasurer – Larry Gerlach
Secretary – Louise Aument
Section Advisor – Glenn Feveryear
Member at Large – Mark Sternat

Tom has been notified by a man in Sinking Spring, PA that he has 50 rockets and building supplies to be donated to the club. Tom will be picking these items up on Monday, December 16, 2024.

Tom is posting the 2025 calendar on the SPAAR website.