

2017 99s POKER RUN RULES

July 12-14, 2017

Open to All-Aircraft, Bikes, Autos

Thank you for supporting the New York-New Jersey Section in this fun event to benefit the Finger Lakes and Western New York Chapters of the Ninety Nines!

The purpose of the Poker Run is to practice your pilotage, landing and navigation skills and have some fun while doing it! Both pilots and drivers are welcome! This is our major fundraiser for the year, and we hope you have a great time. We look forward to seeing you at the terminus (Geneseo Airport) no later than 12:00 pm, Friday July 14th. For more information (and to register your airplane if you plan to fly into Geneseo), please see the National Warplane Museum website: www.nwmairshow.com.

Poker Run Airports are: Rochester International (ROC), Penn Yan (PEO), Royalton (9G5), Lancaster (BQR) and Geneseo (D52). From a Class Charlie airport to an airport with a turf runway, we offer it all!

- All fees normally encountered when landing at ROC are being waived or paid by Rochester Air Center and USAirports. Here is your chance to land at ROC for free!
- Rochester Air Center has indicated there may be a waiver for renters of their planes to land on the turf runway at Geneseo. Please contact Rochester Air Center for more information.
- Please indicate that you are participating in the Poker Run as you arrive at Geneseo. Ground crews will direct you to parking (whether you fly or drive in), and the Friday attendance fee will be waived.
- **To give everyone time to reach all airports**, this Poker Run is being offered over two and a half days. Cards can be obtained at the participating airports from 8:00 am on Wednesday, July 12th to 10:00 am on Friday, July 14th. All poker hands must be turned in to the terminus by 12:00 pm on Friday, July 14th.
- **The first hand is \$20.00. Each additional hand is \$5.00.** You will pay for your hand(s) at the terminus, Geneseo Airport.
- **The Ninety-Nines is a non-profit organization.** Your donation is tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law. If you need a receipt, please request one when buying the hand.

- **This is not a race.** This event is for honing pilotage and landing skills. Your time between segments and the order in which airports are flown does not matter. You may stretch out your flying, stop for lunch, skip stops, rotate pilots--the ONLY requirement is to exercise good judgment and airmanship.
- **There will be a plastic tote** at each airport containing envelopes (see website for specific locations). Each sealed envelope holds one card from two decks of shuffled cards. **The envelopes will be labeled with the airport name. At each airport, take one envelope for each hand you wish to play. The cards MUST remain sealed in the envelopes until being turned in at Geneseo.**
- **All remaining cards will be transported to Geneseo from the other 4 airports at 10:00 am on Friday, July 14th.** *Therefore, players must pick up the cards from those airports before 10:00 am on Friday, July 14th. If you are unable to pick up a card from one or more airports before that time, you can pick it (them) up from Geneseo when you turn in your hand.*
- **Completed hands must be presented at Geneseo no later than 12:00 pm.** Again, playing cards from bypassed airports can be drawn at Geneseo before you turn in your hand.
- **The best poker hand will win.** Winners choose their prizes in sequence (see separate prize list). There are no jokers or wild cards. Since each airport has 2 complete decks, it is possible to get five aces, etc.
- **In the unlikely event of exactly duplicate hands,** each player involved in the tie will draw a card at the terminus. The best card drawn breaks the tie.
- **When you arrive in Geneseo on Friday, July 14th,** come to the 99s table to register and pay for your poker hand or hands. You, or a person you choose, must be present to win.
- **For players with multiple hands,** you must indicate which envelopes go with which hand.
- **If you are unable to travel to Geneseo on Friday, July 14th,** it is up to you to make arrangements for someone to present your hand at the 99s table at Geneseo and pay the registration fee per hand played.
- **The friend or relative who brings your hand to Geneseo** should know your prize preferences.
- **NOTE: Members of the Finger Lakes and Western NY Chapters of the 99s are ineligible to play.** You can, however, fly a playing friend around to the airports!

As a side bet, there will be a “50/50” raffle. Tickets are \$5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00. Tickets may be purchased at Geneseo (D52). The winning ticket will be drawn at Geneseo at 1:00 P.M. If you include your name and phone number on the ticket stub, you need not be present to win.