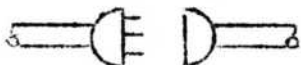


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THE PREZ SEZ: Stan Bogaczyk

The AGS annual meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, February 10 7:30 pm at the Hooper School. The main item of business will be the election of officers for the coming year. All voting members who have paid their 1976 dues (\$30) are eligible to vote.

A nominating committee was appointed to insure that there is at least one qualified and willing candidate for each office. The nominating committee has presented a slate of officers. Nominations from the floor can also be made by any member at election time.

In this last message, I want to thank the board members, those who took on committee assignments and all other members who took the time to work for the club this past year. Rather than summarize, I will just say it was a busy year and your support and cooperation were a big help to me and this administration.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS:

The slate of officers presented by the nominating committee in last month's Connector is repeated here.

President: Terry Terrenoire  
 Vice President: Ron Grodevant  
 Treasurer: Bill Underkofler  
 Secretary: Reid Donlon  
 Board Member at Large: John Seitz

MEETING PROGRAM: Dick Allen

The program title for the February meeting is:

Things to do in the winter to make sure you can fly in the spring.

It will cover the following items:

- 1.. RC system maintenance you can do yourself (Ralph Jackson)
2. Battery Maintenance (Stan Bogaczyk)
3. Engine Maintenance (Bill Underkofler)

ELECTION CAMPAIGN: Terry Terrenoire

As you know, I have been nominated for president for the coming year. My campaign platform is presented here. If elected, I will try, with the help of the AGS membership, to meet the following objectives this year.

1. Develop the new field and road.
2. Conduct two first class contests.
3. Keep the name of the AGS in front of the public by continuing to promote speaking engagements and flying demonstrations.
4. Hold monthly club activities ant the flying field during the flying season.
5. Expand intra-club competition and flight status by adopting a more formal achievement program.
6. Submit operating budgets at March meeting.
7. Organize, promote and staff a static display and raffle at the Oakdale Mall June 18 to July 9.

PROPOSED OAKDALE MALL EXHIBIT: Terry Terrenoire

This adds further information to the Oakdale Mall proposal which was presented at the January meeting.

The basic proposal is to combine a static model aircraft display with a raffle conducted at the Oakdale Mall during the three weeks preceding the AGS contest July 10 and 11.

The purpose is to raise funds for developing the new field and road and to insure availability of funds to meet the first installment of payments of the club bonds which will be due in October.

The current plan is to raffle a motorcycle which can be obtained at dealer's cost. To meet legal requirements for this type of activity, the raffle tickets will also be advance sale tickets to the contest. Our lawyer provided this recommendation.

**Status:**

The Mall manager has given approval for the static display and ticket sales. Motorcycle dealers have been contacted and will cooperate.

**Needed:**

Approval of the membership and board of directors. In addition, a commitment is required of members sufficient to man a booth at the Mall for fifteen evenings and three Saturdays. This would involve two people from 6 to 9:30 each evening and three people from 10 am to 9:30 pm on Saturdays.

For planning purposes it is necessary to know how many people will be available and when they can be at the Mall.

Please fill out the questionnaire on page 4 and bring it to the February meeting or mail it to Terry Terrenoire.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Night/s you can man booth. Give preference for the day of the week. \_\_\_\_\_

Which Saturday can you assist? \_\_\_\_\_

What do you think of the overall project? Please make any additional comments you may feel are appropriate.