

## CALENDAR

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

Jan. 21-22, S3C (So. Calif. Competition Club) Workshop, including a 1-26 contest, Skylark Field, Elsinore, Calif.

**Jan. 28-29, SSA Directors' meeting, La Valencia Hotel, La Jolla, Calif.**

Feb. 4, Meeting of CVSM (FAI's Gliding Committee), Paris, France.

Feb. 25-26, 21st Annual Pacific Coast Midwinter Soaring Championships, Torrey Pines Gliderport, 12 mi. N. of San Diego, Calif. (Rain dates March 3-4.)

March 18, 4th Annual Gold Badge Pilots Dinner, Disneyland Hotel, Anaheim, Calif.

**May 13, SSA Technical Symposium on Soaring, AIAA Building, 7660 Beverly Blvd., Los Angeles, California.**

June 20-30, 19th Annual Canadian National Soaring Championships, Hawkesbury, Ontario.

### WAVE FLIGHTS

**Colorado Springs, Colo.—Elev., 7200'**

Nov. 5; David Kolstad; 14,300' to 29,100' (14,800'); 1-26; 2:35 hr.; to earn Gold alt.

Nov. 14; Richard Coapman; 15,000' to 26,000' (11,000'); 1-26; 2:40 hr.; to earn Gold alt. and complete Gold badge.

Nov. 16, James Bradley; 10,800' to 25,600' (14,800'); 2-32; 3:00 hr. to earn Gold alt.

Nov. 16; Quentin Kuether; 13,900' to 26,900' (13,000'); 1-26; 2:00 hr.; to earn Gold alt.

Nov. 16; Charles Forrester; 14,900' to 30,000' (15,100'); 1-26; 2:25 hr.; to earn Gold alt. and complete Gold badge.

Nov. 25, Hal Lattimore; 12,200' to 25,000' (12,800'); 1-26; 1:27 hr.; to earn Gold alt. and complete Gold badge.

Nov. 25; Lloyd Goss; 11,000' to 23,900' (12,900'); 1-26; 2:01 hr.; to earn Gold alt., and complete Gold badge.

Dec. 3; Theodore Slack; 12,100' to 32,500' (20,400'); 1-26; 3:21 hr.; to earn Dia. and Gold alt.

Dec. 3; Fay Edwards; 11,200' to 32,700' (21,500'); 2-32; 2:26 hr.; to earn Dia. and Gold alt. and complete Gold badge.

### ELSEWHERE

Oct. 21; Marc Abell; Morrisville, Vt.; airport, 732'; 2882' to 13,732' (10,850'); SHK-1; 4:55 hr.; to earn Gold alt.

Oct. 29; Philip James; Warren, Vt.; airport, 1450'; 4200' to 15,500' (11,300'); HP-11A; 1:25 hr.; to earn Gold alt.

Oct. 29; Gene Wilburn; Frederick, Md.; airport, 304'; 3300' to 16,300' (13,000'); 1-26; 1:40 hr.; to earn Gold alt. and complete Gold badge.

## NEW SCHWEIZER TWO PLACE

A recent press release from the Schweizer Aircraft Corp. contains mention of a new two-place training glider, the 2-33, which was to have been introduced at the company's annual dealers' meeting in November. The new glider is designed to fill the gap between the 2-22 and 2-32. Details are to be made available soon.

Oct. 30; Henry V. Chase; Warren, Vt.; airport, 1450'; 5950' to 16,750' (10,800'); 1-26; 1:50 hr.; to earn Gold alt.

Oct. 30; Eric Tasker; N. Conway, N.H.; airport 495'; 7333' to 24,000' (16,667'); 1-23H-15; 1:50 hr.; to earn Dia. and Gold alt.

Nov. 21; Carle C. Conway, Jr.; Pearblossom, Calif.; airport, 3420'; 5950' to 24,000' (18,050'); 1-26; 2:36 hr.; to earn Dia. and Gold alt.

## Long Soaring Flights

Information received by SSA indicates that the following soaring flights of over 150 miles have been made recently.

### FLIGHTS IN EXCESS OF 150 MILES

May 30; Hod Taylor; 172 mi.; from Lincoln to Fresno, Calif.; SH-1; 6:00 hr.; contest flight.

July 20; Jack Rodebaugh; 230 mi.; from Jefferson to Portsmouth, Ohio; 1-26; 7:25 hr.; to earn Gold dist.

July 30; Joe Colton; 170 mi.; from El Mirage, Calif., to Jackass Flats, Nev.; 1-26; 5:40 hr.; try for Gold dist.

Sept. 4; Robert Yates; 235 mi.; from Randolph, Minn., to Freeport, Ill.; K-6CR; 4:30 hr.; goal flight but barograph stopped.

