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STARS MEETING
JANUARY 21, 1984

Time: 8pm Site: Northminster Presbyterian Church, Buckley Rd., N. Syracuse
Program: George Clapp will talk on his drawings of antique airplanes that he has done for the Smithsonian.

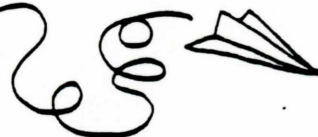


WELCOME NEW SR. MEMBER
Neil Ringler



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FROM THE
PREZ



Here we are again in the beginning of a new year. First, I would like to wish everyone a prosperous and happy one. Second, I want to thank the members for again electing me President. I guess they think I know what I am doing, so why change now. As I said many times before, I will do my best; and with the help of all the members of the club, this should be a great year. To start off the new year, we are having our annual Symposium on February 4, 1984. Hope to see everyone there with airplane in hand for the static display. As you know, our club is running the display; all volunteers can contact Lon Sauter to find out what they can do to help. Let's make it bigger and better than last year. The next thing on the agenda for our club is the Winter Fun Fly on March 4, 1984. How many brave souls do we have in the club who will come out and fly in the snow? It's great fun, and you should try it if you haven't done it before this. The only other thing I would like to remind everyone of, is to think safety at all times. I can't stress it enough and don't think it can be stated too many times. Good and safe flying to everyone.

Gary Eckert

FRAN WORTH PROMISES TO HAVE HIS CAP 20 READY TO THE SYMPOSIUM...promises, promises. HOPE WE SEE IT!

Gary Brown had better watch out! **DAN WILLIAMS** may take over Gary's coveted "small airplane" spot in the club.



The December meeting was called to order by President Gary Eckert at 8:16pm. Roll call showed 14 sr. members and no jr. members present. Secretary's report was read and accepted. Treasurer's report was read and accepted. The Association report was given by Lon Sauter. On the static display, we are adding one more award- Best Junior. The participant has to be under 16 years of age and have an AMA number. Applications are available for scholarships. We decided that the theme of our booth for the Symposium will be finishings on airplanes. The Eckerts will get the club booth equipment ready. Volunteers for the booth are: Roy

Foley, Gwynn Skelton, Bob Rowe and John Sadler. The ditches have been dug. We will have to have a work detail in the Spring to level out the dirt. Leveling the field has been tabled until next year, as it is too late to do anything this year. The name tags are in. Voted in a new member: Neil Ringler. We held election of officers. The results are as follows: President - Gary Eckert, Vice-President - Bob Rowe, Secretary - Carol Eckert, and Treasurer - Stan Staniszewski. The secretary read the minutes of the meeting of the board of Directors. Lon Sauter made a motion that the name tags be worn at every meeting or pay a fine of 50 cents. After a brief discussion, the motion was passed. Jack Jeffries suggested that we have the new members introduce themselves, starting next year. The meeting was adjourned at 9pm.

Carol Eckert

AMA DISTRICT II AVP REPORT

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On February 4, 1984 at 4pm, John Byrne our District VP of the AMA will be holding a District 2 meeting at the CNYMAA Symposium and Model Aircraft Show. This is a very good opportunity for any and all of you to ask your questions and or voice your concerns about the AMA.

Our 1984 Symposium is almost here. We expect it to be one of the best that we've ever had; please plan to attend.

All clubs should be well on their way to renewing their AMA charter for 1984. A tip to the secretaries: If any of your members have not renewed their AMA license, do not include them on your charter form. You can add them later, when they receive their renewed license. This makes the whole process a lot cleaner and you don't have to worry about straightening out a membership list that includes people who aren't covered by your insurance.

The next meeting of the CNYMAA will be held on January 26th, at Walt's Hobby and Craft at 7:30pm. For the last two meetings, we have been unable to muster a quorum, so we were not able to conduct a normal business meeting. I've sent a letter to all known club presidents and delegates, notifying them of this meeting and the business to be conducted. As always, all modelers are welcome to attend the meetings and participate in the discussions. Remember, it's your Association and it's success or failure is all of our doing.

SEE YOU ALL AT THE SYMPOSIUM!



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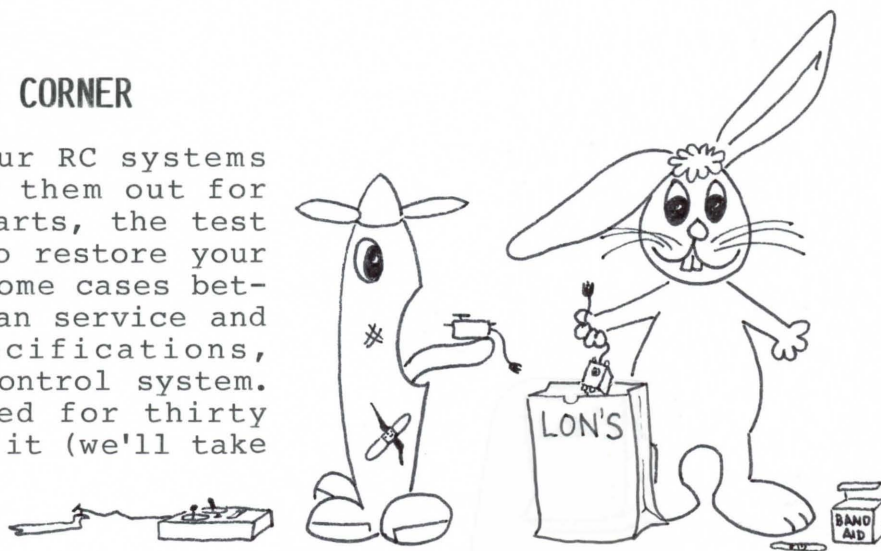
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mon,wed,thurs 6pm - 9pm
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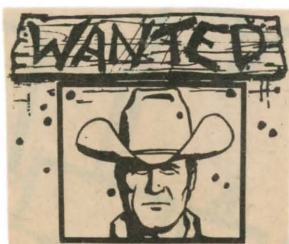
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THE 1000 ISLAND'S CLUB HAS NEW OFFICERS FOR 1984: President - Julian Palien, Vice-President - Doug Morrow, Secretary - Doris Palien, and Treasurer - Tom Campagnano.

