



Aero Radio Club of Syracuse

ARCS News

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Club Meeting Friday March 10th, 7PM at Walt's Hobbytown

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President's Message:

For the first time that I can remember, we had to cancel the February meeting due to weather. I hope no one drove out for nothing. I don't expect that to happen this month.

- Al Metz and I were able to visit the Kennedy Space Center (along with a few co-workers) on the company's nickel. The intent was to observe the SpaceX CRS-10 Launch which contained a camera that we made for testing in space. It turned out that the launch was delayed for a day so we were only able to watch it from my laptop in the Orlando airport on our way home. It was still a great experience and we met some exceptional people.
- Last week a few of us attended the AMA Expo East (formerly WRAM) show. It was a pleasant drive down. The event was well organized and seemed to flow well. I hope the AMA can keep this going. The highlight for me was the talk by Hoot Gibson, modeler, astronaut, Reno race pilot. Another highlight was watching our very own Mike Gosson receive a first place pattern award. Please be sure to congratulate him when you see him.
- The STARS annual snow fly was this weekend. I was unable to attend this year but they sure had nice weather!
- Be sure to look on page 4 for the local swap meets and events. Lots of reasons to get out of the house.
- In January we started raffling off a prize of some sort at our club meetings. If you show up you get a ticket. If you provide an article for the newsletter you will get an extra ticket. If you bring in something significant for show and tell you get an extra ticket. If you do a demo at the meeting you get 2 extra tickets. Walter Buchner won a nano quad.
- At the meeting we will be electing club Board of Directors. The current directors have agreed to another term. If anyone else is interested, let me know so you can be on the ballot.

See you at the meeting

Herb.

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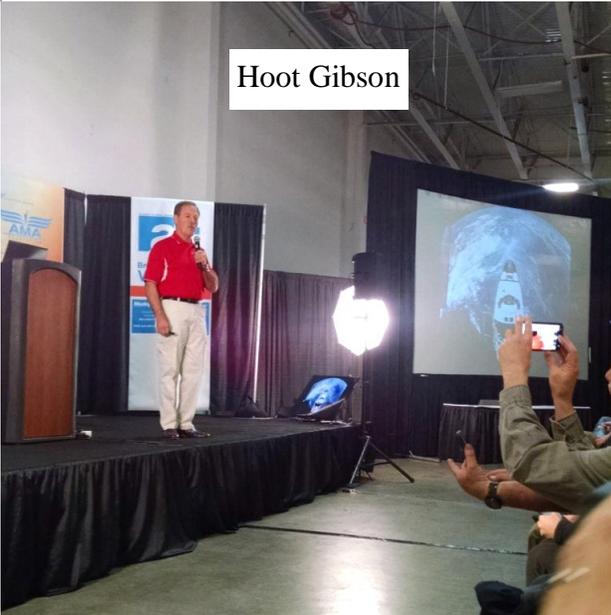
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- Membership dues can be paid at any time. Kevin will be happy to take your money! You must now include the \$5.00 late fee! Be sure your AMA is paid up too.

Static Display



Hoot Gibson



Pattern Contest Awards



AI and the shuttle Atlantis



The business end of a Saturn 5



ARCS Membership Application/Renewal

Date: _____

Name: _____

Please Check all that apply:

Address: _____

 New Member initiation fee \$ 5.00

City: _____ State: _____

 Junior Member (under 18, parent *NOT* a member) \$10.00

Zip: _____ Phone: _____

 Junior Member (under 18, parent *IS* a member) \$ 0.00

Mobile Phone: _____

 Senior Member (over 65) \$25.00

E-Mail: _____

 Regular Member (18-65) \$45.00

AMA Number: _____

 Late Fee (after Jan. 31, Renewals only) \$ 5.00

FAA Number: _____

Submit this form and payment to:

Add up all applicable fees \$ _____

Kevin Kiniry (ARCS Treasurer)

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My Hobby King Experience:

Update: After 3 months, the replacement for the non-functioning borescope camera has finally arrived. It works! They did not want the old one back. This is the 3rd item from them that I've purchased that didn't work but only the first one that I decided to take action on. Lesson learned- You get what you pay for.

Zoomed in view of the launch pad



The launch as captured by one of our colleagues



Calendar 2017

Fri, Mar 10	7PM	Walt's Hobbytown	Club Meeting
Sat, Mar 25	10-3	Oran Church, Rt 92	OMAC Swap Meet
Sat, Apr 1	9:30	Seneca Falls Rec Center	FLAPS Swap Meet
Fri-Sun Apr 7-9		Toledo, OH	Weak Signals Show
Fri, Apr 14	7PM	Walt's Hobbytown	Club Meeting