



## Caesar Creek Soaring Club

June 30, 2015

### NEWS YOU NEED TO KNOW

- During the contest, June 24 - July 3, member flying will be very limited. Come help.

### CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

Jun 24-Jul 3	Sports Class National Contest - Rolf Hegele
Jul 11	Board of Directors meeting - 9:30 am - John Lubon
Jul 12-18	Youth Camp - Steve McManus
Jul 15	<i>Cloudstreet - Soaring The American West</i> - 10:00 pm - Dayton & Cincinnati PBS
Jul 18	Wright Patterson Single Airmen Introductory Ride Event - Kevin Price
Aug 1	Special Meeting of Shareholders - vote on Code of Regulations - John Lubon
Aug 9-16	Adult Camp & Vintage/Antique Glider Rally - Steve Statkus

### SPORTS CLASS NATIONAL CONTEST

Chuck Lohre has been reporting on the contest. Check out the SSA web site:

<http://www.ssa.org/Contests?cid=2255&display=results>

and the SSA Facebook site:

<https://www.facebook.com/SoaringSocietyofAmerica>.

He has been interviewing participants and crew members and posting great videos of the contest activities. That is your best source for contest information, photos and videos.



**Each morning the Contest Director, John Lubon, meets with weather, task and scoring advisors to decide whether to fly and select the task.**



**Chuck Lohre, waiting for signal to launch.**

For this to be a valid contest there need to be three days with at least 25% of the competitors completing a minimum course. In the past seven days only one day has counted as a valid contest day. Two more are needed for this contest to count as a valid national championship event. The CCSC crew will be doing everything possible to enable a successful outcome. There are ways you can help. Come join the fun.





**At 10:00 am each day all the competitors gather to hear what task they will be asked to fly. Each meeting includes a celebration of the prior day's best flight, a safety talk by one of the competitors, a weather briefing by Jim Price and then a discussion of the flight task for the day.**



**Poul Pedersen is the official scorekeeper for the contest. After the pilots' meeting he pulls on his long boots and heads to the office to prepare his computer for the careful analysis at the end of day.**



**JoAnne Pedersen is responsible for the "Retrieve Desk". If any competitor lands out JoAnne is the person they call. JoAnne then assures that everyone gets picked up. On Wednesday there were four "land outs", two at other airports and two in fields. Sunday everyone completed the task and returned to CCSC.**

## **WILLIAM (BILL) MAXWELL**

On Monday morning Bill Maxwell passed away after a brief battle with leukemia. Jim Price remembers that when he joined the club we towed gliders around with Tri-Cubs. They were dreadful little gas powered, low to the ground vehicles and the engines were always breaking down. Bill spent countless hours maintaining them. In fact, Bill was the go to guy for maintenance and repairs of mowers and just about everything else. Long time members will remember that he spent many weekends working on our machinery to ensure the operations continued to function smoothly. He was a member of the Redwings 1-26 group and was a big encouragement to other pilots to cut the apron strings and head out cross country. It was a map borrowed from Bill that Jim Price used for his first cross country flight. If you have not read Bill's account of his "Trophy Flight" recently, take a look: [http://soar-ccsc.com/?page\\_id=1566](http://soar-ccsc.com/?page_id=1566). Bill served on the Board of Directors for many years and continued to serve until April of this year. His wisdom was much appreciated. Services will be on July 11 at Spring Grove Cemetary.

## **RICHARD OTTO**

Richard Carvel Otto passed away June 17 peacefully with his family by his side. He was a lover of aviation, people, and all modes of transportation that brought people closer. He worked hard at every job that he did from working on the Grand Coulee dam to Policeman during Watt city riots of Los Angeles. His family lost the family farm during the dust bowl and he lived in a home-built 16 foot trailer with his parents and two other brothers. He worked his way up to 747 Captain for Pan American, a job that he enjoyed immensely. He connected the world. His love of aviation, especially soaring, was shared with his sons and grandkids. One of his great pleasures recently was watching his grand-daughter graduate as one American's newest flight attendants.

## **CLOUDSTREET - SOARING THE AMERICAN WEST**

SSA is sponsoring a high-definition movie showing the beauty and drama of a flying adventure in the American West. Here is a teaser: <https://vimeo.com/88283001>. It is scheduled to air on Wednesday, July 15, at 10 pm on the Cincinnati and Dayton PBS stations, ThinkTV 14.1 & 14.5. Watch it and encourage others to watch it and then come out and experience an Introductory Soaring Flight.

## **CODE OF REGULATIONS**

Although a major revision to the Code of Regulations was just approved in April 2015, issues have arisen that warrant additional changes. The Board approved the wording changes at the June meeting and set August 1, 2015 at 11:00 am for the Special Meeting of Shareholders to vote on the proposed changes. Expect to receive a proxy ballot in advance of the meeting in case you are unable to attend. Thank you to the 20 who have already responded.

## **CCSC BOARD MINUTES**

[http://soar-ccsc.com/?page\\_id=484](http://soar-ccsc.com/?page_id=484) (The password is printed on your monthly bill.)

## **CCSC IS ON FACEBOOK**

<https://www.facebook.com/CaesarCreekSoaringClub>

## **CCSC WEBSITE**

<http://soar-ccsc.com/>

## **FOR SALE**

Camper for sale. 2004 32' Sprinter camper. Sleeps 6. 1 slide. Queen bed, sleeper sofa, 2 bunk beds. AC. \$1000. Contact Jim Marks at 502-553-4044.

