

MARCH 1976?

HARBOR SOARING SOCIETY

H.S.S. Meeting, April 7, at 7:30 P.M. We will have films at the meeting by members of contests, fun flying and on board films made from a model sailplane.

May H.S.S. Meeting will feature a noted geographer on the subject of micro meteorology as related to model sailplanes.

In October H.S.S. will hold an auction so start collecting those items you want to sell.

contests

H.S.S. CONTEST will be held on SUNDAY, APRIL 11th. at 9:30 A.M. There will be 2 rounds of Distance - 4 minutes maximum time on course and one must enter course within 4 minutes. Round 3 - 10 min. duration with spot landing.

DECALS AND PATCHES ARE AVAILABLE. Decals 5 cents and 50 cents, Patches 60 cents.

CONTEST 3

PLACE	CONTESTANT	PTS.		
1.	Jim Wiseman	305		
2.	Tom Jones	279		
3.	Bob Thacker	257		
4.	Matt Ontko	254	TRESURERS REPORT	MARCH 1976
5.	Scott Miller	252		
6.	Dave Oberman	251	OLD BALANCE	\$205.04
7.	Gordon Ritschke	250	Income	65.50
8.	Jim White	227	Expenses	<u>67.36</u>
9.	Phil Harris	208		
10.	Dave McNay	200	New Balance	\$203.18

ADS AND SERVICES

FOR SALE....Floater G-110 Kit \$28.00 Jim Wiseman 525-5527.

CLUB MEETING NOTES

The Costa Mesa Police have asked us to notify them of anyone trying to sell "cut rate" Hobie Hawlks. All large number of them with radios were recently stolen from Hobie Enterprises. If in doubt, Joe Collins has a list of the serial numbers.

Everyone is asked to help out in our membership drive by signing up on new member. A membership kit containing map of flying sites, A.M.A. application, and club application is available from Joe Collins or Jim White. Pick one up.

Everyone is asked to observe the safety rules adopted by the Steering Committee. Copies were passed out at the meeting and more are available on request. June 27 is the date we will hold a tour SC² Soaring Contest. Many volunteers will be needed, also a contest director, any takers?

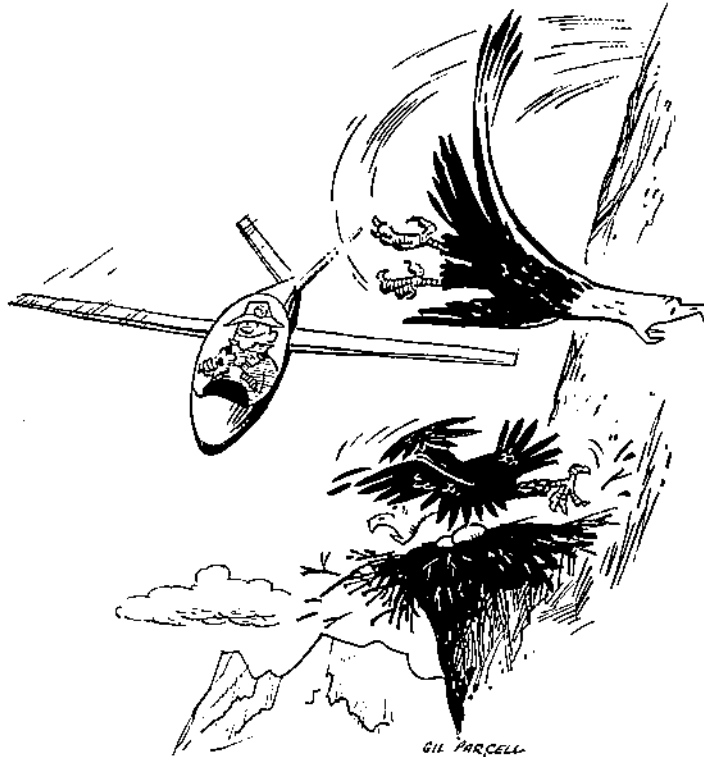
Featured speaker at the meeting was Dick Shilling who gave a very interesting talk on "How to help the beginner" and also filled us in on the F.A.I. rules. Many thanks Dick.

MARCH BOARD MEETING

Board voted to purchase 10 wood plaques suitable for mounting the monthly contest award plates. These plaques to be awarded to each months contest winners with a limit of one plaque per person per year.

Jim White opened discussion of whether or not we should institute an instructor program for the beginner similar to what the San Fernando Valley Silent Flyers have as explained by Dick Schilling at the March club meeting. Consensus of opinion was that we should have a program. For a start the board will look into supplying "Instructor" badges for those members willing to act as instructors on weekends. More on this later.

Board voted to allow use of one Hi-start in addition to the winches at the monthly contest for those members who prefer that type of launch. In addition the club will pay \$1.00 per contest to the member who's Hi-start is used. The contest director will decide which Hi-start to use.



"Look out, Alice! Here it comes again!"

SPECIAL COMPETITION EVENT

JUNE 13, 1976 AT ESTANCIA

2 meter (78 3/4") maximum wingspan.

EVENTS - #1 - Speed - one lap (round trip) of the football field.

#2 - 2 Minute flight with landing points.

#3 - 5 Minute flight with landing points.

Light hi-starts (regular lengths) will be furnished, no winches. Glider must weigh the same for all three events. No other weight restrictions.

The event will not count toward H.S.S. points.

Trophies will be awarded for first three places.

Joint C.D.s - Bob Hansen & Leo Lake

Plan your plane and start building now.