



Caesar Creek Soaring Club

September 29, 2015

NEWS YOU NEED TO KNOW

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CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

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| Oct 3 | Board of Directors Meeting - 9:30 am - John Lubon |
| Oct 17 | Oktoberfest/Neighbor Appreciation Day - Maury Drummey |
| Oct 17 | Firewood Cutting Day - Bob Miller |

CONGRATULATIONS JONATHAN FULLENKAMP - PRIVATE PILOT - GLIDER

With beautiful fall weather, Jonathan Fullenkamp flew with CCSC, DPE, Bob Miller to complete his private pilot practical test on Thursday. At Adult Camp 2014 Jonathan completed his first solo flight. His studies as a grad student at the Air Force Institute of Technology (AFIT), WPAFB have interfered with his flying, but during an academic break Jonathan focused full attention on flying. He thanks all the CCSC instructors and others who helped him prepare with a special debt of gratitude to Larry Kirkbride who spent countless hours to lead Jon's training effort.



(l. to r.) Bob Miller, Examiner; Jonathan Fullenkamp, new Private Pilot; Bernie Fullenkamp, Tow Pilot; Larry Kirkbride, Instructor.

Jon wasted no time in exercising his private privileges by "folding" his father Bernie in to the back seat of an SGS 2-33 on Saturday, during their crew day, to give his first glider ride. On Sunday, with much nicer weather, he shared the soaring experience by giving rides in "the pickle" to his girl friend, Bridget, and his mother, Durelle.

Jonathan is an active duty Air Force Captain. After graduation from AFIT in March 2016, Jon will take his pilot skills to Virginia for his next Air Force assignment.

CONGRATULATIONS DAVE WHAPHAM - FIRST SOLO

Sunday the weather was again fantastic for student glider pilots and Dave Whapham was ready! Dave's adventure actually started eight years ago at Ridge Soaring in Pennsylvania where he enjoyed his first glider flight while attending Penn. State as an engineering student. After graduation he joined GE Aircraft Engine Business in Evendale and found that the academic demands of the Advanced Course coupled with the intensity of his engineering job left little time for flying. Once he completed the Advanced Course and his Master's Degree Dave headed for CCSC. He joined in April of this year and is now a member of the Third Sunday Crew. He has flown 24 instructional flights to prepare for this solo flight, with Rich Carraway and John Lubon doing the honors on Sunday to endorse his logbook for solo flight. Congratulations, Dave!



Dave Whapham (c.) savors the thrill of his first solo flight, flanked by instructors Rich Carraway (l.) and John Lubon (r.)

FLIGHT ACTIVITY

Wednesday, Bob Root reported 20 flights. Saturday the weather was less inspiring so Chuck Lohre reported only 5 flights, but the crew reassembled the Blanik after repair of the horizontal stabilizer, reinstalled the sign on the barn after repair and painting, washed the gliders, John Atkins changed the oil in 33Z, etc. With good weather on Sunday Rik Ghi reported 22 flights, including 3 Intro Flights.



Jon Fullenkamp gives his first passenger ride to his dad, Bernie. Henry Meyerrose and Ehtan Saladin assisted in shoehorning Bernie into the back seat of the 2-33 on Saturday.

ONLINE CONTEST RESULTS

The OLC contest year ended last week. CCSC finished in 6th place in the Silver League. The contributions of CCSC members are summarized in the table below. If you are curious to investigate in more detail here is the [link](#). Dan submitted the most flights. Those 49 flights added up to 229 hours and 39 minutes in his logbook. At his average speed of 78 km/hr he traveled 17,909 km (11,128 statute miles).

Joe Simmers has promised to tell us about his technique for flying at an average speed of 95 km/hr for a period of 123 hours over 23 flights.

