

# Isaacson Winter Classic

## AMA and NFFS Events

At Lost Hills, California  
10, 11, and 12 February 2024

In Conjunction with the Kiwi Cup World and America's Cup Events

The following events can be flown on either Saturday  
February 10 or Sunday February 11 and can be completed on Sunday:

AMA Gas 1/2A	AMA Gas C
Golden Age ½ A Gas only	AMA Gas D and Super D Combined
E-36 AMA rules	Classic Glider NFFS Rules
NOS Gas ½ A, ¼ A and Early 1/2A	P-30
Combined	Mulvihill
NOS Gas A	Andrade
NOS Gas B and C Combined	NOS Electric
AMA Gas A	A and B electric combined
AMA Gas B	NOS Rubber Large and Small combined

This year to address the request for some more events and maximum flexibility to those who want to fly in a lot these events can be flown on the either of the first two days or starting on Saturday and finishing on Sunday.

### Scheduled Events

#### Saturday February 10

AMA CLG

Gollywock one design 3X3

5X5 HLG Special event @ 2:30 P.M. at the Glider Pen (see Tim Batiuk for rules)

#### Sunday February 11

AMA HLG

5X5 CLG Special Event @2:30 at the glider pen (see Tim Batiuk)

.Mass launch events @ 8:00 A.M.: E-36

Gollywock (tie breaker for 3X3 event)

P-30

#### Monday February 11

Vintage FAI Power

Vintage FAI Wakefield ( Bob White Award)

Pro P-30

Vintage FAI Power and Wakefield will be run with 90 minute rounds starting at 8:00 A.M. to accommodate those who want to fly both events. Fly-off to commence one hour after regular rounds are complete. Fly-off type to be decided by the participants

COVID-19 mitigation requirements will be in effect

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For the FAI events including Kiwi Cup for F1ABCPQ, Mini events F1HGJS and F1E, see a separate flyer. Pre entry is required for the FAI Events.

### **Small Print section**

Entry Fees \$20 for the first event (can be an FAI event) and \$5 for subsequent events. \$5 for Juniors.

For the mass launch events the exact launch time of each event will be given later\*  
The E-36 Mass launch will be coordinated with the first round of F1S (which may be delayed if there is a long Kiwi Cup flyoff on Sunday AM)\*\*

HLG and CLG National Cup Points. These events will be flown from the Glider Pen

Strong Arm Glider Challenge. Norm Furutani Trophy This is the overall winner of the aggregate results of the HLG and CLG classes. Points are awarded for the place in the event. This means first will get 1 , second 2 , etc. The winner is person with the least number of points. This award is open to flyers of all age categories. There is an additional prize for the top Youth flyer. This is for all youth flyers in the same categories, there is a small difference in that half points are awarded for the CLG class, making this class more important as there are more youth flyers in this category. For both awards if there is a tie it will be decided by the sum of all the times. Double times for CLG in the youth category. You may fly in any number of the events, if you do not return a score you will be awarded on more point than the highest number awarded by those who flew. Remember the lowest number overall wins the trophy.

Golden Age: Any post NOS design published, kitted or flown competitively between 1 Jan 1957 and 31 Dec 1969 scaled if needed to 1/2A size, powered by either Holland Hornet .049-.051 or Cox TD .049-.051. Construction must replicate the original design, no carbon fiber to be used in construction. NOS flight rules. Gas powered only for this award.

### Pro-P30

Combined events will be separated for National Cup points. AMA gas events will be determined AMA vs. Classic when registered for National Cup.

Glenn Schneider is running the AMA events. Tim Batiuk is running the Glider Events.

Rest of the story: As most of you know Norm Furutani, one of the founders of this event retired from running it after the 2018 event. This event is very popular along with the FAI events. Glenn Schneider has offered to run the AMA events with a number of volunteers. This is very much appreciated by me and by those who want to take part. We have tried to maintain the spirit of the event. Popular events with the largest participation are the HLG and CLG, Gollywock, E-36, Vintage FAI and Nos Rubber. At the Winter Classic in the past we have promoted special events, typically boosted by some donated \$ in the prize money. This year we have the Golden Age ½A Gas models.

***In memory of our dear friends, Bob and LaVera Isaacson***