

Massachusetts Association of Performing Rollers Newsletter

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Mark J. Thompson, Sec/Treas. & Co-Founder

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Roller News

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1991

Competition - Show Meeting Calendar

Club Meeting

Sunday, Jan. 20th at 12 Noon. Meeting will be held at Sec./Treas, Mark Thompson's residence. Directions on last page, or call Mark Thompson Tel* 508-582-6470 or Joe Testa 508-582-4059.

Feb. 23rd & 24th

The M.A.P.R. Presents

Its first annual indoor **roller** show.

All New England Roller fanciers are invited to attend.

Show will be held at 47 Duck Mill Rd, Fitchburg, MA

Directions on last page.

Or call M.A.P.R. Sec., Mark Thompson 508-582-6470 or

Pres. Joe Testa 508-582-4059

-- There will be two classes --

Show & Flying

Return applications Before Jan 23rd. Birds will be allowed entry,
day of show

All entries must be in before 10 A.M. Feb. 23

Also

Buy - Sell - Swap - Raffle - Auction

Sales cages available. Fee \$2.00 per cage

1991

March 23 & 24

Yearling Competition

All birds must be banded 1990

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March 30th

Certification - Proven performer

Yearlings - Old birds Only.

This is a club competition.

Contact certification area directors for your area.

Area directors must provide two reputable roller flyer to witness

- Certification -

All certification area directors must forward certification applications
to New England area certification representative,

J.J. Testa.

The M.A.P.R. is asking for a small donation for certification, to cover the
costs for application and proven performer certificates.

--- Certification Area Directors ---

Stephen Bounopane - Massachusetts

Charles Hickey - Massachusetts

Mark Thompson - Massachusetts

Leon Auger - Connecticut

Ronald Sloan - Connecticut

Robert Prisco - New Jersey

Steve Hickey - Massachusetts

Nick Tassos - New Hampshire

John Dushsinki - Massachusetts

Area certification directors may certify in any area or state, but
must forward certification applications to that state area representative
Certification directors must have their own birds certified by another
area director.

No certification directors can certify his own birds.

April 6 - 7th

Old bird competition
No 1990 birds for this competition

April 27 - 28th

Yearling Competition
1990 birds only

May 4 - 5th

Mixed kit Competition
Yearlings - old birds

May 18 - 19th

Yearling Competition
This is a cash prize competition
Ten birds per kit.
Entry fee \$2.00 per bird.

The M.A.P.R. Presents the first portable loft Flying competition

May 25 - 26

Competition will be held at Marshall Park, Lunenburg, Mass.
This is an all New England invitation.

June 8 - 9th

Anything Goes
Yearling - Mixed - Old bird kits

June 22 - 23rd

Yearling Competition & certification.
Please contact your area certification director.

"The M.A.P.R. Lawn Show And Barbecue"

Buy - Sell - Swap - Auction - Raffle

Competition trophies - awards will be presented along with Certification Certificates

1991 Young Bird Competition

All Birds must be banded 1991

Preparation of the Solution

Oct 12 - 13th

1991 Young Bird Competition

This is a cash prize competition

\$2.00 entry fee per bird.

Ten bird kit limit.

Old bird - Mixed kits Competition

No 1991 birds allowed

Nov. 24th
M.A.P.R. Club Meeting
Trophy and awards presentation
Portable Fly Competition
Meeting and fly will be held at Mark Thompson's residence
Lunenburg, Mass.

Competition Fees

All entry fees are 50 cents a bird. Except for cash prize competition

Important

M.A.P.R. members are encouraged to participate in the flying competitions. All members will receive competition applications forms for complete 1991 competition season. Fees for competitions may be mailed or be paid on day of competition. Applications for competitions must be recieved two weeks before any competition. Any competition cancelled due to weather will be held the following week.

The M.A.P.R. has received a great response in regards to becoming a New England Club.
We will be changing the name to:
The New England Association of Performing Rollers.

Members

M.A.P.R. Bands Are In

You may still purchase bands for 1991. Minimum order: 10 Bands
15 Cents per band.

Reminder

The M.A.P.R. club video for 1990 is near completion. Any members who have not been interviewed will be notified in advance, to establish a date and time for video interview. All interviews must be covered by April 1st 1991.

J.J. Testa M.A.P.R.

