# Caesar Creek Soaring Club

September 30, 2014

## **NEWS YOU NEED TO KNOW**

Neighbor Appreciation Day - Saturday, October 18

## **CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS**

CCSC Trustees Meeting
SSD Directors Meeting
Oktoberfest & Neighbor Appreciation Day - Maury Drummey
United Flying Octogenarians - Charlie DeBerry
Annual meeting and election
November Potluck (6:00 pm)
Banquet – Gary Adams

## **FLYING WEDNESDAY 9/24**

The weather couldn't have been better... typical Indian Summer day on Wednesday. We had 22 flights including one intro flight. Thermals were working to about 4500 MSL but hard to find (no clouds).

## **FLYING SATURDAY, 9/27**

27 launches and everything went smoothly. 5 guest rides with a possible new member.

After Jack Struck arrived in his 1938 Talbo reproduction (photos below), Chuck Lohre gave him a ride to celebrate his 85th birthday!





Following his guest ride with Bill Gabbard, Vlad commented "It was AMAZING!!!! Thank you for the experience!" and later posted his flight on YouTube. You can watch his video at here: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pZtxlJaGRus">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pZtxlJaGRus</a>

## FLYING SUNDAY, 9/28

35 flights in GREAT early fall weather. By 14:00 Cu's were popping and the queue at LAUNCH CENTRAL was starting to jam up. The glass guys were starting to populate the North side of the launch area where parachutes were the dress code of the day. The "Mighty  $4^{th}$ " was busy launching club ships, but took a brief break to launch the glass guys. They returned to business as usual with two tow planes and one full time instructor. We were blessed to have Mr. Bill wander out to the flight line like a lost soul in need of a free meal. We pressed him into service, after giving him a hot dog or two, and he instructed the rest of the day. Instructor Snow Bird Dick was pressed into service, as was instructor/tow pilot Rich Perry who landed after 1800 hrs successfully with student intact.

It was one of those GREAT CCSC days that remind you of why you've joined this bunch of crazy glider guiders. It's really the best kept secret in the mid west!

## FOLLOW-UP - INFLIGHT OPEN CANOPY

Investigating the inflight open canopy reported in last weeks FF, Steve Statkus reports the following:

Inspected the canopy latch [of 16Q] and found it to be the loosest of the three 2-33's. We disassembled the latch, massaged the spring a bit, reassembled it backwards, (the correct way) and it tested snug. Flew the glider multiple times this Wednesday and had no problems.

Good work to Kevin "flying the airplane" and thanks for the well written explanation. Sharing the experience is the corner stone of a "culture of safety".

## REMINDER - UNITED FLYING OCTOGENARIANS TO MEET AT CCSC

Charlie DeBerry is hosting a gathering of UFO's (United Flying Octogenarians) at CCSC on Wednesday, October 22. If you would like to join in the festivities contact <a href="Charlie">Charlie</a>. He prepared a <a href="flyer">flyer</a> with more information. Not only will there be opportunities to soar in a glider, but rides will be available in a Stearman. There is a need for club members to volunteer to help, especially tow pilots and commercial pilots who are current for taking passengers.

## **ELECTION OF TRUSTEES**

The two-year terms of the following will expire at the Annual Meeting in November: Jim Dudley, John Dudley, Tim Christman and Mark Schababerle. If you would consider serving the club as a trustee, please prepare a brief resume and send it to the Secretary, <u>John Dudley</u>. He will be preparing ballots for proxy voting and the brief resume will be used along with the ballot to introduce you to the members.

#### **CCSC TRUSTEE BOARD MINUTES**

Available on website. The password is printed on your monthly bill.

## **CCSC IS ON FACEBOOK**

https://www.facebook.com/CaesarCreekSoaringClub. Help promote our sport and our club by uploading your favorite photographs, videos and stories.

## **CCSC WEBSITE**

Have you checked out our website recently? <a href="http://soar-ccsc.com/">http://soar-ccsc.com/</a> If you have suggestions for improvement please email them to <a href="Jim Dudley">Jim Dudley</a>.

## **FOR SALE**

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!

2009 SparrowHawk, Dittel Radio with External Antenna, Ideal Trailer custom built by MM Fabrication, ballistic parachute, wing and tail dollies, Price:\$45,000. Contact: Dave, 859-356-0501, dedwardsky@insightbb.com or Charlie, 937-435-9229, 937-626-2000, deberrycw@aol.com

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.

"6V" ASW 15. Cambridge 302 Vario and moving map Flight Computer. Dittal radio.1/3 share is For Sale. Contact Chuck Lohre 513-260-9025, <a href="mailto:chuck@lohre.com">chuck@lohre.com</a>

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.

2004 Ford T Bird sports car. 17,200 miles Black w black soft & hard tops, V8 3.9 liter, auto, all options, one owner, very good condition, always garaged, \$18,500. Tom Geygan 513-265-2535

2008 Saturn Sky Red Line Turbo sports car. Chili pepper red w tan soft top, 260 hp. One owner, 18,100 miles, automatic, all options, very good condition, always garaged, \$18,500. Tom Geygan 513-265-2535

## **CCSC GROUND CREWS:**

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

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

## 1ST 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: Don Burns, Dave Rawson, Stephen Kleine, Joe Zeis, Chad Runyon, Jack Runyon, Jacob Moore.

#### 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: Gordon Penner, Jim Goebel, Tom Rudolf, Crew: Alyssa Engeseth, Mike McKosky, Katie Menchen, Tom Geygan, Fred Hawk, Dave Conrad.

#### **3RD SATURDAY**

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

#### 3RD SUNDAY

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

#### **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: Henry Meyerrose, Tom Bales ©, Ross Bales, Jon Fullenkamp, John Murray ©, Casey Hildenbrand.

#### **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, Richard Cedar, Pat DeNaples©, Shelby Estell, Jeff Grawe, David Meyer, Dan Reagan, Kindall Sanders, Pete Schradin, Stefano Sinigaglia.

## 2014 ADDITIONAL CREW DAYS:

March 29 – 2nd Sat Crew March 30 – 2nd Sun Crew May 31 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat Crew June 29 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun Crew Aug 30 – 4<sup>th</sup> Sat Crew Aug 31 – 4<sup>th</sup> Sun Crew Nov. 29 – 1<sup>st</sup> Sat Crew

## **POINTS OF CONTACT:**

Nov 30 – 1st Sun Crew

**CCSC PRES:** Jim Dudley, © 513-582-5661 **CHIEF TOW PILOT:** Tim Christman, hm: 937-475-1445

**SAFETY OFFICER:** Paul McClaskey, hm: 614-245-8129

**DIR OF OPS:** Brian Stoops, 937-203-6997 (c) **DIR OF FACILITIES:** Bob Miller, 937-882-6012 **TOW PLANE MAINT:** Tim Christman, hm 937-475-1445

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