

The Syracuse Rocket Club

TRA Prefecture #053 NAR Section #566



March 7, 2007 Meeting Walt's Hobby Shop

Attendee's: Rich, Dave, Dennis, Ron, Elaine, George, and Cheryl Costa

New members: We have new members to SRC... Cheryl Costa, Linda Poore, and Alan Miracle. What a pleasant surprise to have so many new members. If at any time you wish to attend meetings, you are always welcome. *Come, sit a spell, take your shoes off...*.

1. Treasury report: \$574. It was also discussed that Dennis needs a printer for club use. Rich to give him one of his.

2. New signage: A discussion about having a new sign made for the launch site at Weigand's Farm. Also discussed a transportable sign for events. Elaine to contact <u>Grafix and Stuff</u> for pricing.

3. Discussed the preliminary meeting at The Most: Those present are going to the presentation on March 11 at The Most. This meeting is for workers/sponsors for more in depth information on the Rocket Team Challenge and The Nike Smoke project. SRC is coordinator/guider to these events. Please see the SRC newsletter, "What's Up" Spring edition for more information. We need your help with both these projects. They are both very fun and challenging events for everyone!

a. The Nike Smoke has been purchased and will be delivered ASAP.

b. Cheryl may video events; She has credentials and everything!!!!!

4. FAA Waiver needs to be submitted for this year. Ron to address this. The waiver permits us to fly rockets weighing more than 3.3 lbs combined lift off weight for SRC launches.

5. Cheryl Costa commented that the new member packet was very useful. She stated that there was no Point of Contact info in it. This is being addressed.

6. A list of Tripoli, NAR members was given to George for inclusion into the memberships drive mailer.

- a. George has a list of all scouting groups to send mailers to.
 - b. Elaine has a letter almost ready for these mailers.

These mailers will be mailed out as a membership drive in April. FYI... In the interim The Most will be mailing out 100's of invites and may be including our mailer with theirs. Let's keep our fingers crossed!

ACTION ITEMS

- 1. Ron to ask Jennifer about how to get Cheryl into the listserve
- 2. Ron to submit this years FAA waiver
- 3. Elaine to get signage estimates
- 4. Elaine to keep members updated that can't make the meetings via listserve

5. Elaine to finish membership drive letter. Meeting adjourned at 8pm NEXT MEETING WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 7PM AT WALT'S HOBBY

This will be an equipment maintenance meeting. Dave/Rich will bring all SRC equipment they have and it will be checked.