Massachusetts Association of Performing Rollers

President - Founder - Publicity Director

Joseph J. Testa

Secretary / Treas - Co-Founder - Bulletin Editor

Mark J. Thompson

M.A.P.R. Officers

John F. Dushinski

Admin. Officer

Paul Dernier

Admin. Officer

Charles Hickey

Admin. Officer

New England Area Certification Rep. J.J. Testa

M.A.P.R. Certification Area Directors

Stephen Bounopane

North Shore

Charles Hickey

South Shore

Steve Hickey

Western Mass.

Mark Thompson

Central Mass.

Guy Spuria

Cape Cod Mass.

Nick Tassos

New Hampshire

Leon Auger

Connecticut

Ron Sloan

Connecticut

Robert Prisco

New Jersey

New England Area Representatives

John F. Dushinski

Mass.

Stephen Buonopane

Mass.

Charles Hickey

Mass.

Steve Hickey

Western Mass

Ronald Sloan

Connecticut

Outside New England Area Representatives

Frank Lavin

Texas

Robert Prisco

New Jersey

M.A.P.R. Welcomes New Members

Name	Address	City	State	Zip
Auger, Leon	104 Woodside St.	Putnam	CT	06260
Champagne, Gerry	286 River St.	Waltham	MA	02154
Tassos, Nick	P.O. Box 144	New Ipswich	NH	03071

Membership Dues

The membership dues for members is \$10.00 per year. The initial dues for new members is \$15.00. After the first year of membership, the dues will be \$10.00.
M.Thompson, Sec.

Your membership dues is due.

Name	Address	City	State	Zip	Exp.
Ross, Ed	North Ashburnham Rd.	Winchendon	MA	01475	11/28/90

Is Your Address Correct???

If your mailing label on your newsletter envelope is incorrect. Please send me the corrections as soon as possible. My mailing database must be accurate, so as to avoid any possible delay in the mail. Send address corrections to:

Mark Thompson, 871 Mass Ave., Lunenburg, MA. 01462

Thank You M.T.

Next Issue

In depth. J.J. Testa, Pres of the M.A.P.R. and Joseph Stayer The author of "Wings On Wheels." Have got together to initiate a mobile loft performing club.

Details in next issue.

J.J. Testa attends The Florida Sun Coast Roller competition, with Florida Roller fancier Gene Louder & Walter Harter.

Classified Ad Section

Custom Built Supplies Basic nest fronts

12" x 24" Doweled fronts

\$9.00 w/hinges

\$8.00 w/o hinges

Or will build to specification

Pigeon Carriers, Doweled tops Cloth,
Soft vinyl or hard sides. Built to specs,
single up to 30 bird capacity.

A sample Kit Release and show carriers
will be displayed at the Jan. 20th
Meeting, at Mark Thompson's Residence.

Advertising Rates:

Full Page \$25.00 with photos \$40.00

Half page \$15.00 with photos \$25.00

Quarter page \$9.00 with photos \$12.00

\$2.00 per single column inch.

name bands from M.A.P.R. Belgian
plexiglas. Colors white, blue, orange,
pink, green, or yellow. You get 3 lines,
15 letters and spaces per line. Can get
the year, but not consecutive
numbering.

50 bands \$20.00. 100 bands \$30.00.

Massachusetts Association of Performing Rollers
Complete Membership Listing

Name	Address	City	State	Zip	Tel#
Alden, Steve	122 Forest St.	Brockton	MA	02402	508-580-6507
Auger, Leon	104 Woodside St.	Putnam	CT	06260	203-928-7855
Bahosh, Joseph	150 Pleasant St.	Spencer	MA	01562	508-885-7325
Bakis, Robert	42 Stonebridge Ln	Marstons Mills	MA	02648	508-428-6381
Buonopane, Stephen	3 Antrim Rd.	W. Peabody	MA	01960	508-535-5364
Champagne, Gerry	286 River St.	Waltham	MA	02154	617-893-7575 5757
Crowell, James	10 Ocean Ave	Onset	MA	02558	508-295-3613
Decosta, John	RR1 Box 211 25 Mason Rd	Ashby	MA	01431	508-386-7761
Dernier, Paul	10 Douglas Ave Apt. 1	Brockton	MA	02402	508-583-5792
Dushinski, John	207 Walnut Ave	Revere	MA	02151	617-289-4538
Ernst, Richard	48 Washington St.	Ayer	MA	01432	508-772-0498
Fabricius, Ted	196 Wampanoag St.	Pembroke	MA	02359	617-294-1358