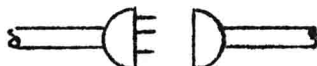


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THE NEWSLETTER OF THE AEROGUIDANCE SOCIETY

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THE PREZ SEZ: Bill Sebesta

The AGS Annual Meeting will be held Friday Evening, February 1, 7:30 pm at the Hooper School. We urge all members to attend and vote for club officers for 1974.

On behalf of the club officers for 1973, I wish to thank all members for their help during the past year.

Two of the major problems which have concerned the AGS during 1973 were the search for a new flying site and lawnmower maintenance. The status of these problems as we go into 1974 is as follows:

1. Two potential flying sites are available for lease. Progress toward acquisition of either is awaiting action by the Board of Directors.
2. The club tractor has been returned to operating condition. Further consideration of grass cutting equipment also is pending action by the Board of Directors.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

The nominating committee has nominated the following candidates for club officers:

President: Art Riegal  
Vice President: Dick Allen  
Secretary: Tom Tomasky  
                  Bill Underkoffler  
Treasurer: Bob Arnold  
Board Member at Large: Ralph Jackson  
                                  Wayne Sitler

Nominations from the floor will be accepted at the annual meeting.

ANNUAL DUES REMINDER: Frank Garger

It's that time of the year for DUES. Dues must be payed in order to be eligible to vote at the annual meeting on February 1. Dues may be payed at the January 18 and February 1 meetings or mailed to:

Frank Garger  
9 Munson St.  
RD 1, Box 142  
Conklin,  
N.Y. 13748

Checks should be made out to the Aeroguidance Society, Inc.  
Annual dues are:

Senior members: \$25  
Junior members: \$12  
Family Plan: \$5 for each Junior member in  
                  Senior member's family

ANNUAL PARTY NOTICE: Art Riegal

Hear Ye    Hear Ye

The Annual Dinner Dance will take place this year on Saturday, March 9 at King Arthur's Restaurant on Washington Avenue in Endicott.

Remember the dinner is open to all members AND GUESTS. If you have some friends you would like to have join in this evening of enjoyment and dancing, please feel free to envite as many as you like.

### 3.

Cost this year will be \$9.75 per adult and \$6.75 per Junior. This includes Dinner, Dancing, Tax and all gratuities.

Complete details will be mailed to you some time in February. To make sure you dont forget, why not mark this date on your calendar right now.

Note: Music will be provided by a five piece band that has been acclaimed by many to be the best in our area.

#### PROGRAM NOTES:

At the meeting of January 18, Don Godfrey will display his new PT-17 and discuss its features and construction techniques. In addition, Gordon Gallagher will have a new movie about some 1 to 1 size scale aircraft.

At the meeting of February 1, Terry terrenojre will show some new movies covering AGS activities in recent years.

#### AROUND THE YEAR CLUB: Myron Cary

Anyone qualifying for the Around th Year Club (Nut Club) please notify Myron Cary (Phone 785-0920) as soon as possible so that the certificates can be printed and nuts ordered from the supplier. Awards will be made at the club dinner on March 9.

#### TECHNICAL NOTE:

Bill Sebesta has a solution to a problem that may occur next spring when you are painting the model you worked on this winter. If you have trouble with condensed water when using a spray gun or air brush during high humidity conditions, put the spray gun compressor in a closed cardboard box with an electric dehumidifier unit of the type used in damp basements. Cut a hole in the box so that the only air that can get into the box goes through the dehumidifier. Put the compressor inlet next to the dehumidifier outlet.

Bill has found that this arrangement supplies sufficient dry air to the compressor to prevent formation of water drops in the spray.

AMA NEWS:

These items are from the December AMA monthly mailing.

The 1974 National Model Airplane Championships will be held August 5 through 11 at Lake Charles, Louisiana.

The FAI Scale and Indoor World Championships will be held July 1 to 7 at Lakehurst Naval Air Station, New Jersey. In addition to the indoor events and RC and Control Line Scale, International class events will be held for RC Soaring and Pylon Racing. Another event scheduled for Lakehurst that week is the Old Timer Nationals for free flight models to be held July 2-4.

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