



Aero Radio Club of Syracuse

ARCS NEWS

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Club Meeting– Friday, October 12, 7PM at Walt's

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President's Message:

October already? It sure was a great summer. Based on the weather the last couple of days, it looks like fall is here.

- The single most important thing you can do to help this wonderful hobby of ours is to return your ballot for AMA President. A couple of important things to remember: Check the box next to Dave Mathewson's name and put a stamp on the card before you mail it.
- As most of you know, Ed Byrns passed away over the summer. He was a good friend, excellent modeler and we will miss him.
- All of our summer events had good participation and went very well including the Father's Day Breakfast, our Picnic, and our Fun Fly. Several of us also attended the Mountain RC fun fly in Old Forge where we had a good day of flying followed by some fun at Walt's camp. We also had a good turn out at the STARS Airshow. Thanks to all that participated!
- A few of us went to Rhinebeck in September. They had an excellent collection of models and some really nice WWI full size planes. If you haven't been, you should go at least once. They put on an airshow every Saturday and Sunday all summer long. Once a year they host the model airplane show along with their regular show. See the pictures on pg. 2 & 3.
- Planning meetings are starting up for the forum. The first one is Thursday, 7:30PM at Denny's, Erie Blvd. & W. Genesee, near the Syr. Academy of Science.
- A small group of Cub Scouts is scheduled to try buddy box flying this Saturday, depending on the weather. Please come out if you want to help. Starts at 11AM. A rain date is planned for the 28th at 1PM if needed.
- Training nights will continue on every Thursday until the weather stops us (probably the end of the month).
- There are 2 nice new blue benches to sit on thanks to Art Dudden.
- We have 2 nice new picnic tables thanks to Fred Eberhardt
- There's a new Safety Bench thanks to Tom Brennan. This thing is great! You can run your airplane safely without kneeling on the ground.
- The field has been kept nicely mowed thanks primarily to Gregg LaPoint. Gregg has been out of work with knee surgery and has had lots of time to mow. As much as we like the mowing, I hope Gregg gets well soon.
- The tall grass has been kept at bay by Art Dudden.
- The profits from the pancake breakfast are in the general fund right now. We will decide at the meeting how much of it to put in the Doc Schwarz Scholarship.
- At the meeting, we will do a bearing changing demonstration. In this climate, many engines will suffer corroded bearings. For a few dollars you can make them run like new.

See you at the meeting!

Herb.

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Rhinebeck 2007



Impressive line-up of models

Full-Size Tiger Moth and Jenny

Notice anything odd about the moth?



Functioning model of a LeRhone Rotary engine- Took 4 years to build
The cylinders spin with the prop



Aero Radio Club of Syracuse

Membership Application/Renewal

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Mobile Phone _____

E-Mail: _____

AMA Number: _____

Radio Channel(s): _____

Please Check all that apply:

- New Member initiation fee \$ 5.00
- Junior Member (under 18, parent *NOT* a member) \$10.00
- Junior Member (under 18, parent *IS* a member) \$ 0.00
- Senior Member (over 65) \$15.00
- Regular Member (18-65) \$35.00
- Late Fee (after Jan. 31, Renewals only) \$ 5.00

Submit this form and payment to:

Add up all applicable fees \$ _____

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Make checks payable to ARCS

More Rhinebeck



An immaculately done cockpit

Calendar

Thurs, Oct 11	7:30 PM Denny's	Forum Meeting
Fri, Oct 12	7PM Walt's	Club Meeting
Sat, Oct 13	At the field	Cub Scout Flying– Weather Permitting
Sun, Oct 28	At the field	Rain Date for Cub Scout Flying
Fri, Nov 9	7PM Walt's	Club Meeting