

# PROP

# PLANE

# WASH



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## STARS MEMBERS

# Take Note

STARS MEETING  
 MAY 21, 1983

TIME: 8PM PLACE: STARS FIELD  
 (WEATHER PERMITTING) OR SHOW UP AT  
 THE ONEIDA RIVER TAVERN



## GOOD NEWS!

WELCOME TO COE-ZEE CORNER HOBBIES,  
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 COE-ZEE CORNER IS RUN BY CHARLIE COE  
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 YOU EVERY GOOD LUCK CHARLIE!



THROUGH RAIN, SNOW, SLEET OR HAIL,  
 THE MAILMAN GOES ON HIS APPOINTED  
 ROUNDS; BUT HE CAN'T DELIVER IF THE  
 ADDRESS IS WRONG. IF YOU MOVE,  
 PLEASE ADVISE US OF YOUR NEW ADDRESS.

THE PLANE PROP WASH IS THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE STARS CLUB; & AS SUCH, ALL PROCEEDS FROM ADVERTISEMENTS, SUBSCRIPTIONS, ETC. GO TO FURTHER ENHANCE THE TREASURY OF THE STARS CLUB. THE PURPOSE OF THE PLANE PROP WASH IS TO KEEP THE MODELERS OF THE STARS CLUB & SUBSCRIBERS AWARE OF HAPPENINGS WHICH INFLUENCE OUR HOBBY. THERE IS NO INTENT TO SHOW FAVORITISM TOWARD ANY CLUB, HOBBY SHOP OR INDIVIDUAL. WE HOPE YOU ENJOY OUR NEWSLETTER.

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WELL, AS I PREDICTED, OUR FIRST STARS AUCTION WAS A BIG SUCCESS. JIM THOMPSON WAS A GREAT AUCTIONEER, AND MIKE LOBELLO WAS A GREAT BIDDER. HE EVEN BID AGAINST HIMSELF. WE ARE ALWAYS HAPPY TO SEE MIKE COME TO AN AUCTION. YOU KNOW HE IS GOING TO BUY SOMETHING. WE HAD QUITE A FEW TREASURES AND EVERYBODY HAD A GOOD TIME MAKING DEALS. WITH THE SUCCESS WE HAD THIS YEAR, I KNOW WE WILL HAVE ONE NEXT YEAR; SO KEEP IT IN MIND. THE WEATHER HAS CONTINUED TO BE ROTTEN. I HOPE IT STRAIGHTENS OUT BY THE TIME FOR OUR PICNIC MAY 29, 1983. HOPE TO SEE EVERYBODY OUT THERE. ALSO, KEEP IN MIND OUR OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS, PYLON RACING AND THE ANNUAL FUN FLY. GOOD FLYING TO EVERYONE.  
 GARY ECKERT

PLANE PROP WASHES ARE ALWAYS AVAILABLE FREE OF CHARGE AT YOUR LOCAL HOBBY SHOP. STOP IN AND PICK ONE UP THIS MONTH!

On Saturday, 16 Apr 83, the Tri-Rivers RC Modelers (of Painted Post, NY) hosted a static display at the Arnot Mall in Elmira, NY. The display was shown to the public from 9am to 9pm and shared the floor with numerous types of hang gliders and ultra-light aircraft...In addition to the 70 a/c present, a handful of boats and cars were available for review by the public. Unfortunately, I was not able to speak to the boating chaps about their fine exhibits due to the short period of time I was there.

