



Aero Radio Club of Syracuse

# ARCS News

March 2, 2020

## Meeting Friday the 6th, 7PM at Walt's Hobbytown

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March already! Next weekend we set the clocks ahead. Time to dust off the aircraft and fix all the things you've been meaning to fix, cycle the batteries, etc.

- Our meeting will be a week early this month since our set-up for the forum is the following week.
- Regarding the FAA's proposed rules, the time for public comment is over. As I write this there were over 44,000 responses. Thanks to everyone who took the time to respond! It might just save our hobby.
- The model forum will be on March 14th. We will be setting up on the 13th at 6PM. Since the custodian who usually helps us can not be there we will have to do all the work ourselves so please try to be there to help. There will be a follow-up meeting on Friday, March 20th, 7:30PM at the CIA flying site. Feel free to attend.
- Also, for the forum, please bring along aircraft for the static display. If you have anything you want to donate to the raffle, please bring that too.
- Jim Keib, who is a local rep for John Katko will be attending our Forum. We have had meetings with him. Katko's office is fully supportive of our efforts. Katko is on the transportation committee who oversees the FAA. We have impressed upon him that we are a large, organized group of modelers so it would be nice if he saw that first hand. I hope attendance will be good this year because the impression we make with him will be important.
- Several of us attended the last couple of swap meets. The RCCR and the Oneida Lake Flyers both had excellent meets with lots of bargains.
- The STARS had their annual Snow Fly Sunday. Attendance was good and the flying conditions were quite tolerable. A little windy and cool but quite a bit of sun. Photo on Pg 2.
- Membership renewals are past due! Be sure to include the \$5.00 late fee! Page 3 has the renewal form. We really need this since we are trying to build a badly needed shed for the tractor. So far renewals have been sparse. Only 30 renewals so far. If you're not going to renew, please let me know why. If there are problems we need to know about them. Thanks to all who have responded so far.
- We plan on building the new shed as soon as the weather breaks. Phil is getting updated prices and will have them at the meeting.
- Election of officers will take place at the meeting. No one has stepped forward asking to run for these coveted positions. The existing officers have agreed to serve for another term.
- The EAA Build and fly is still going well. We're probably on target to complete it by the end of April or maybe a little later.

**See you at the meeting!**

*Herb.*

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**Local Swap Meets. From Ed Britton RCCR**

**M.A.F. (Model Aircraft Forum & indoor fly) [S.T.A.R.S](#) & [A.R.C.S](#) (Syracuse) - **Saturday, March 14th, 2020** - [Syracuse Academy of Science](#)**

**[Canandaigua Sky Chiefs](#) - **Saturday, March 21st, 2020** - Rhonda's Auction House 6980 Routes 5&20 (corner of Rte.444) Bloomfield,NY 14469**

**[Finger Lakes Air Pirates](#) (Waterloo) - **Saturday, April 18th, 2020** - *Seneca Falls Rec. Center, 35 Water St., Seneca Falls, NY***



**CANANDAIGUA SKY CHIEFS**

*Proudly announce the*

**33<sup>rd</sup> Annual**

**Mike Howell Memorial**

# Swap Meet & Auction

*At our new home:*

**RHONDA'S AUCTION HOUSE**

**6980 Route 5&20, Bloomfield NY**

Corner of Rts. 5&20 & Rt. 444

(Look for "Peddlers Antiques" Sign

**Lots of Easy  
Parking**

**More Space  
Tables & Chairs**

## Saturday, March 21, 2020

**Doors open 9AM**

**Adult Admission - \$5**

Ladies and kids under 12 are FREE



**All RC Equipment and Models welcome!**

Vendors welcome, No commissions or Fees

**50/50 Raffles**

**World Famous CHIEFS Snack Bar**



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***Come & Visit with your summer flying friends!***

## 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: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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)

Make checks payable to ARCS

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STARS Snow Fly  
Don DeSalvatore showing us how its done. Twisted Hobbies Raptor

## **Calendar 2020**

Fri, Mar 6	7PM	Walt's Hobbytown	Club Meeting
Fri, Mar 13	6PM	Syr Academy of Science	Forum Setup
Sat, Mar 14	8-4	Syr Academy of Science	Forum
Fri, Mar 20	7:30	CIA Site	Forum Follow up
Sat, Mar 21	9AM	Bloomfield, NY	Sky Chiefs Swap Meet
Fri, Apr 10	7PM	Walt's Hobbytown	Club Meeting
Sat, Apr 18	9AM	Seneca Falls	FLAPS Swap Meet