



Aero Radio Club of Syracuse

# ARCS News

April 12, 2023

## Meeting, Friday April 14, 6:30 PM at the Airport

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### President's Message:

Yay, the field is ready for flying!

- At our meeting we will discuss the need for a clean-up day and other needed improvements.
- The Young Eagles Build and Fly program is almost done. We expect it to be done by next week. See the photo on page 3
- The Model Forum went well. We made \$728.50 which we will donate to the school. Garret Wikoff is donating an additional \$271.50 making it an even \$1000.00. See photos on page 2.
- The Maker Faire also went well. Our booth was visited by many and generated lots of interest. See photos on page 2.
- Dues are due! If you haven't already, please get your payment to Kevin as soon as possible. The \$5 late fee for renewals is in effect. Also, be sure your AMA is paid up.
- Congratulations to the newest member of the ARCS Board of Directors, Chris Muniz!
- Chris Muniz has been updating our newest facebook page. He is requesting that we upload any photos we may have to that page. This is the link: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/arcs1950>. They could either be uploaded directly or send to Chris and he will upload. It'd be great to have some older photos too! His contact info is [chris.connec@gmail.com](mailto:chris.connec@gmail.com).
- Planning for the Fathers Day Pancake Breakfast has begun. We will be again looking for volunteers. More info to follow later.
- There are several events coming up. See pages 4 and 5.
- We will also review the AMA Safety code at the meeting. This is a requirement. See Page 6.

**See you at the meeting!**

*Herb.* 315- 857-6266

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Static Display

## Model Forum Photos:

Link to additional MAF photos, From Michael Graham:

<https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/f3292iwjirlqjhx224h/h?dl=0&rlkey=84uycr3nc6b44r71sm8dpv1i0>



Zoom Call with Tyler Dobbs



Our Booth

## Maker Faire Photos:

Link to more Maker Faire Photos, From Michael Graham

<https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/vw25dauhtesq7bgvcz3zf/h?dl=0&rlkey=gw02vkoogk5dt91p4fh0dqr89>



Overall View



## ARCS Membership Application/Renewal

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

AMA Number: \_\_\_\_\_

FAA Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Please Check all that apply:

_____ New Member initiation fee	\$ 5.00
_____ Junior Member (under 18, parent <i>NOT</i> a member)	\$15.00
_____ Junior Member (under 18, parent <i>IS</i> a member)	\$ 0.00
_____ Senior Member (over 65)	\$45.00
_____ Regular Member (18-65)	\$65.00
_____ Late Fee (after Jan. 31, Renewals only)	\$ 5.00

Submit this form and payment to:

Add up all applicable fees \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to ARCS

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This year's project is almost complete.  
 Dancing Wings Hobby– Cloud Dancer  
 Will be flying real soon!

### Some local swap meets:

[Sky Rovers](#) (Phelps) - **Saturday, Oct. 28th, 2023** - 9am swap, 12:00pm Auction \$5 admission/under 12 free - Phelps Community Center 8 Banta St. Phelps, NY

[Mohawk Valley Firebirds](#) (Frankfort) - **TBA** - VFW post 502, 4274 Acme Rd, Frankfort, NY 13340

[S.T.A.R.S](#) (Syracuse Thunderbirds Aero Society)-Auction & Swap -**Saturday April 29th 2023** - STARS Flying Field [649 County Rte 12, Pennellville, NY 13132](#)

[RCCR](#) (Rochester) - **Swap at the RCCR Annual June FunFly Sat & Sun June 24th & 25th 2023** -RCCR Northampton Flying Field-[304 Salmon Creek Rd. Brockport, NY 14420](#)

[Southern Tier Aero Radio Society](#) ("STARS") - Auction - **Saturday, August 26th 2023** 5pm at their open house fun fly - [5046 W Shore Rd Hinsdale, NY 14743](#)

[Oneida Lake Flyers](#) (Constantia) - **Swap will be at the Oneida Lake Flyers FunFly - TBA** - Oneida Lake Flyers field, 1154 New York Rte 49, Constantia, NY 13044

[Finger Lakes Air Pirates](#) (FLAPS) (Waterloo) Auction & Swap - **Saturday, April 22nd 2023** - [Seneca Falls Rec. Center](#), 35 Water St., Seneca Falls, NY

Here's a link to a collection of swap meets, primarily for western NY:

[https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/liASb2Ig\\_-9obrDRB5XkT5eBmmYjBSMCu?usp=share\\_link](https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/liASb2Ig_-9obrDRB5XkT5eBmmYjBSMCu?usp=share_link)

### Some important links:

TRUST Test— Everyone who flies must pass this test. Don't worry it will coach you through until you get it right.

<https://trust.modelaircraft.org>

FAA registration: Everyone who flies outdoors must be registered with the FAA.