One eighth share available for the Red Wing Soaring Club 1-26. \$1000.00 Call Jim Grueninger, 740-503-0032, share owner, or Bob Anderson, 937-609-8937, managing partner Red Wings. Fun, easy soaring! Always tied down and ready to go!

LAK 12 glider and trailer. 50/1. It's big. Price negotiable. Located on the field. Interested parties should contact Wally Detert, 937-667-6950 or John Biernacki.

1/3 Share in N11rdbird. A beautiful Libelle201b, Serial No.74. Includes Eberle trailer, tow out gear, Cambridge LNav Vario and GPS, MicroAir Radio, with IPAQ 3955 running SeeYou Mobile. New Chute with Annual through May 2015. Call Rolf, 937-271-5003.



## CCSC GROUND CREWS:

### **1<sup>ST</sup> SATURDAY**

**CC:** Steve Fenstermaker (cell: 937-581-7713),  
**ACC:** Kevin Price , **Tow Pilots:** John Armor,  
Mark Schababerle, Richard Perry, **Instructor:**  
Paul McClaskey, Bill Gabbard, Tom McDonald,  
Richard Perry. **Crew:** Gerry Daugherty, Waseem  
Jamali, Courtney Ohl, John Raines.

### **1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY**

**CC:** Mike Karraker (cell: 937-830-0627), **ACC:**  
Mark Miller, **Tow Pilots:** Manfred Mauer, Norb  
Mauer, Dieter Schmidt, Andy Swanson, Bob  
Miller. **Instructor,** Bob Miller, Rich Carraway.  
**Crew:** Jul Alvarez, Don Burns, Stephen Kleine,  
Jacob Moore, Dave Rawson, Joe Zeis.

### **2<sup>ND</sup> SATURDAY**

**CC:** Bob Root (cell: 513-630-8761), **ACC:** Dan  
Staarmann. **Tow Pilots:** Bob Anderson, Haskell  
Simpkins©. **Instructor:** Chris Giacomo, Bob  
Anderson, Jim Price. **Crew:** John Antrim, John  
Biernacki, Pat DeNaples©, Dick Holzwarth, Jim  
Hurst ©, Jim Marks.

### **2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY**

**CC:** Dave Menchen (cell: 513-313-2315), **ACC:**  
Lucy McKosky, **Tow Pilots:** Tom Rudolf, Lorrie  
Penner, Gordon Penner, Jim Goebel **Instructor:**  
Tom McDonald, Gordon Penner, Jim Goebel, Tom  
Rudolf, Chad Ryther. **Crew:** Dave Conrad, Alyssa  
Engeseth, Tom Geygan, Fred Hawk, Mike  
McKosky, Kate Kreiner.

### **3<sup>RD</sup> SATURDAY**

**CC:** Maury Drummey (cell: 513-543-1906),  
**ACC:** Rolf Hegele, **Tow Pilots:** Don Green, Steve  
McManus. Dick Scheper. **Instructor:** Charlie  
DeBerry, Richard Eslinger, Kat McManus. **Crew:**  
Gary Adams, Jake Click, Eric Cochran, Chandler  
Demler, Jim Dudley, John Dudley, Micah  
Ferguson, Norm Leet, Poul Pederson, Charlie  
Richardson, Brian Stoops©, Chris Uhl ©.

### **3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY**

**CC:** Tom Bonser (cell: 513-673-7746), **ACC:**  
**Tow Pilots:** Tony Bonser©, Tim Christman,  
Richard Perry. **Instructor:** Dick Eckels, Bill  
Gabbard, Chad Ryther. **Crew:** Daniel Beans, Jon

"Rusty" May, Laura May, Topher May, Jack  
Morari, Zach Siefker, Joey Tomei.

### **4<sup>TH</sup> SATURDAY:**

**CC:** Chuck Lohre (cell: 513-260-9025). **ACC:**  
Ethan Saladin. **Tow Pilots:** John Atkins©, Guy  
Byars, Bernie Fullenkamp©, Larry Kirkbride.  
**Instructor:** John Atkins, Joe Jackson, Larry  
Kirkbride. **Crew:** Ross Bales, Jon Fullenkamp,  
Michael Hayden, Casey Hildenbrand, Henry  
Meyerrose, John Murray ©.

### **4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY**

**CC:** Steve Statkus (cell: 513-720-8955), **ACC:**  
Rik Ghai. **Tow Pilots:** Matt Davis, Ron Blume,  
Tim Morris. **Instructor:** Lynn Alexander, John  
Lubon. **Crew:** Chad Beckwith, Mauricio  
Berrizbeitia, Jake Burd, Richard Cedar, Pat  
DeNaples©, Shelby Estell, Jeff Grawe, Keith  
Kilpatrick, Dan Reagan, Stefano Sinigaglia.

## 2015 5th WEEKEND CREW DAYS:

Jan 31 – 3rd Sat Crew  
Mar 29 – 3rd Sun Crew  
May 30 – 4th Sat Crew  
May 31 – 4th Sun Crew  
Aug 29 – 1st Sat Crew  
Aug 30 – 1st Sun Crew  
Oct 31 – 2nd Sat Crew  
Nov 29 – 2nd Sun Crew

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