The CCSC team can always use new talent. Everyone who flies can submit his flight to OLC and contribute to the club ranking. The 2016 contest is already under way, so now is the time to start.

name	<u>Flights</u>	<u>Duration</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Avg Speed</u>
 Dan Reagan	49	229:39:00	16417	78
Don M. Burns	47	144:37:00	10626	55
 John Lubon	34	143:27:00	10385	76
Joe Simmers	23	123:14:00	9470	95
Devin Bargainnier	4	32:13:00	3273	117
Mark Miller	14	48:36:00	3051	55
Jim Price	15	51:25:00	2945	57
Poul Pedersen	9	31:44:00	1900	60
 Dieter Schmidt	7	25:04:00	1766	72
Rolf Hegele	14	37:18:00	1652	31
Chuck Lohre	12	23:57	1221	25
James Marks	6	18:54	1110	58
Christopher Giacomo	24	33:56:00	1075	8
Bernie Fullenkamp	5	15:15	813	47
Tom Holloran	3	16:20	798	80
Bob Miller	2	9:59	746	80



Ethan Maxwell, age 13, took this photo after the Saturday crew put up the top lettering on the barn. Chuck Lohre paints it every seven years whether it needs it or not. This is the third time he has done it, this time with an epoxy base coating and white silicone top coat. We'll see if it lasts until 2022!

NOELLE JUMPS AT CAESAR CREEK

On Monday evening about 10 minutes to 7 PM, our Business Manager, Noelle Stewart, along with 3 of her jumping buddies parachuted from about 4000 feet above the gliderport. Husband, Jon Stewart, flew the 182 jump plane. Noelle was the last out....here she comes.....



Noelle made a beautiful landing for her 315th jump....and we think we glider pilots do exciting stuff! The jumpers quickly repacked, then Johnnie flew them back over to Waynesville for a second jump near sunset.



MINUTES FROM BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS

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

Hangar space at Butler County. <http://bcra.butlercountyohio.org/pdf/hangarRentalInfo.pdf>

FAA Airman Knowledge Testing Center ([PSI](#)) at Butler County.

Free to good home. Four heavy duty and six lightweight jack stands, wooden steps, and a clean 16 gallon water bottle with a faucet at the bottom. They were under my RV at spot C-2 in the campground. Everything is in decent shape, with nothing wrong that can't be cured with a little WD-40. If you can use these, go pick them up. I will dispose of them shortly if they are not claimed. – Tom McDonald

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.

CCSC GROUND CREWS:

1ST SATURDAY

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

1ST SUNDAY

CC: Mike Karraker (cell: 937-830-0627), **ACC:**
Mark Miller, **Tow Pilots:** Manfred Mauer, Norb
Mauer, Dieter Schmidt, Andy Swanson.
Instructor: Bob Miller, Rich Carraway. **Crew:**
Carter Aleson, Jul Alvarez, Bill Barone, Don
Burns, Russell Cook, Del Doddy, Michael Fuller,
Bill Grawe, Anil Mahajan, Irwin Mahajan, Bruce
Porter, Dave Rawson, Skye Toomey, Michael
Williams, Joe Zeis.

2ND SATURDAY

CC: Dick Holzwarth, **ACC:** Bob Root. **Tow Pilots:**
Bob Anderson, Haskell Simpkins. **Instructor:**
Bob Anderson, Jim Price. **Crew:** John Antrim,
Stuart Delk, Pat DeNaples, Jim Hurst, Jim Marks,
Nick Oleska, Dan Staarmann.

2ND SUNDAY

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

3RD 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, Soren Adams, Jake Click, Eric
Cochran, Chandler Demler, Jim Dudley, John
Dudley, Micah Ferguson, Norm Leet, Poul
Pederson, Charlie Richardson, Jack Runyan,
Brian Stoops, Chris Uhl.

3RD 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, Mike
Brewer, Jon "Rusty" May, Laura May, Topher
May, Jack Morari, Tony Rein, Zach Siefker, Joey
Tomei, David Whapham.

4TH 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.

4TH SUNDAY

CC: Steve Statkus (cell: 513-720-8955), **ACC:**
Rik Ghai. **Tow Pilots:** Ron Blume, Matt Davis,
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, Pete Schradin, Stefano
Sinigaglia, Chloe Williams.

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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