The event director was Vernon Morse. He was gracious enough to provide this roving reporter with a breakdown of the numerous categories and the lucky winners. He had a team of 10 judges to review the 50 or so official entries and they produced the following data:

Best of Show: Vernon Morse and his P-38  
 Stand-off Scale, Military: Gordon Loomis with a F8f Bearcat  
 Stand-off Scale, Non-military: Dorland Johnson and a Cosmic Wind  
 1/4 Scale: James Mosso with his J-3 Cub  
 Sport over 40: Steve Frederick and a twin Cougar  
 Sport under 40: Vance Way and his Kobra  
 Biplane: Steve Frederick with a WACO YMF-3  
 Trainer: Joseph Paladino and a Kadet  
 Helicopter: Dan Luchaco with his Cricket  
 Glider-open: Ernest Heyworth  
 Best Fabric Finish: James Mosso with that Cub  
 Best Plastic Finish: Wayne Boyce and his Piper Comanche

The event was attended by clubs from Painted Post, Elmira, Syracuse, Sayre, and Wellsborough. Even though the static show was quite large, Vernon stated that next year the show will be bigger and better!

The Tri-Rivers RC Modelers will be holding their annual Fun Fly on Sunday 24 Jul 83, at their regular field. Vernon said it will be a lot of fun and will include such things as limbo, balloon busts, and sport landings. Hope to see all of you there!



THE APRIL MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 7:20PM BY PRESIDENT GARY ECKERT. ROLL CALL SHOWED 20 SRS. & 1 JR. MEMBER PRESENT. THE SECRETARY'S REPORT WAS READ & ACCEPTED. THE ASSOCIATION REPORT WAS GIVEN BY LON SAUTER. LON SAUTER READ THE LETTER HE SENT TO ALL THE CLUBS AS ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT. HE WANTED THE MEMBERS TO DISCUSS IF THE CLUB WANTS CONSULTATION CONCERNING MONIES EXPENDED BY THE CNYMAA FOR SITUATIONS OTHER THAN NORMAL. THE MEMBERS VOTED YES WITH THE WORDING "WITHIN REASON" SPECIFIED. ALSO, HE WANTED TO KNOW IF THE CLUB WOULD AUTHORIZE A SUBSTITUTE DELEGATE TO COME TO THE CNYMAA MEETING. THE MEMBERS VOTED YES. FRAN WORTH REPORTED THAT WE HAVEN'T GOTTEN OUR SANCTION BACK FOR THE FUN

FLY. HE IS GOING TO CALL ABOUT IT. LON SAUTER SUGGESTED THE FOLLOWING DATES FOR THE PYLON RACING WHICH ARE ALL SATURDAYS: JUNE 25, AUGUST 20 & SEPTEMBER 3. ALL THE MEMBERS AGREED TO THESE DATES. A COMMITTEE WAS SET UP & THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS VOLUNTEERED: BARNEY HEINLEY, JACK JEFFRIES, STAN STANISZEWSKI, GWYNN SKELTON, & MIKE GRAHAM. THE PATCHES ARE IN & THE PRICE IS \$3 A PIECE. NO REPORT ON THE FAMILY DAY PICNIC. THERE WAS A DISCUSSION ON RUN A CRUSH FOR THE FIELD. GARY ECKERT REPORTED IT WOULD COST \$120-\$130 A LOAD. NOTHING WAS DECIDED AT THIS MEETING.

GARY BROWN IS GOING TO TALK TO SOMEONE ELSE & ALSO ABOUT THE DITCHES AT THE FIELD. CONCRETE AT THE PAVILION HAS BEEN TABLED FOR NOW BECAUSE OF THE EXPENSE. IT WAS SUGGESTED WE PUT MONEY ASIDE DURING THE YEAR FOR THIS PROJECT. MEETING ADJOURNED AT 7:45PM. AFTER A BRIEF INTERMISSION WITH COFFEE & DONUTS, THE STARS HELD THEIR AUCTION.

