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# The Society Column

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## FROM THE EDITOR

On behalf of SEAM, The Orange County DC Fliers, and the officers of Harbor Soaring Society, I would like to thank all the Harbor members that helped in our FAI-F3B contest on April 17th. It was well run, and a complete success!!

I would like to add a special THANK YOU to all the families of the people who provided our European guests with a place to stay for eight days. Your kindness and generosity will never be forgotten. As one man told me, he felt like a member of the family, not a house guest.

**MAY CLUB MEETING**

Our meeting for May will be on Wed. May 4th at 7:30 PM at The Costa Mesa Consolidated Water District Office, 1965 Placentia Ave, Costa Mesa.

**MAY THERMAL CONTEST**

Our thermal contest for May will be held on Sunday, May 8th. The events will be discussed at the May club meeting.

**RESULTS OF FAI-F3E CONTEST**

NAME	COUNTRY	1ST ROUND	2ND	3RD	BEST 2 OF THREE
M. CHARLES	USA	438	492	210	930
H. VAN'T LAAR	HOLLAND	416	485	427	912
B. GERBIN	USA	266	431	424	855
D. BOSSHART	SWISS	411	405	411	822
H. KELLER	GERMANY	0	375	398	773
R. SCHAMECK	USA	249	378	358	736
F. CHASTELER (7CELL)	USA	394	296	321	715
F. HEACOX (7CELL)	USA	292	281	414	706
J. DURHAM (7CELL)	USA	298	311	390	701
M. NEVERDOSKY (7CELL)	USA	310	351	345	696
D. DESAEGER	BELGIUM	316	341	342	683
L. BLAKELY (7CELL)	USA	374	294	305	679
R. LIEBER (TWIN)	GERMANY	370	280	0	650
J. D. DUKE (7CELL)	USA	302	266	329	631
R. St JOHN (6CELL)	USA	372	335	229	607
J. KRUG	USA	245	320	69	565
P. BLOMMAART	BELGIUM	244	195	0	439
K. NELSON	USA	291	30	0	321
M. SMITH	USA	138	63	100	238
L. JOLLY	USA	195	0	0	195
M. BLOMMAART	BELGIUM	150	0	0	150
H. WEISS	USA	105	0	0	105
R. ROTH	USA	45	0	0	45
D. BRANDT	USA	0	30	0	30

Other points of interest were: MOST LAPS, 13 by L. Jolly and M. Charles, 12 by M. Charles and H. Van't Laar, 11 by M. Charles, H. Van't Laar, B. Gerbin, and D. Bosshart. The amount of time a contestants motor was running during the Thermal portion of the event counted against his overall score, so the shorter time you ran your motor to reach the best altitude, the higher your score was (assuming all other parameters were good, ie: the landing). I have listed some of the motor runs (in SECONDS) that achieved a full 5 min. thermal flight. Van't Laar: 20,21,32. Charles: 28. Bosshart:29. Durham, Liebler: 30. Heacox: 35. Chasteler: 38.

I would like to thank F. Chasteler for providing the scores and the other data for this newsletter.

**TREASURERS REPORT**

This report covers the period of 03/21/83 to 04/21/83.

CHECKING BEGINNING BALANCE 03/21	\$589.40
INCOME, DUES	\$139.00
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SUB TOTAL AS OF 04/21/83	\$728.40
EXPENSES REDI RENTALS (PUMP)	\$32.00
JOHN KRUG WINCH BATTERY	\$31.67
D. PANTZAR (USED MOWER AND GAS) +	\$90.00
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TOTAL EXPENSES AS OF 04/21/83	\$153.67
CHECKING BALANCE	\$728.40
MINUS EXPENSES	- \$153.67
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NEW CHECKING BALANCE	\$574.73
SAVINGS REMAINED AT	+\$211.83
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TOTAL AVAILABLE CAPITOL	\$786.56

**FOR SAIL**

NO DLY II COMPLETE, LESS COVERING \$150.00 EACH ONE SAGITA 900 READY FOR  
DIO GEAR, \$240.00 (WITH 3 S-20 SERVDS \$360.00)

For further information contact Tom Murphy at 540-3877. Tom also  
advised me that he will build models from kits or scratch for people who  
don't have the time or space to do so themselves. Tom is an excellent  
builder and I would recomend him to anyone.

Jim Frye is selling an Astro-Flight ASW-15 for \$65.00 (less radio) Jim is  
also an excellent builder. Hurry on this one, or I'll buy it!! (Just what I  
need)! Call Jim at 530-8798.

John Krug is selling a OLY II complete (less radio gear) for \$90.00. Call  
John at 974-3779

I'll run my standard want add, ANY Electropower items, planes, plans, kits,  
call me.

**SC2 FOR MAY**

The next SC2 event will be May 22nd, sponsored by SULA. A map is  
included in this newsletter, carpool information can be obtained or set up  
at our May meeting.

TILL NEXT TIME

BLUE SKIES AND SOFT AIR



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# Soaring Union of Los Angeles

