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Gentlemen,

I think your book is very good. I'm an astronomer and in my own words, I think all astronomers should buy this wonderful book. Space World has all the interesting stories and all the interesting facts about the stories.

Louis I Ino
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Dear Sirs,

I am a boy in Junior High School. I am working on a science project having to do with "What Makes the Gemini Go." Also "What the On-board Computer Governs." Can you please send me any of the following information: 1) description of both the thrusters and the computer and their use in flight 2) where are the thrusters placed on the Space Craft and where the computer is and what it runs 3) and what is the computer like. Measurements size and etc. Also, is it an analog or digital one or whatever. A. Illustrations or diagrams of both (thrusters and computers) B. Information on size and parts essential to the mission's success.

Karle Schlieff
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sending you all material which has appeared in Space World on Gemini.

Dear Sir,

I have been reading Space World for about 1 year now at the school library. In the Launch Pad section people ask you questions and you answer them. They also ask for material on different subjects. These are three things I want to ask: 1) Where can I get some film on GT-4 space walk and on GT-6 and GT-7 rendezvous? 2) How can I get some photos on the Gemini-Titan launch and the Gemini console and capsule. 3) Do you have any information on the Gemini Project that I could have.

Roy Dobbs Jr.
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- Sending you under separate cover all material which has appeared in Space World containing info on Gemini. Your first two questions: NASA is the only source I know of.

Dear Sir,

I was wondering if you could give me some information please, about Ranger seven, eight, and nine. I would appreciate any useful drawings about its interior frame, exterior, and antenna. (high-gain antenna)

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Dear Mr. Bremmer,

As a fan and reader of your magazine for the past 4 months now I have found your magazine most helpful and interesting. However, I subscribed after the Gemini 4 and 5 missions were covered in Space World and, as I am working on Gemini lately I was wondering if you could send me the Space World material on GT-4-5. It may also interest some of your readers to know that Revell Model Co., Venice, Calif. has come out with an excellent 1/2 scale model of the Gemini spacecraft including retro and equipment models. The model, 10 inches high costs only \$3.00 and is marvelous for reference to Gemini after reading one of your articles on said spacecraft. Thank you for your time and consideration. Keep those Gemini reports coming.

Mark Oristano
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- Under separate cover we are sending you a copy of Aug. '65 (Gemini IV) and Nov. '65 (Gemini V) Space World in which the flights were covered.

Sirs:

Please answer the following questions in "The Launch Pad."

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