

# SOAR

## Caesar Creek Soaring Club

## FREQUENT FLYER

November 11, 2021

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- Jan 29, 2022 – CCSC Annual Banquet, Engineers Club, Linda Murray

### OPERATIONS

#### COVID Update – Mark Miller

The current data available from the State of Ohio and the CDC shows that Warren County is still above the Ohio average for new COVID cases; and Ohio is substantially above the national average. Therefore the Board of Directors decided to leave the existing COVID restrictions in place. In essence:

- There will be no Guest/Introductory flights
- Only members and their immediate family living with them are permitted on the field
- Masks are optional as determined by separation protocols and pilot agreement

### Flights

In October, we had 149 flights for a yearly total of 1571 flights. This compares favorably to our budgeted 1500 flights for the year and that is reflected in our year-to-date financials.

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday Report

We had three members from our Ohio State contingent join us for some good flying. David McMaster flies as their CFIG and Allie Belafsky and Ean Bosma are both student pilots. Allie and Dave had a one hour flight in CC. Although the thermal index was +2 at 3000 ft AGL, there was plenty of lift at 2500 ft and below. Ean was taking a lot of video for future reference.

#### 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday Report

12 flights. We had no equipment problems. We moved the K21 trailer to the in back of hanger. Thanks to John K12 Kondratowicz for instructing.



Ean - Dave - Allie

## 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday Extra Crew Day

No flights. Field was very wet. Worked on prepping the crow's nest for painting.



Allie and Dave Launching in CC



Ean and Dave landing in 15H

## MEMBERSHIP

We have many new members to welcome to the Club. This is a list for this summer (from May on) and if I've missed anyone, please let me know. Please welcome:

Steve Duff and his son Owen Duff (Family)

Joshua Ervin

Lithum Seneviratne (Youth)

Jason Cottingham

Neal Engelman

Keith Kohut

Tucker Gladon (Youth)

Jeffrey Cramer

Doyon Pollock

Greg McDowell (Welcome back)

Adam Neu (Youth)

Joe Newbold

Jack Simpson

## ODDS AND ENDS

### 2022 SSA Calendars – Brian Stoops

Brian has placed a Calendar sign-up sheet on the display case in the Clubhouse. It will be there until the first Saturday in December. Alternatively, you can email Brian at [eagleyez45@yahoo.com](mailto:eagleyez45@yahoo.com) with your name, account number, and the quantity you desire. Specific costs cannot be defined until the shipping costs have been identified; but the calendars have cost about \$12 previously.

### How to Pay your Bill

CCSC sends out Statements via email once per month, generally on the third or fourth of the month. If you are not receiving the statements in your email, please review your Junk and Spam folders. If the email is still not there, please let us know at [businessmanager@soarccsc.com](mailto:businessmanager@soarccsc.com). It is possible that your provider is blocking your emails and you will have to contact them to assure them they are receiving legitimate emails.

You can pay your bill in a number of ways.

- You can drop cash and/or check into the dropbox on the back door to the office in the hanger.
- You can pay online through the website. Open the website ([www.soarccsc.com](http://www.soarccsc.com)) and go to '**Resources**' and a drop down list will appear. Go to '**Members Only**' and another drop down

list will appear. Click on "**Pay Your Bill Here**". You will be asked for a password which is printed at the bottom of your statement. '**Enter**' with the password and you will be on the 'Pay Your Bill Here' page. Enter your account number and click on '**Pay Now**'. This takes you to 'Purchase Details' page and enter the amount of your payment under '**Price per Item**'. Click on '**Continue**' and the page will say 'Pay with PayPal'.

- If you have a PayPal account, enter your 'Email or mobile number' in the box and press '**Next**'. You will be asked for a confirmation code or a PayPal login. Then just select '**Pay Now**'. You will see a payment confirmation and will automatically be returned to the 'Soarccsc' webpage.
- If you just want to pay with a credit card, click on the box that says 'Pay with '**Debit or Credit Card**'. This takes you to a page that requests Credit Card information. (Please NOTE: This is a PayPal Guest Checkout and in no way does this information reside with CCSC). Click on '**Pay Now**' and the transaction is complete.
- You can use a PayPal account directly. Log into your account and then click on '**Send**'. The CCSC email is '**businessmanager@soarccsc.com**'. Then insert the dollar amount and click on 'Continue'. The page identifying where you're paying from opens and you just need to click on '**Send Payment Now**'.

That's all there's to it. THANKS for paying promptly.

Just a reminder. If you don't pay monthly you incur a finance charge and after three months, your name is added to the 'NO FLY' list until your account is paid in full.

## Transparency

In Article V of the *Code of Regulations*, "All SSD Inc. meetings will be open to the membership." CCSC has implemented this requirement by using the 'ZOOM' application which runs on your computer, tablet, or phone. This application and login are available to all Members and everyone is encouraged to participate in the video and/or audio sessions. Participants are monitored for minutes attendance records.

To join the Zoom meeting, enter the following link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8238400884?pwd=THMwQ2NRSFd6VzZzZDFRNGtINTVUUT09>

To call in, dial: 312-626-6799

Meeting ID: 823 840 0884

Passcode: 377272

## INSTRUCTORS CORNER

### Basic training standards and philosophy at CCSC - Tom McDonald

I'll be going over various training topics in an upcoming series of Frequent Flyer articles. This first one covers basic standards for our operation, and is excerpted from the CCSC Instructor's Manual. Everyone from beginning students to experienced pilots taking a flight review or a field check can benefit from understanding our overall philosophy.

We are teaching pilots to meet FAA standards to safely fly gliders anywhere, and to make a smooth transition to or from another aircraft category as they desire. We are not just teaching the SGS 2-33 procedures that may apply at our club.

The instructor is always expected to act as the pilot in command when flying a club glider for the purpose of training or a flight review. In the case of rated pilots, be sure that there is a clear



understanding of which individual is the PIC.

At a minimum, conduct a walk-around of the glider before and after any flight, and make sure that students do the same. The thorough preflight by the crew before beginning operations does not absolve pilots from the responsibility to ensure that the aircraft remains airworthy for their flight later in the day.

Brief the basic flight profile and plan of action before leaving the ground. Brief (or have the student brief) the particulars of the planned landing approach prior to pattern entry.

Flight reviews, recurrent training, and new aircraft checkouts for rated pilots can be especially challenging for instructors. Even experienced pilots may be doing maneuvers that they perform rarely, if ever, when they are not flying a training profile. They can easily exceed their capabilities, and yours. Be prepared to intervene or take the controls, regardless of the skill or experience level of the other pilot. