

CWB Member Meeting Minutes, 14 March 2026

Meeting was called to order by CO Bob Stoney at 1011, 14 Mar 26 in the Red Barn Classroom, Museum of Flight, Seattle.

Thirty-one individuals attended in person; seven attended online.

CO informed those attending of the passing of Dean “Frito” Friedt, who was a long-time instructor at the Multi-signatory Formation Clinic; and a brief moment of silence was held in his honor.

CO explained need for speakers to pass microphone, and of presenters to repeat questions from crowd to accommodate online attendees.

OpsO, Jay Borella and Bob Hill described and demonstrated how to sign up for squadron events; answered questions from membership concerning communication between OpsO and potential event attendees, and between attendees themselves.

CO welcomed new members/guests; announced that Bob Hill has accepted Safety Officer position.

FO announced that online system for paying dues still in progress but accepting cash in person. Made a call for submissions for the next Warbird Flyer, due out in April.

Bob Hill presented a “Know Your Warbird” for 737s in military service throughout the world that concluded by mention of the 737 “Freedom” plane which is touring the U.S. with several of the U.S.’s founding documents. The tour will display at the Museum of Flight from 30 July to 16 August.

CWB member Bill Shepard gave a presentation on Soviet aviation history trivia and the development of the Yak.

Next month’s speaker Larry Coy, an RVN era F4 pilot, will talk about the F4 vs MiG 21.

Board member Justin Drafts announced publication of his new book, “Nothing So Evil.”

An online attendee reported that the meeting visuals and audio were crisp and clear.

Meeting adjourned at 1157