



**2010 RC Soaring
National Championships
AMA International Aeromodeling Center,
Muncie IN
July 24- August 1, 2010**

* Conduct of unofficial events, including protests, are the responsibility of the SIG

Event/Schedule

Saturday July 24

- 461 Nostalgia (NOS)

Sunday July 25 Monday July 26

- 460 Three function (RES)

Tuesday July 27 and Wednesday July 28

- 442 Thermal Soaring Two Meter

Thursday July 29 and Friday July 30

- 444 Thermal Soaring Unlimited

Saturday July 31 and Sunday Aug 1 (enter one event only)

- 441 HL Thermal Soaring
 446 F3H Cross Country Soaring

SPECIAL NOTICES
VERY IMPORTANT TO ALL ENTRANTS

Due to Flight Group matrices nightmare with our large classes, the LSF Board and AMA have agreed that **ABSOLUTELY NO LATE OR ON-SITE REGISTRATIONS** will be accepted in Soaring at the 2010 Nats. Please note the following:

ENTRY DEADLINES

1. All registrations must be postmarked by June 18, 2010 with full payment included.
2. Full cash refunds will be given provided the registrar is notified by email no later than July 1, 2010 at NATS_Registrar@silentflight.org.

Only 75% cash refunds will be given for cancellations after July 1, 2010, if made to the registrar prior to event date.

No refunds or credits will be given to no-shows or on-site withdrawals.

FREQUENCIES (Digital Spread Spectrum is allowed in all events)

HLG, Unlimited, Two Meter (2M), RES & NOS – Two (2) entries per crystal-controlled channel

XC - **Digital Spread Spectrum (2.4 GHz) ONLY**

PLEASE NOTE the following frequency restrictions:

Hand Launch Glider Channels:

72 MHz: 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 41, 42, 44, 45, 46, 52, 53, 54, 55, 60
HAM : 01, 03, 06, 53.2, 53.4, 53.7

Cross Country contestants are responsible for your own launch equipment, LSF contest winches and batteries will not be available for XC use.

***** IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT HELPER/TIMER MATRIX SEPARATION *****

The LSF Registrar will notify you of your channel assignments based on a first-come, first-served basis for 72 MHz and HAM band channels.

Upon receipt of the email notification, if you are on 2.4 GHz you may specify a helper/timer for each event. The specified helper/timer must be registered in order to process the request and make the reciprocal request.

Contestant pairs using numbered channels should register on the same channel.

Do not register on a numbered channel if you intend to fly 2.4 GHz, you only take a channel away from someone else.

Basic Information & Etiquette:

- Impound/Check-in will open each day by 7:30 AM EDT
- A Pilots' Meeting/Briefing will be held daily at 8:30 AM EDT
- Timers may count down the last 10 seconds (suspension of AMA Rulebook 10.2.2.e)
- All times will be truncated, not rounded
- If you use a talking timer, please turn off the sound effects
- Get your timer ahead of time. We will not hold flight groups waiting for timers. You WILL receive a ZERO for the round if you are not ready with your timer, scorecard, aircraft and radio turned on, when the group is released to the flight line.
- Timers should keep at least three groups between timing and flying

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Academy of Model Aeronautics
Send completed entry form and payment to:

**Academy of Model Aeronautics
Soaring Nats Registration
5161 East Memorial Drive
Muncie, IN 47302**

LSF/AMA Nationals Volunteer Form

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Evening Tel.: (____) _____ Day Phone (____) _____

E-Mail _____

Days Available

Sat. July 24 (NOS) _____

Sun. July 25 (RES) _____

Mon. July 26 (RES) _____

Tue. July 27 (Two Meter) _____

Wed. July 28 (Two Meter) _____

Thu. July 29 (Unlimited) _____

Fri. July 30 (Unlimited) _____

Sat. July 31 (HLG) _____

Sun. Aug 1 (HLG) _____

Sat. July 31 (XC) _____

Sun. Aug 1 (XC) _____

Job Preference

Impound _____ Scoring _____ Winches _____ Landing Judge _____ Flight Line _____ Turn Around _____ BBQ _____

Any _____ All _____

Other: (Specify)

These forms will be forwarded to the Event Director and he will contact you.

Volunteerism is very important to the success of the Nationals. This form will help the CDs make sure all events have adequate help. Doing any of these jobs qualifies you for a volunteer T-shirt.

If non-flying spouses, family members, or friends can also help, please list them here.

Return this form along with your entry to the Soaring NATS