

# INTERNATIONAL F.A.I. BADGES FOR SOARING

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## GOLD C

- 75 - Robert E. Kruse
- 76 - Robert G. Joppa
- 77 - Otto Zauner

## SILVER C

- 309 - James P. Meckoll
- 310 - Bertha M. Ryan
- 311 - John E. Oates
- 312 - Dean Svec
- 313 - Robert A. Maiden
- 314 - Raymond W. Proenneke
- 315 - Marion S. Griffith, Jr.

## C BADGE

- 1484 - Willis L. Webb
- 1485 - William R. Padgett
- 1486 - Allan O. Worth
- 1487 - Robert H. Bushnell
- 1488 - Frank M. Fox
- 1489 - James M. Phillips
- 1490 - William R. Boehlke
- 1491 - Douglas R. Erwin
- 1492 - William B. Snead
- 1493 - Ira Lopata
- 1494 - Orville C. Mitchell
- 1495 - Edward L. Blalock
- 1496 - Michael Mangan
- 1497 - Clark M. Rosenblum
- 1498 - Siegfried L. Feuersanger
- 1499 - Frank Martinez
- 1500 - Raymond A. Heisler
- 1501 - Irving Taylor
- 1502 - Bernard Gross
- 1503 - Lester L. Hiebert
- 1504 - Charles M. Drew
- 1505 - Harry C. Gronberg
- 1506 - William C. Holbrook
- 1507 - Robert K. Poling
- 1508 - Alf R. Tiberg
- 1509 - Alfred E. Werner
- 1510 - Jimmie M. Craig
- 1511 - Ray Bishop
- 1512 - Vernon A. Sutfin
- 1513 - Thor Olsen
- 1514 - Clyde M. McCarthy

## DIAMOND C LEGS

- Leslie R. Arnold - Dist.
- Hugh P. Bikle - Goal
- Robert S. Gomes - Goal
- Rudolf W. Mozer - Goal
- John J. Randall - Goal

## FAI AWARDS

Applications for FAI Soaring Awards should be mailed to SSA, Box 66071, Los Angeles 66, Calif.

## GOLD C LEGS

- Dorothy Jean Arnold - Alt.
- John Bierens - Alt.
- Hugh J. Bikle - Dist.
- James D. Carlin - Alt.
- Christopher M. Drew - Alt.
- Robert S. Gomes - Dist.
- William E. Harris - Alt.
- Robert G. Joppa - Alt., Dist.
- E. D. McClanahan, Jr. - Alt., Dist.
- Rudolf W. Mozer - Alt., Dist.
- Raymond W. Proenneke - Alt.
- John J. Randall - Dist.
- Edwin deS. Snead - Alt.
- William B. Snead - Alt.
- Otto Zauner - Alt.

## SILVER C LEGS

- Dorothy Jean Arnold - Alt., Dist.
- William R. Boehlke - Alt.
- Walter F. Briggs - Dist.
- Robert F. Carlson - Dist.
- Guenther H. Christiansen - Dist., Dur.
- Gleb Derujinsky, Jr. - Alt.
- Helen R. Dick - Dur.
- Harold Drew - Dist.
- Siegfried L. Feuersanger - Dur.
- Robert S. Gomes - Dist.
- Marion S. Griffith, Jr. - Dur.
- Lester L. Hiebert - Alt.
- James E. Jackson - Dist., Dur.
- Robert D. Kellner - Alt.
- Robert A. Maiden - Alt., Dist., Dur.
- John E. Oates - Dist.
- James C. Reilly - Dur.
- John C. Seymour - Dur.
- Theodore E. Sharp - Alt.
- Mr. Beverly D. Smith - Alt.
- William B. Snead - Alt., Dist.
- Dean Svec - Dist.
- Mervyn G. Wenzel - Dist.
- Wallace Wyatt - Dur.

## NOW EFFECTIVE! 6 MONTH DEADLINE

As of October 1, 1958, applications for FAI soaring awards must be mailed to SSA with a postmark date less than six months from the date of the flight or they will not be honored. This will eliminate discrepancies at the time badges are completed and insure the correct assignment of numbers. Approved legs are kept in a pending file by SSA until badge requirements are completed.

# SSA NEWS

## DIRECTORS' MEETING

The SSA Board of Directors held one of their semi-annual meetings on August 7, 1958, at Bishop, Calif.

Some of the points of general interest that were covered at the meeting are summarized below.

Floyd Sweet submitted his resignation as a Regional Director in region four and it was accepted.

The five Directors-at-Large for the calendar year of 1959 were elected as follows: Maj. William R. Fuchs, Joseph M. Robertson, Dr. Harner Selvidge, Lt. Cdr. T. E. Sharp and Lt. Col. Floyd J. Sweet. If any of these people are elected this fall as Regional Directors, the Board of Directors will elect replacements for their Director-at-Large positions.

Officers were elected for the calendar year of 1959 as follows:

President . . Dr. Harner Selvidge  
Vice-Presidents . Paul A. Schweizer  
Joseph C. Lincoln  
Secretary . . Joseph M. Robertson  
Treasurer . . Lt. Cdr. T. E. Sharp  
General Counsel . . David A. Matlin

The allocations committee submitted a report on the distribution of SSA voting members and Regional Directors and recommended a number of changes which were officially adopted. Western Missouri and the state of Kansas are now part of region 10, which will have its Regional Director quota increased to two. The area of region 4 has been incorporated into region 2, which will retain its present quota of three Regional Directors. The designation of "region 4" has been withdrawn and is being held for future use in the event of increased activity there. North Dakota and South Dakota were moved into region 7. Elections this fall will be for one Regional Director in each of regions 2, 3, 5, 6 and 10 and two in region 12. It was pointed out that some small inequities would always exist but any group which feels it is not properly represented should hustle around and get itself some more voting members.

The Treasurer's report was encouraging and showed that the Society is operating close to the break-even point, not including contributions. A slight increase in membership will put SSA on a self-sustain-