Caesar Creek Soaring Club

August 22, 2017

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sep 2 Board of Directors Meeting (9:30 AM) John Lubon
- Sep 9 Experimental Test Pilots (SETP) WPAFB Chapter John Armor
- Sep 19 Order of Daedalians event at CCSC Don Green

CONGRATULATIONS CHRIS UHL - CFI-G



Friday was a good day for a Practical Test. Chris Uhl convinced Bob Miller to spend Friday conducting the Practical Test for the Certified Flight Instructor -Glider rating. Don Green joined the fun to fly the tow plane and Norm Leet helped with launching, retrieval, etc. Bob reports that it turned out to be a long day, but Chris did a good job with the whole test and was awarded CFI-G.

The next morning Chris was on duty with the Third Saturday Crew and ready to exercise his new privileges. Tom McDonald, Chief Flight Instructor, was at CCSC and did the honors of presenting Chris his new CCSC badge with the platinum name tape signifying his new status as a Certified Flight Instructor -



Gliders. The crowd of witnesses in this photo are the guests from the WPAFB Airmen Recreation Program who were at CCSC Saturday for Introductory Flights.



Tom also did the honors of presenting a new CCSC badge with blue name tape to Soren Adams to signify his successful completion of the Practical Test for his Private Pilot-Glider rating. Soren's achievement was reported in the July 18, 2017 Frequent Flyer at the conclusion of YEW, but the new badge was slow in being prepared. That was remedied Saturday by Soren's primary flight instructor and grandfather, Tom McDonald.

THIRD SATURDAY

Although the early forecast was not good Saturday turned out to be a great day for soaring with a total of 21 flights, 7 of which were guest rides. The WPAFB Airmen's Outdoor Recreation Program group of five airman arrived early and eager to fly. This is the second year that soaring at CCSC has been part of their outdoor recreation activities and the second time they have had good weather this



year so all the preliminaries were quickly completed and it was time to start flying. Tom McDonald provided a thorough preflight briefing and guided the airman in performing a careful preflight check of

the glider.



Soon it was time for the airmen to go soaring. Chris was tagged for this flight. Each of the airmen took an Introductory Flight. Before leaving one couple from WPAFB expressed interest in joining the club.



Tammy
Kovach
returned to
CCSC for
another flight
with John
Dudley.
Tammy is
seriously
considering
joining
CCSC.



Rolf Hegele also provided a couple of Introductory Flights for guests.



Dieter Schmidt enjoyed providing a glider ride for a nephew who was visiting from Munich Germany.



Mark Miller enjoyed giving his cousin his first glider ride.



Ethan Maxwell took advantage of the moment and was the first to get Chris Uhl to provide flight instruction and autograph his logbook as CFI-G.

When the flying ended it was time for the pot luck dinner. Once the food was in front of our photographer, Norm Leet,, the thought of taking photos escaped. A fine time was had by all.

THIRD SUNDAY - BRIAN STOOPS

Sunday was a typical August day at the gliderport, hot and humid, with bases near 4500 feet. We had 26 flights, including two guest flights and prospective youth members.

HELP FINDING SOMEONE TO SWAP CREW DAY ASSIGNMENTS

A web-based process for facilitating swapping crew day assignments was announced in the 2/21/2017 Frequent Flyer along with instructions for using the system. This process is intended to help members find another member who will agree to swap crew duties for one specific set of dates. It is **not** for getting reassigned to a different crew for an indefinite period. Brian Stoops is the person who oversees crew assignments, so Brian is the one to whom you need to speak about a long term change.

Remember that **UOP 2.2 CREW MEMBER DUTIES** states: "All crew members are to report for duty at 9:30 AM and work until released by the Crew Chief. Each crew member is personally responsible for arranging for a qualified substitute in case of his or her absence. Scheduled crew members are expected to be present for each of their scheduled crew days regardless of flying conditions." This new process does not relieve any crew member from the responsibility for arranging for a qualified substitute and informing the crew chief; rather it is intended to help accomplish that task.

As of 10:30 pm on 8/22/2017 there are two requests for a member to swap or substitute a crew day:

Date: Skills: Click Here:

1st Saturday in September 09-02-2017

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Crew Chief Sub/Swap

DID YOU NOTICE THE MODEL GLIDERS ON THE CLUBHOUSE TABLE?



If you have been in the clubhouse lately, you have noticed several models on the table at the entrance. The models were made and donated by one of our visitors, Dave Morrison. Dave says he is moving and thus reducing his inventory of aviation projects. Many thanks go to Dave for his contribution. - Dan Reagan

MINUTES FROM BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS

http://www.soarccsc.com/resources/members/meetingminutes/ (The password is printed on your monthly statement.)

<u>CCSC IS ON FACEBOOK</u> https://www.facebook.com/CaesarCreekSoaringClub
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WANTED TO BUY

Open trailer - Schweizer, Gehrlein or equivalent. Any condition. Contact: Guy Byars

FOR SALE

PARACHUTE FOR SALE - Two Security 26 foot canopy parachutes (@\$350) plus bag (\$25). Contact Tim Christman.