<https://faadronezone-access.faa.gov>

## Calendar 2023

Fri, April 14, 6:30	Main Hangar	Club Meeting
Sat, April 22, 9AM?	Seneca Falls Rec Center	FLAPS Swap Meet
Sat, April 29, 9-Noon	STARS Field	STARS Annual Auction
Sun, April 30, 9-5	Massena Community Center	Seaway Modelers Swap
Sat, May 20, 10-4	STARS Field	1st. Control Line Fun Fly
Fri, June 16, 8AM	Main Hangar	Setup for Pancake Breakfast
Sat, June 17, 8AM	Main Hangar	Setup for Pancake Breakfast
Sun, June 18, 6-1	Main Hangar	Pancake Breakfast
Mon, June 19, 9AM	Main Hangar	Pancake Breakfast clean-up
Sat, July 8, All Day	ARCS Field	Pattern Contest





# S.T.A.R.S.

[www.cnystars.com](http://www.cnystars.com)

[www.facebook.com/cnystars](https://www.facebook.com/cnystars)



## Auction 2023



### When?

**Saturday, April 29, 2023**

**9 AM to Noon**

**Bidding starts at 10:30 AM**

### Where?

**STARS Field in Phoenix**



STARS events



FB Auction event

### No Admission Fee!!

Only Modeling Aircraft and Related Items will be Auctioned  
10 % Commission will be charged on all Sales

Sellers will not be permitted to bid on their own Equipment

A Minimum acceptable bid will be required on each item up for Bid  
9 AM to 10:30 AM — Setup and Preview



STARS will provide coffee and donuts  
Lunch will be offered to wrap up event

For more information, contact:  
Phil Morgan: 315/457-3674



## Seaway Valley Modelaires

### 2023 RC Swap N Shop

**April 30th 9am-5pm**

**New and Used  
Airplanes Helicopters**

**Massena  
Community  
Center, 61  
Beach St**

**Drones  
Cars and Trucks  
Boats**

**Coffee  
And  
Donuts  
Provided**

**parts and accessories**

**OPPORTUNITY TO  
LEARN MORE ABOUT  
THE RC HOBBY**

**Open to the  
public with  
no admission  
cost**

**50/50  
DRAWING**

**COX BRANDED  
PLANES  
AND CARS**

**RC  
AIRPLANE  
SIMULATOR  
ON  
SITE**

## 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Pancake Breakfast

-- Sponsored by the Experimental Aircraft Association Chapter 107 --

### Father's Day- Sunday June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023

**8:00 AM - 12:00 Noon**



At the Marcellus Airport:  
4910 Limeledge Road  
Marcellus, NY 13108

(2 mi. NW of the village of Marcellus)



See displays by  
the ARCS  
R/C Flying Club!

Get an up-close  
look at a variety  
of aircraft!

Look at the  
antique cars on  
display!



### ALL YOU CAN EAT!

Pancakes, Eggs, Sausage,  
Coffee, Milk, Juice &  
Donuts

One free breakfast to  
each plane that flies in  
and to each antique car  
that drives in!



**Adults - \$10.00  
Under 12 - \$5.00**

#### Pilot Information

- Preferred Runway: 15/33, ~2,200 ft., Turf, Elev. 860 ft.
- UNICOM 122.800
- (Approx. 12 mi. 222° from Syr. VOR)
- Ultralights use 500 ft. alt. close-in pattern
- NK71 GPS=N-043 00.723 W-076 21.231



**YOUR PASSION. HOBBY. ONE COMMUNITY.**  
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## **Academy of Model Aeronautics National Model Aircraft Safety Code**

Effective January 1, 2018

**A model aircraft is a non-human-carrying device capable of sustained flight within visual line of sight of the pilot or spotter(s). It may not exceed limitations of this code and is intended exclusively for sport, recreation, education and/or competition. All model flights must be conducted in accordance with this safety code and related AMA guidelines, any additional rules specific to the flying site, as well as all applicable laws and regulations.**

### **As an AMA member I agree:**

- I will not fly a model aircraft in a careless or reckless manner.
- I will not interfere with and will yield the right of way to all human-carrying aircraft using AMA's See and Avoid Guidance and a spotter when appropriate.
- I will not operate any model aircraft while I am under the influence of alcohol or any drug that could adversely affect my ability to safely control the model.
- I will avoid flying directly over unprotected people, moving vehicles, and occupied structures.
- I will fly Free Flight (FF) and Control Line (CL) models in compliance with AMA's safety programming.
- I will maintain visual contact of an RC model aircraft without enhancement other than corrective lenses prescribed to me. When using an advanced flight system, such as an autopilot, or flying First-Person View (FPV), I will comply with AMA's Advanced Flight System programming.
- I will only fly models weighing more than 55 pounds, including fuel, if certified through AMA's Large Model Airplane Program.
- I will only fly a turbine-powered model aircraft in compliance with AMA's Gas Turbine Program.
- I will not fly a powered model outdoors closer than 25 feet to any individual, except for myself or my helper(s) located at the flightline, unless I am taking off and landing, or as otherwise provided in AMA's Competition Regulation.
- I will use an established safety line to separate all model aircraft operations from spectators and bystanders.

For a complete copy of AMA's Safety Handbook please visit:  
**[modelaircraft.org/files/100.pdf](http://modelaircraft.org/files/100.pdf)**