

International Team Fund

The Soaring Society of America, Inc., plans to send a full team of three pilots, sailplanes and supporting personnel to the 1963 World Soaring Championships next February in Argentina.

The funds to send the team are being solicited from interested members, clubs and industry since no regular SSA monies may be used for this purpose.

Contributions should be sent to SSA, Box 66071, Los Angeles 66, Calif. Make checks payable to SSA and mark them for the SSA International Team Fund. All contributions to SSA are tax-deductible by the contributors in arriving at their taxable income.

To date, only \$426 has been contributed to the fund. With a budget of at least \$8000, not including transportation expenses which are expected to be borne by the host country, we have a long way to go.

Names of contributors since those published previously appear below. If you desire to be counted as a supporter of this cause, act now!

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British and Polish Teams Chosen

The names of the pilots who will represent Britain and Poland at the World Soaring Championships in Argentina next February have been announced as follows:

For Britain, Capt. Nicholas Goodhart, RN, and Sgt. John Williamson, RAF, both to fly Slingsby Skylark 4's in the Open Class, and Brig. Anthony Deane-Drummond, who will fly an Elliotts Olympia 463 in the Standard Class. Reserve pilots are Philip Wills in the Open Class and P. G. Burgess and G. E. Burton in the Standard Class.

The Polish pilots will be Edward Makula and Jerzy Popiel in the Open Class and Jerzy Adamek in the Standard Class, with Jozef Pieczewski and Adam Witek in reserve.

C BADGES

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(For soaring flights of 5 minutes or more made before Sept. 4, 1962.)

September 16 through October 22, 1962

2887—Don N. Kersten; 1-26
2888—John G. Rech; 2-22
2889—Charles T. McKinnie, Jr.;
Grunau Baby IIB
2890—Kenneth R. Byers; 1-26
2891—Robert Wright; P-R
2892—N. H. Verne Jobst; 2-22C
2893—Dale L. Cospers; 2-22C
2894—Anthony E. Linck; Ka-7
2895—Walter C. Marsh; BG-12A
2896—John T. Adams; 2-22C
2897—Wayne F. Robinson; 1-26
2898—R. J. Duncan; 2-22C

A, B, AND C BADGE AWARDS INCREASING

After a rather slow start, awarding of A, B and C Badges has gradually moved into high gear. Several applications are now being received each week. As might be expected, the bulk of the applications are for the A Badge but a number of B's and several C's have been awarded.

Applications for SSA Instructor appointments continue to come in. In the period from September 15th to October 15th four additional clubs applied for and received their "do-it-yourself" soaring award kits, bringing the total to 20.

The four clubs are:
Long Island Soaring Assn.

SSA Instructor: Rolf Bahrenberg
Tarheel Soaring Club
SSA Instructor: Emerson Ford
Boeing Employees Soaring Club
SSA Instructor: Frank Woodward
Topeka Soaring Club
SSA Instructor: Wm. J. Oliver

Two more groups have received approval of instructors and will be officially enrolled in the ABC Program as soon as their deposits are received. The June, 1962, issue of *Soaring* contains a complete description of the program and full details for making it a part of your local activities.

Calendar

Items listed in bold face type are to be sanctioned by SSA.

Nov. 23-25. Snowbird Soaring Contest, Harris Hill, Elmira, N.Y.

Nov. 30-Dec. 1. FAI Gliding Committee (CVSM) Meeting, Paris, France.

Jan. 12-13. SSA Directors' Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.

Feb. 11-21. IXth OSTIV Congress, Junin, Argentina.

Feb. 11-25. 1963 World Soaring Championships, Junin, Argentina.

May 30-June 2. 4th Annual Cumberland Soaring Meet, Municipal Airport, Cumberland, Md.

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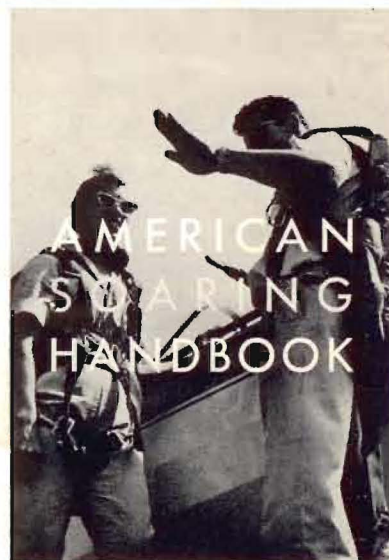
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