ICOM IC-A14 Transceiver and Desktop Charger - Like New! I bought it new about 2 or 3 years ago when I was flying contests. Paid about \$240 and they are still about the same price. Sell for \$175. Call me at 513-543-4008 or email jimfripp@embarqmail.com I am here for 2 weeks camped in the club campground. Jim Price

PARACHUTE PACKING - Jonny Stewart is offering CCSC members a discount on parachute packing this year. Just \$65. Generally requires no more than one week and special orders can be discussed directly with Jonny. Just leave the chute in the CCSC office with a name and phone number and it will be taken care of.

Schweizer SGS 1-23, S/N 14, MFG Date May1950, includes open trailer. Has won vintage sailplane awards. Contact Thomas G. Bonser.

Note: See Membership Roster on website for contact information for all members.

CCSC GROUND CREWS:

1ST SATURDAY

CC: Steve Fenstermaker **Tow Pilots**: John Armor, CR Gillespie. **Instructors:** Paul McClaskey, Tom McDonald. **Crew:** Gerry Daugherty, Mark Hanlon, Kevin Price, Dan Beans, Jul Alvarez, D. Mattmuller, B. Sanbongi

1ST SUNDAY - Training Crew

CC: Mike Karraker ACC: Mark Miller. Tow Pilots: Manfred Maurer, Norb Maurer, Dieter Schmidt, Andy Swanson. Instructors: Bob Miller. Crew: Carter Aleson, Bob Bohl, Don Burns, Bill Clawson, Jonathan Criss, Joe Jaap, Christian Maurer, Bruce Porter, Dave Rawson, Ramon Rodriguez, Alex Teffenhardt, Laviniu Tirca, Joe Zeis.

2ND SATURDAY

CC: Dick Holzwarth **ACC**: Jim Marks, Bob Root. **Tow Pilots**: Haskell Simpkins. **Instructors**: Bob Anderson, Jim Price, Bill Gabbard. **Crew**: Bill Hall, Jim Hurst, Ron Kellerman, Aaron Marshall, Brian Mork, T. O'Berg, Chloe Williams, Michael Williams.

2ND SUNDAY

CC: Dave Menchen ACC: Lucy Anne McKosky. Tow Pilots: Lorrie Penner, Gordon Penner, Instructors: Jim Goebel, Tom McDonald, Tom Rudolf. Crew: Dave Conrad, Fred Hawk, Kate Kreiner, Mike McKosky.

3RD SATURDAY

CC: Maury Drummey ACC: Rolf Hegele. Tow Pilots: Don Green, Steve McManus, Dick Scheper. Instructors: Charlie DeBerry. Crew: Gary Adams, Soren Adams, Blake Bailey, Jake Burd, Jake Click, Eric Cochran, Chandler Demler, Jim Dudley, John Dudley, Micah Ferguson, Norm Leet, Ethan Maxwell, Joshua Rising, Jack Runyon, Chris Uhl.

3RD SUNDAY

CC: Brian Stoops **ACC: Tow Pilots**: Tony Bonser, Tim Christman. **Instructors:** Dick Eckels, **Crew**: Darin Caviness, Otis Lewis, Tony Rein, Zach Siefker, David Whapham,

4TH SATURDAY:

CC: Chuck Lohre **ACC**: Ethan Saladin. **Tow Pilots:** Guy Byars, Bernie Fullenkamp, Larry Kirkbride. **Instructors:** John Atkins, Joe Jackson. **Crew:** Ross Bales, Andrew Dignan, Michael Hayden, Casey Hildenbrand, Henry Meyerrose, John Murray,

4TH SUNDAY

CC: Steve Statkus ACC: Rik Ghai. Tow Pilots: Ron Blume, Matt Davis, Tim Morris. Instructors: Lynn Alexander, John Lubon, Kat McManus. Crew: Bill Barone, Mauricio Berrizbeitia, Richard Cedar, Shelby Estell, Bill Grawe, Jeff Grawe, M. Hosta, Keith Kilpatrick, Dan Reagan, Pete Schradin, Stefano Sinigaglia, John Williams.

2017 5th WEEKEND CREW DAYS:

Ian 29 - 3rd Sun Crew

Apr 29 – 3rd Sat Crew

Apr 30 - 4th Sun Crew

Jul 29 – 1st Sat Crew

Jul 30 – 1st Sun Crew

Sep 30 – 2nd Sat Crew

Oct 29 – 2nd Sun Crew

Dec 30 – 4th Sat

Dec 31 – Informal (Unknown)

POINTS OF CONTACT:

PRESIDENT: John Lubon

SAFETY OFFICER: Kevin Price DIR OF OPS: Bernie Fullenkamp CREW SUPERVISOR: Brian Stoops DIR OF FACILITIES: Keith Kilpatrick BUSINESS MANAGER: Jon Stewart, BusinessManager@soarccsc.com

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FrequentFlyer@soarccsc.com

Note: See <u>Membership Roster</u> on soarccsc.com for phone numbers and email addresses for all members.