

C BADGES

ISSUED BY SSA

July 16 through August 15, 1962

2774 - Herbert W. Orth; 2-22C
 2775 - Kenneth M. Livingstone, Jr.; 2-22
 2776 - Eli Caicuts; BG-12A
 2777 - Charles G. Ritter; 1-26
 2778 - Edwin R. Collin; 1-26
 2779 - Richard P. Winnen; 2-22
 2780 - Roland J. Zavada; 1-26
 2781 - John M. Brittingham; 2-22C
 2782 - Paul R. Robinson; L-K
 2783 - Wallace L. Wilson; 2-22C
 2784 - Wilbur A. Hahn; M-1
 2785 - Patricia R. Lambart; 1-26
 2786 - Harry S. McCarthy, Jr.; 1-26
 2787 - Rudolph W. Rudd; 1-26
 2788 - William A. Schell; 1-26
 2789 - Tibor Szabo; TG-3A
 2790 - John D. Plank; 1-19
 2791 - William M. Riddlespurger; 2-22C
 2792 - Henry G. Combs; 2-22C
 2793 - T. Michael Porter; TG-3A
 2794 - Charles L. Jones; 1-26
 2795 - Trafford L. M. Doherty; 2-22C
 2796 - J. Emott Caldwell; 1-26
 2797 - Constantin A. Marinin; 1-26
 2798 - Robert R. Stone; 1-26
 2799 - Frederik K. Nieuwenhuijs; P-R
 2800 - Donald G. Showalter; Cherokee II
 2801 - James W. Leland; 1-26
 2802 - Allan K. Steele; 2-22C
 2803 - Dan L. Meisinger; 1-26
 2804 - Margaret Ann Pedigo; 2-22C
 2805 - Herbert Blades; 2-22
 2806 - James R. Burk; 2-22
 2807 - Fred W. Mitchell; 1-26
 2808 - Eric A. Grandjean; TG-3A
 2809 - William H. Jepson; 1-26
 2810 - Gabriel H. Mayorga; 1-26
 2811 - Harry Frank; 1-23H-15
 2812 - Patricia Hange; 1-26
 2813 - Albert A. Galli; 1-26
 2814 - William J. Danco; 2-22C

ABC Program First A Badge Awarded

David W. Berry, 15, of Louisville, Kentucky, has become the first pilot to qualify for an A Badge under SSA's new ABC program. His solo flight on August 4, 1962, completed the requirements. SSA Instructor Carl Zett of the Falls City Soaring Club presented the award.

If your club or school is not now part of the program, don't wait any longer. Issuing of the old 5-minute C Badges ended Sept. 3, 1962. Henceforth, A, B and C Badges can only be issued by approved SSA Instructors. Have your school or club apply at once or you might miss out on your Badges. Clubs need not be SSA Chapters to take part in the program. (See the June, 1962 *Soaring* for complete details.)

Between July 15th and August 15th the following organizations were approved for participation in the program:

Sooner Soaring Society
 SSA Instructor:
 Donald O. Burnworth
 Schweizer Soaring School
 SSA Instructor
 Bernie Carris
 Hamm's Flying Service
 SSA Instructor:
 Gene Hamm
 Capital Area Soaring School
 SSA Instructor:
 John R. Smith

This brings the total of approved organizations to eight.

The ABC Program offers a complete, integrated program of instruction for student training, both with and without the use of power instruction. Badge awards at suitable steps in the course offer the student immediate goals.

Organizations desiring to participate in this program should apply to

the SSA Flight Training Subcommittee, as per instructions in the June, 1962, issue of *Soaring*.

Calendar

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

Sept. 1-3. Southwestern States & Texas State Soaring Championships, TSA Gliderport, 7 mi. S. of Grand Prairie Texas.

Sept. 1-3. Western Gateway Soaring Contest, Civic Memorial Airport, Alton, Illinois.

Sept. 1-3. 8th Annual Schweizer 1-26 One-Design Soaring Regatta, Harris Hill, Elmira, N.Y.

Sept. 29-30. Fall Soaring Roundup, Skypark Airport, Chillicothe, O.

Oct. 22-24. National Aeronautic Association, Annual Meeting, Statler-Hilton Hotel, Washington, D.C.

Oct. 24, 3:00 P.M. Dedication of Soaring Award Plaques, Smithsonian National Air Museum, Washington, D.C.

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

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

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

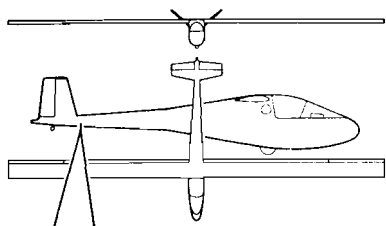
Feb. 11-25. 1963 World Soaring Championships, Junin, Argentina.

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

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