Flights by George Moffat, Jr., other than at Nationals; April 17, 189-mi. out and return from Wurtsboro; May 30, 176-mi. out and return from Wurtsboro; Aug. 1, 225 mi. triangle from Marfa; Aug. 5, 180-mi. triangle from Marfa; 18 other flights from 50 to 150 miles each.

### SO. CALIF. REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Sept. 3 — Distance Task, 96-mi. out and return plus open leg.

Graham Thomson, 374 mi., Libelle.

Sterling Starr, 374 mi., 1-23HM.

Paul Bikle, 374 mi., SHK.

William Ivans, 324 mi., Sisu 1A.

Harry Wuenstel, 324 mi., Libelle.

John Williams, 292 mi., Zugvogel 3B.

Bud Mears, 241 mi., Prue Std.

Elemer Katinsky, 219 mi., Libelle.

Charles Drew, 214 mi., BG-12A.

George Uveges, 214 mi., BG-12C.

Hod Taylor, 206 mi., SH-1.

Carl Walters, 199 mi., 1-23D.

Alan Leffler, 199 mi., LM-1.

Richard Fellner, 186 mi., Zugvogel 3A.

Fred Robinson, 170 mi., 1-26.

Pete Petersen, 161 mi., Fauvette.

Royce Stauffer, 158 mi., HP-11.

Joe Colton, 152 mi., 1-26.

Sept. 5 — Distance Task, 221-mi. triangle plus last leg extended.

Graham Thomson, 345 mi., Libelle.

Paul Bikle, 320 mi., SHK.

Bud Mears, 284 mi., Prue Std.

Sterling Starr, 264 mi., 1-23HM.

Elemer Katinsky, 264 mi., Libelle.

Harry Wuenstel, 264 mi., Libelle.

## SYMPOSIUM DATE

May 13, 1967, has been set as the date for the coming Technical Symposium. As in the past the meeting place will be the AIAA Building, 7660 Beverly Blvd. in Los Angeles. An admission fee of one dollar will probably be required to help offset expenses. Additional details concerning the symposium will appear at a later date.

Charles Drew, 242 mi., BG-12A.  
John Williams, 221 mi., Zugvogel 3B.  
Alan Leffler, 214 mi., LM-1.  
Hod Taylor, 208 mi., SH-1.  
Richard Fellner, 198 mi., Zugvogel 3A.  
Royce Stauffer, 198 mi., HP-11.  
George Uveges, 198 mi., BG-12C.  
Joe Colton, 180 mi., 1-26.  
Pete Petersen, 169 mi., Fauvette.

## Materials Available

The Soaring Society of America has a variety of items available on a free distribution basis, as follows (request by item number or name from SSA, Box 66071, Los Angeles 66, Calif.):

Item 3. FAI Soaring Awards Appl. Form.

Item 4. SSA Membership Appl. Form. (Postage-paid business-reply envelope.)

Item 6. "SOARING . . . The S.S.A. . . . and YOU" pamphlet. Tells about the activity, glider pilot certificates, how soaring is organized, SSA, and how to get started in soaring.

Item 7. List of Soaring Clubs (for each SSA region). Gives club addresses, meeting information, flying sites and contact persons. Specify states desired.

Item 8. List of Manufacturers and Suppliers of Plans, Kits, Partially-Completed and Ready-to-fly Gliders and Sailplanes—U.S. Manufacturer. Includes brief description of each sailplane, price, and manufacturer's name and address. New equipment only.

Item 9. List of Soaring Schools and Commercial Glider Operators in the U.S. (for 3 Zones, E., Central, W.). Gives location, equipment and prices, where known.

Item 10. List of Books on Soaring. Gives price, brief description and source.

Item 17. World Soaring Records and U.S. National Soaring Records, as of 5-1-66.

Item 23. SSA Merchandise Order Form.

Item 24. Incorporation Procedures — Calif. Shows nonprofit clubs how to incorporate, with specific details for Calif.

Item 25. Suggested Bylaws for Soaring Clubs. For clubs being formed only.

Item 28. Used Sailplanes For Sale List. Latest revision date is April 19.

Item 30. List of Films Available (for rent) from the SSA Film Library.

Item 37. List of Foreign Sailplanes Available. Sources, prices and specs.

Item 38. How to Start a Soaring Club. Six pages of suggestions.

Item 39. State Soaring Records Rules and Application Form.

Item 41. SSA Chapters. Lists benefits and policies and tells how a club may apply for SSA Chapter status.

Item 42. List of Foreign Aero Clubs and Soaring Centers. Sources of information about soaring abroad.