CAROL ECKERT



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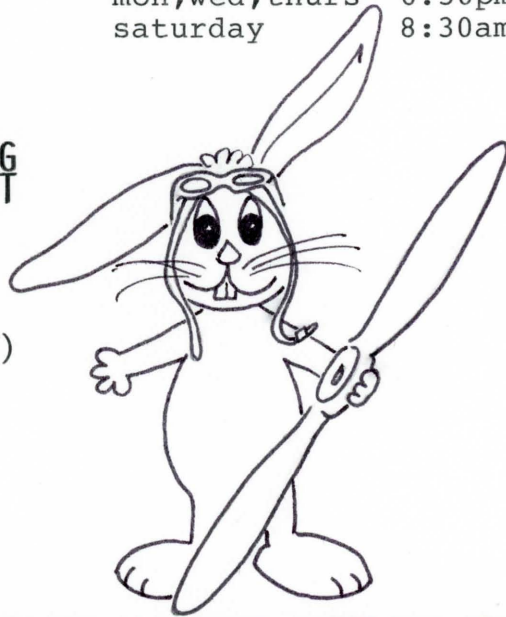
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## CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

- MAY 19 - CNYMAA MEETING 8PM AT WALT'S HOBBY & CRAFT
- MAY 21 - STARS MEETING
- MAY 29 - STARS FAMILY DAY AT THE FIELD
- JUNE 25 - STARS SPORT PYLON RACING
- JUNE 25 & 26 - OMAC 9TH ANNUAL SPRING SAIL AT NEW FIELD 2 DAY 2 METER AND OPEN SAILPLANE CONTEST CD: DAN CROWNHART 458-2088
- JULY 9 & 10 - STARS SCALE RALLY, OLEAN, NY
- JULY 16 & 17 - ARCS PATTERN MEET
- JULY 23 & 24 - VRCMC ANNUAL FUN FLY AT NICHOLS, NY

- JULY 24 THRU 31 - AMA NATS AT CHICOPEE, MASS.
- AUGUST 6 & 7 - STARS ANNUAL FUN FLY
- AUGUST 13 & 14 - AUBURN FUN FLY AT FARNSWORTH AIRPORT
- AUGUST 13 & 14 - AEROGUIDANCE SOCIETY PATTERN CONTEST AT BLUE SWAN AIRPORT, SAYRE, PA.
- AUGUST 20 - STARS SPORT PYLON RACING
- SEPTEMBER 3 - STARS SPORT PYLON RACING
- SEPTEMBER 10 & 11 - AUBURN "FLY FOR FUN" AT HEJAMADA CAMPGROUNDS
- SEPTEMBER 10 & 11 - UTICA FIREBIRDS 2ND ANNUAL CLASSIC PATTERN CONTEST

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**RESULTS OF THE ARCS APRIL 29TH SIG PARASOL & PEANUT SCALE CONTEST**

Order of Finish: (trophies were awarded to 5th place)

**SIG PARASOL**

1. Peter Mixner
2. Brooks Goodnow
3. Frank Knosp
4. Larry Nearing
5. Dan Heinley
6. Steve Chesebro
7. Danny White
8. Douglas Peterson
8. Bruce Throne
9. Gary Peterson
9. Walt Throne
10. Tony Ciarpelli
11. John Barrett
12. Dick Sargent
13. Ed Zobel
14. Carl Ling
15. Allen Nearing
16. Chad Ling
17. Cathy Tyrrell
18. Penny White
19. Bonnie White
20. Jimm Chilson
21. George Gresovic
22. Ellie Higgins
23. Mike Lobello
24. Roy Catholdi
24. Phil Reitano
25. Stan Staniszewski
26. John Hagaman
27. Skip Bogdan

**SPECIAL TROPHIES TO 5TH PLACE**

**SIG PARASOL - JR UNDER 10 YRS**

1. Brian Reitano
2. Brian Angrick
3. Patrick Baret
4. Michael Apps
5. Jason Tyrrell

**PEANUT SCALE**

1. George Peek
2. Dick Raymond
3. Robert Uhl
4. Steve Chesebro
5. Robert Uhl
6. Walt Throne
7. Penny White
8. Dan Heinley
9. Bruce Throne
10. Jack Jeffries
11. George Gresovic
12. Stan Staniszewski
13. Lawrence Nearing
14. Danny White
15. Bonnie White
16. Michael Apps
17. Richard Raymond

**PEANUT SCALE**

**BEST FLIGHT - Dan Heinley**  
**BEST SCALE - Dick Raymond**

(data supplied by Larry Apps)



ANY **MODEL AIRPLANE CLUB** WISHING TO ADVERTISE A FORTHCOMING CONTEST OR EVENT CAN ACQUIRE A FULL PAGE AD FOR THE TRIFLING FEE OF \$2.

