

NIRCON

Northern Illinois Rocketry Conference

FEB 18, 2012



**Join us at the Challenger Center
in Woodstock, IL
8:00am-4:30pm**

**Launch yourself into the world of
rocketry. Presentations all day
covering all skill levels of
rocketry**

**Kids make and take sessions
10:00 and 2:00....limited space
available**

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Event	Speaker	Start	End
Set up and Registration	NIRA and FVR volunteers	8:00 AM	9:00 AM
Introduction	Mark Bundick, Tony Lentini	9:00 AM	9:10 AM
Beyond 3 Fins and a Nose Cone	Tony Lentini	9:10 AM	10:00 AM
Fiberglassing for Beginners	Matt Penkava	10:00 AM	11:00 AM
Make It / Take It Session #1	NIRA Volunteers	10:00 AM	11:00 AM
The Universe	Jim Kovac, JPL Solar System Ambassador	11:00 AM	12:00 PM
Lunch Break		12:00 PM	1:00 PM
2011 TARC Finals	Challenger Center TARC Team	1:00 PM	1:30 PM
International Competition	Pat Butler	1:30 PM	2:00 PM
Make It / Take It Session #2	NIRA Volunteers	2:00 PM	3:00 PM
Failure Analysis & Upscale Engineering	Sather Ranum	2:00 PM	2:30 PM
Micromaxx Rocketry	Marc Mitchell	2:30 PM	3:00 PM
Rocketry 101	Rick Gaff	3:00 PM	4:00 PM
Closing Remarks / Raffle Drawing	Mark Bundick, Tony Lentini	4:00 PM	4:30 PM
Take Down and Clean Up	NIRA and FVR volunteers	4:30 PM	