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CONGRATULATIONS TO GARY AND KIM RIZZO ON THE BIRTH OF THE THEIR FIRST CHILD. ACCORDING TO MY SOMETIMES ACCURATE REPORTERS, THEY HAD A BABY BOY SOMETIME AROUND THE FIRST OF THE YEAR.

IF YOU ARE NOT A MEMBER OF THE STARS & WOULD LIKE TO HAVE THE PLANE PROP WASH MAILED TO YOU, YOU MAY PURCHASE A SUBSCRIPTION FOR THE FEE OF \$3.50 PER YEAR. PLEASE SEND REMITTANCE, ALONG WITH YOUR NAME & ADDRESS, TO MARGE SAUTER, 2062 RABBIT LANE, PHOENIX, NY 13135. YOUR SUBSCRIPTION WILL BEGIN WITH THE 1ST ISSUE PUBLISHED AFTER PAYMENT IS RECEIVED. CHECKS SHOULD BE MADE OUT TO MARGARET L. SAUTER.

It seems that Murray Miron has been bitten by the snowmobile bug...does this mean that the airplanes will be hung up to gather dust...or just that Murray's thumbs don't like the cold.

GENE ANDRES' BYRON CAP 21 IS ALMOST READY TO TAKE IT'S FIRST FLIGHT. GIVE GENE A BYRON AIRPLANE KIT AND EVERYTHING ELSE IS PUT ASIDE TILL IT'S FINISHED.

RUMOR HAS IT THAT **Phil Morgan** IS BUSY BUILDING A MOSQUITO KIT...wonder who's attic that appeared from? IT LOOKS LIKE PHIL WILL BE A LITTLE FASTER BUILDER THAN THE PREVIOUS OWNER!

Stan "ALPHABET" has started his new Great Planes Cap 21. Stan's another of those speedy builders. He just might finish his Cap 21 before Val's Lazy Ace (last years Christmas present from Santa) is finished...not an unusual occurance in this hobby!

The Auburn Clubs newly elected officers are: Gregg Thomas - President, Matt Heusler - Vice-President, and Reb Baier - Secretary/Treasurer.

LON SAUTER HAS STARTED WORKING ON HIS ROBBE CAP 21...this is definitely the year of the Cap 21's.

The Midstate Modelers have held their elections and have a new slate of officers for the coming year: Presient - Steve Chesbro, Vice-President - George Peek, Secretary - Kevin Norby, and Treasurer - John Longo. Congratulations guys!

FEEDBACK FROM OMAC: New officers for 84 are Jim Leary (President), Jack Peterson (Vice-President), Jim Saiff (Secretary), and Greg Uhlig (Treasurer).

ADVANCE NOTICE

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

January 21 - STARS MEETING

January 26 - CNYMAA meeting time: 7:30pm, place: Walt's Hobby & Craft

February 4 - CNYMAA 8th Annual Symposium & Model Aircraft Show

February 5 - OVM meeting site: Fulton Municipal Building

March 4 - 5th Annual Snow Fly sponsored by VRCMC & STARS clubs Site: STARS field, Phoenix, NY Time: 10am... AMA required, no entry fee...everyone welcome to come and have fun

June 2 & 3 - Auburn Fun Fly

August 4 & 5 - Ithaca Fun Fly

August 4-12 - 58th National Model Airplane Championships Site: Reno, Nevada

August 18 & 19 - Massena Fun Fly

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

A REMINDER

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.



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1984 GUEST SPEAKERS and TOPICS:

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| 1. ED IZZO: AMA DIST. 1 VP | - FOAM WING DEMO | 10AM-11AM |
| 2. LON SAUTER: LON'S R/C SERVICE | - NEW R/C SYSTEM TECHNOLOGY | 11AM-12NOON |
| 3. BOB CLEMENS: AMA SCALE BOARD | - INDOOR FREE FLT DEMO | 1PM-2PM |
| 4. IVAN KRISTENSEN: '83 NATS CHAMP | - RC PATTERN | 2PM-3PM |
| 5. JOHN BYRNE: AMA DIST. 2 VP | - AMA DIST. 2 MEETING | 4PM-5PM |

... STATIC COMPETITION AWARDS IN AUDITORIUM 5:00P.M. ...

... SATURDAY FEBRUARY 4, 1984 9:00 A.M. -- 5:00 P.M. ...
... ADMISSION: ADULTS \$2.00 — STUDENTS \$1.50 ...

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