SPACE IS AVAILABLE FOR INDIVIDUALS WISHING TO SELL OR TRADE IN EACH ISSUE OF THE NEWSLETTER FOR A NOMINAL FEE OF 25 CENTS PER AD. ADS ARE AVAILABLE FOR BUSINESSES AT A RATE OF \$2 PER 1/4 PAGE. THE DEADLINE FOR INSURING YOUR AD WILL BE IN THE NEXT ISSUE IS THE 1ST OF THE MONTH. PLEASE SEND ALL ADS ALONG WITH PAYMENT TO MARGE SAUTER, 2062 RABBIT LANE, PHOENIX, NY 13135. MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO MARGARET L. SAUTER.

SEE YOUR BYLINE IN PRINT - SCOOP YOUR FELLOW FLYER 1ST - DO YOU HAVE DREAMS OF BEING A WRITER, BUT ARE AFRAID OF GETTING A REJECTION SLIP IN THE MAIL? YOU'LL NEVER GET A REJECTION HERE. ANYONE WHO WANTS TO WRITE ABOUT AIRPLANES, THEMSELVES, OR SOME OTHER MODELER, SHOULD SEND HIS/HER ARTICLE TO MARGE SAUTER, 2062 RABBIT LANE, PHOENIX, NY 13135. HERE'S YOUR CHANCE FOR INSTANT FAME, OR ANONYMITY IF THAT'S WHAT YOU WANT.





CENTRAL NEW YORK MODEL AIRCRAFT ASSOC.

April 21, 1983

At 8:40 P.M., the C.N.Y.M.A.A. meeting was called to order by V.P. Ron Leopardi.

Secretary read minutes of March 17 meeting, which met with everyone's approval.

Treasurer's report by Geo. Beers indicated we are solvent to the "pitch" of:

Checking Account	=	\$751.04
Savings Account	=	\$2,944.51
Total	=	\$3,695.55

Old Business: N.A.T.S. Bus Trip

Club reps to canvas members as to their interest in leasing a bus(es) for a trip to the NATS. Most likely dates are Saturday, July 30 or Sunday, July 31 or both. Cost and details to be provided at June 16 association meeting. The Association will sponsor part of the cost, to the extent each individual's round trip ticket should not exceed \$20.00. Bob Elkovitch (spelled with a K) will confirm cost and schedule.

As yet, a letter of apology has not been sent to John Whitford (Weedsport Airport) concerning last season's Association picnic. It was suggested that the secretary do so — which shall be done pronto!

A Mr. King Simpkins, representing Onondaga Community College, has requested that an Airplane Static Show & Flying Demonstrations be held at the College in September. Mr. Simpkins is to be invited to speak at our May 19 Association meeting, bringing details of this happening.

New Business:

It was brought to the attention of all Club Reps that some reps are not giving the Association meeting report to their Club Members. Please be reminded that these minutes are only distributed to Association Representatives, Club Presidents and Miniature Aircraft (Model Airplane) Hobby Shop Owners. It is imperative that we keep our peers informed as to the functions and activities of the Association.

A discussion among reps concerning the mailing date of these minutes ensued, with the outcome that they be sent out very close to next meeting date. This acts as a reminder of the meeting, thus preventing two mailings per month.

The C.N.Y.M.A.A. plans to hold its annual fly-picnic again this year, with date and location still to be determined.

Meeting adjourned at 8:56 P.M.

Hot line number (315) 488-1251.

Respectfully submitted,

Glenn Cady  
Secretary