

## Arizona Cup 2025 Bulletin #1

An FAI-Sanctioned World Cup Spacemodeling Competition February 28 - March 2, 2025 Tucson, AZ, USA

**Sanctioned by:** Federation Aeronautique Internationale, a World Cup event

Organizer: Matt Steele, Contest Director, 63 E 11400 S #203, Sandy, UT 84070

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World Cup Events: S4A, S6A, S7, S8P, S9A

Open International Event: S2/P

**Contest Rules:** An FAI license (from any NAC) is required to fly the World Cup. NAR/CAR

members may participate as unofficial contestants.

**Entry Fee:** \$50; Registration for the contest is via PayPal at mattmsteele@gmail.com

or on the field. Fee includes motors for S4A, S6A, S9A, and reloads for

S8P. Motors for S2P and S7 are the contestant's responsibility.

Flying Site: SARA Launch Site (<a href="http://www.sararocketry.org/launch-info">http://www.sararocketry.org/launch-info</a>)

3250 N Reservation Rd, Marana, AZ 85653

Located near the Tucson International Modelplex Park Association (TIMPA), we will be using Model Airplane complex this year (the Contest Range site from NARAM-57)! This features a paved area to fly from, covered work areas, and flush toilets! It is just south of the site where the previous meets have been held. Contestants should bring ample drinking water. There is a gas station full of snacks and drinks, including a Subway Restaurant, 13 minutes northeast of the

launch site at the corner of Sandario Rd and Picture Rocks Rd. We plan to have someone pick up Subway sandwiches for lunch on Friday and Saturday.

Hotel: Days Inn & Suites by Wyndham Tucson/Marana

8370 North Cracker Barrel Rd, Tucson, Arizona 85743

520-333-6712

**Saturday Night Awards Dinner** 

Saturday, March 1, 6:30 PM Lil Abner's Steakhouse 8501 N Silverbell Rd Tucson, AZ 85743

Meal cost not included in registration fees.

**FAI Jury:** Jury President: Taras Tataryn (CAN)

Jury: Dr. Steve Kristal (USA) Jury: Dr. Mike Nowak (USA)

Jury Alternate: Chris Flanigan (USA)

Jury Alternate: Dr. John Hochheimer (USA)

Range Safety Officers: Dr. John Hochheimer (USA), Brian Muzek (USA),

**S7 Judges:** Anže Mihelčič (SLO), Dr. Bob Kreutz (USA), Jay Marsh (USA)

Bob Ferrante (USA) Alternate

**Contest Notes:** Events S6A, and S9A will be flown with 1/2A motors ONLY.

Motors and igniters will be provided to contestants at the meet for S4A, S6A, S9A and S8P. The only motors provided will be: 1/2A3-2T, 1/2A3-4T for S6A and S9A; A3-2T and A3-4T for S4A; S8P: D3 Single use motors will be provided.

Contestants must provide motors for S2/P and S7; they must be NAR safety certified and contain 30 grams or less of propellant. If you need to send motors to the meet, please ship them to the Contest Director at the address above at least 7 days before the start of the meet. If you need to order motors, you may do so through me as well – please contact the Contest Director for details.

Only Adrel altimeters can be used for S2/P.

Adrel altimeters will be available for rental for a \$100 refundable deposit, or competitor can supply their own.

This meet will also be sanctioned to register flights for the USA Team Scoreboard, NRC scoreboard, and a NAR Record Trials. Come fly!

## Arizona Cup 2025 Schedule

Date	Event	Start Time	End Time
Thursday, February 27	Contestant's Meeting/Model Check/Scale Turn In (Days Inn)	20:00	21:30
Friday, February 28	S4A Round 1 (TIMPA Flying Field)	7:30	8:30
	S4A Round 2	8:30	9:30
	S4A Round 3	9:30	10:30
	S9A Round 1	10:30	11:30
	Lunch Break	11:30	12:00
	S9A Round 2	12:00	13:00
	S9A Round 3	13:00	14:00
	S6A Round 1	14:00	14:45
	S6A Round 2	14:45	15:30
	S6A Round 3	15:30	16:15
	S4A/S6A/S9A Flyoffs (if necessary)	16:30	17:00
	S7 Pickup (Days Inn)	20:30	21:30
Saturday, March 1	S7 Round 1 (TIMPA Flying Field)	7:30	9:30
	S7 Round 2	9:30	11:30
	S2P Round 1	9:30	10:30
	S2P Round 2	10:30	11:30
	Lunch Break	11:30	12:00
	S2P Round 3	12:00	13:00
	S8P	13:00	17:00
	Awards Dinner Lil Abner's Steakhouse, Tucson, AZ	19:00	21:00
Sunday, March 2	Reserve Day (if Needed) (TIMPA Flying Field)	8:00	12:00