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LUNAR hosted NARCON 2013 and everyone seemed to really enjoy themselves. There will be full-blown coverage of the event in an upcoming issue of Sport Rocketry so we'll just list a few highlights.

One of the important parts of NARCON is a series of technical presentations, and LUNAR attracted some great speakers. So many, in fact, that we had to break the talks into two groups. That made it impossible to see all of the talks, so Jeff Dillon of PureVideo.tv created videos of the talks. Here are the links:

John Beans - Trends in Rocket Electronics

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1OgUF-Ky-Os>

Chuck Piper - Early Bay Area Rocketry

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7KI67NTGOos>

Will Marchant - Pegasus launch for NASA's NuSTAR

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ACckFI0jwQ0>

Gene Engalgau - Rocketry Recovery Technology

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=idcUGIXo-AM>

Casey Barker, Ken Biba, Dave Raimondi - Aeropac 100K/Carmack Prize

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2f6yomcf1lg>

Bill Colburn - Hybrid Rocketry/Early Bay Area Rocketry

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M3m_LwKMrpY

Tony Cooper - Pinata Rocket

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=44x9cVO5XWs>

Patrick McCarthy - Cape Canaveral Spaceport: The Next Ten Years

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=H0uNwy7mp60>

Trip Barber - International Rocketry Competition

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ky_N6ndMqjk

Ken Biba, Lynn Cominsky, Dave Raimondi - ARLISS

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eAfH1QC7VFQ>

NARCON also included a tour of the Nike missile base in Marin, and Jeff recorded it (in 3 parts). Thanks very much, Jeff!

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DngSaNPYXCs>

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f_oLTjOU_Qw

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OeaUfdN62Hs>



Nike-Hercules comes out of its silo at the missile base in Marin County.

Saturday night there was an excellent turnout for the banquet, highlighted by the keynote speaker: our very own Steve Jurvetson.

Dave Raimondi was eager to clean out his garage, so after Steve's talk we had a big raffle. Here's some of the loot that was given away:

