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The Next AGS Club Meeting will be held on Monday January 1st at 6:30 P.M at Jonathan's Restaurant!

In case of inclement weather, look for a meeting update or cancelation via the club email list

Upcoming Club Events

AGS January Meeting

Mon January 6th 6:30 PM Jonathan's Restaurant

AGS New Year's Fun Fly

Wed January 1st 10 AM – 2 PM BC United Soccer Fields

Aero Guidance Society Meeting #917

In attendance:

Brent Bryson, Charlie Hatton, Herb Spicer, Edward Bennett, David Dewey-Write, Bob Jennings, Jeff Hatton, Todd Kopl.

Brent Bryson called the meeting to order at 6:37 PM. Meeting Adjourned 7:06 PM.

Treasurer's report:

Jeff. H. presented the treasurer's report.

Previous Minutes:

Edward Bennett read the previous board minutes. David presented the amended October Board meeting minutes. The October minutes were accepted as amended. Bob Jennings stated the November General meeting minutes needed to be amended to include the Secretary having to cast one ballot for the slate of officers presented and the missing action being added. Jeff motioned for an amendment to the November General Meeting Minutes and David seconded that motion. The motion was carried. Edward will amend the previous November General Meeting Minutes.

Old Business:

David said he removed the AGS generator and it is currently sheltered on his property. The 501C3 status is still an ongoing conversation and will continually be researched.

New Business:

Members entered into a discussion about the proposed storage container. David said he found one for delivery at a reasonable price. Bob Jennings raised concern about all-year storage for the planes in the container. Jeff said the temperature and the water-tight seal should not be an issue for storing planes in the container all year round if members wanted to. The members agreed to review the detailed report before making a decision about the storage container.

Upcoming Events:

Event	Date	Location
IRCS Winter Flying	Saturdays, 10 AM to when the cocoa/coffee runs out.	IRCS Flying Field
News Year's Fun Fly	January 1st	Endicott Soccer Field
Holiday Party	Monday, January 6th, 6:30 PM	Jonathan's

IRCS Winter Flying

Kieran S. will send out an email to the AGS listserv on Fridays on the weeks that there will be flying, as these events are dependent both on appropriate weather and the attendance of at least one IRCS member. The weather and schedules have not aligned so far this winter, so hopefully we get some good snow in the new year!

Annual, New Year's Day Fun Fly!

<u>When?</u> New Year's Day. Wednesday, January 1st, 2025. Flying starts at 10:00 am, and goes through 2:00 pm. Sun, Rain, or Snow! Dress accordingly, and set your planes up as needed.

<u>Where?</u> BC United Soccer Fields, next to Ann G. McGuinness Elementary School, 1301 Union Center Maine Hwy (Rt. 26), Endicott, NY 13760

What? Get your first flights of 2025 in. Or just come to visit, watch the flying, and have some chili or soup.

Who? Everyone who's interested. An invitation has been sent to all the area clubs as well.

AGS Holiday Party

Whan? Monday, January 6th, 2025, 6:30pm - ?

Whare? Jonathan's Restaurant, 534 Hooper Rd, Endwell, NY 13760.

<u>What?</u> Our annual January meeting, only without all the business. Order off the menu. We'll visit, have a toast to past members, and afterwards, we'll pull out the Bingo set and play till everyone gets a BINGO. <u>Who?</u> All are welcome! Bring family, friends, and associates. But please give me a headcount letting me know if you're coming, and how many will be joining you by Friday, January 3rd. Email me at: ddeweywright@gmail.com, or call or text at: (607)239-1561.

AGS 2024 ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

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AGS Officers:

President: Brent Bryson (A-C)

Vice President: Bill Green (D-H)

Secretary: Tom Fargo (I-L)

Treasurer: Jeff Hatton (M-R)

Board Members at Large:

1) Ray Phillips (S-Z) [year 2 of 2-year term]

2) Charlie Hatton [year 1 of 2-year term]

Past President: David Dewey-Wright

Committee Chairmen:

Membership: David Dewey-Wright

Field: Todd Kopl

Safety: Chris Goffa

Webmaster: Don Shugard

Newsletter Editor: Kieran Sweeney

For AGS field current weather info contact: BGM Automated Terminal Information System (ATIS)

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The AGS Field is an approved FRIA flying site – no Remote ID required