



The Syracuse Rocket Club

TRA Prefecture #053
NAR Section #566



CLUB MEETING MINUTES **June 2007**

In attendance: Dave, Rich, George, Elaine, Dennis, James, Jack, and Ron.

Last meeting's ACTION ITEMS

1. Rich to find out if Ron submitted FAA waiver – yes he did.
2. Dennis to get point of contact info on new member packet – yes he did
3. Dave to get NAR membership list for mailings to George – no he didn't
4. Choose launch themes for this years launches – still on hold (sort of)
5. Dave to look into a new bank account for SRC – still on hold

SEMI- OLD BUSINESS

1: Rocket Team Challenge update – Was a big success. WE are looking forward to next years.

2 Update on the NIKE Smoke – We are almost finished with the build. 2 more build dates and the rocket will be finished. The painting team will meet Friday the 15 of June and get a game plan together. The electronics are being ordered. It will be ready by the NY Power in Geneseo. We are going to schedule the launch in for July 28th because it will be televised. Lots of media will be there because it was built by High School kids with the guidance of SRC. Lockheed Martin is one of the largest contributors.

Please read the latest newsletters and minutes to get more info, or email/call any club officer. This will be an awesome event.... We guarantee it!

3. Yellow table banner is here and will be used at all SRC events. It will attach to tables or overhead canopies. You can see a picture of it on the Web site.

4. The new launch site sign is in the ground and looks FABULOUS! See a picture on the web site or drive by Weigand's before the next launch.

Finances - We now have \$111.00 on account. Had to pay for a two year renewal for the web site, the payback to members for items needed at launches, and some other stuff that I didn't write in.

New Business

1. We will have one member or two learn to set up, tear down, and run the launches at each launch this year. It was brought up that only two or three know how to do this. Jack Gelfand will be the first to learn. He will show up at the June 23rd launch along with Dave and learn from Dave.

- a) George and Elaine will be next (July launch)
- b) James Shattell will be next.
- c) If anyone is interested in learning how to do this please let us know. We will fit you in!!!

2. There will be a 50/50 drawing and possibly a rocket kit raffle at all the launches this year! Come on be a WINNER!!!

3. The PA system needs to be fixed. It has been determined that it is not the microphone. Rich will look into it.

4. The launch Captains for this year are:

June 23rd – Dave Harbaugh

July 21st – Elaine and George, with Dave or Rich teaching.

Aug – TBD

Sept – TBD

Oct – TBD

The rest of the meeting was adhering the letters and graphics to the launch site sign.

Dave will be launch director at the next launch on the 23rd of June – with Jack Gelfand by his side (like glue)

FYI...

1. If anyone knows of a way to get a port a potty onto the launch site that wouldn't cost too much please email any club officers

NEXT MEETING JULY 21st