

# Contest Rules And Regulations

13th Annual National Soaring Contest

Harris Hill, Elmira, N. Y.

August 3-18, inclusive

*Sponsored by Elmira Contest Committee  
Sanctioned by The Soaring Society of America, Inc.*

## I. Time and Place

1. The Thirteenth Annual National Soaring Contest will *officially* open with a pilots' meeting on Saturday, August 3, at 9:30 A. M., Eastern Daylight Saving Time, at Harris Hill, Elmira, New York, and will *officially* close on Sunday, August 18, and barographs must be in by 3:00 P. M., Eastern Daylight Saving Time, *for credit on point awards*.

2. There will be a practice period for pilots wishing to make use of it, commencing Monday, July 29, and continuing until sunset Friday, August 2. This will be under the supervision of the Contest Board. Launching facilities, official timers, and cabin space will be available for all pilots wishing to come to Elmira early. This will give those who do not have them a chance to earn their "C" and CAA certificates—these must be earned before entering the Contest.

## II. Entry of Pilots

1. Any properly certificated pilot may enter *provided* he is an active member of The Soaring Society of America. Non-SSA members may join on arrival at Elmira. (Dues are \$4.00 per year.)

2. Cabin space will be available for approximately 100 persons at Harris Hill. Only *registered* contestants and *bona fide* crew members are to use cabins. Space will be allotted in the order in which applications are received. There will be a fee of 50c per night per person for cabin space. Each occupant must furnish his own bedding.

## III. Contestants

1. A contestant is defined as a pilot who has been duly entered in the Thirteenth Annual National Soaring Contest.

2. To be duly entered as a contestant, a pilot needs to fill out and submit a contestant's application form showing that he has complied with the contest requirements as to possessing the necessary certificates.

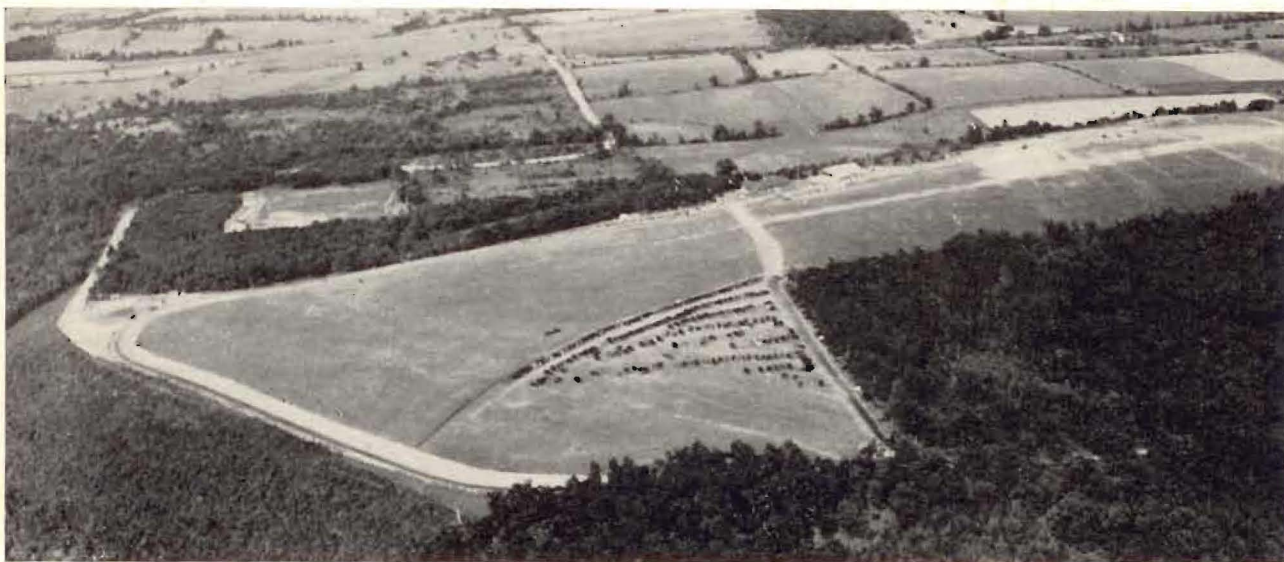
3. To be accepted the contestant's application form must show that the applicant possesses a glider certificate issued by the Civil Aeronautics Administration; a "C" soaring certificate issued by The Soaring Society of America; certified log books must be presented at time of arrival; *applicants may be required to demonstrate their ability* before an official of the Contest Committee to properly and safely fly their gliders on the airport and on Harris Hill. Every effort will be made to qualify all applicants either before the Contest or, as convenient, during the Contest.

4. If the pilot is *under twenty-one (21) years of age*, he must present in writing his parents' or guardian's consent to his participation.

5. Contestants from other countries must present certificates equivalent to those issued by Civil Aeronautics Administration.

## IV. Entry of Gliders

1. There is no restriction as to the number or types of gliders that may be entered in the Thirteenth



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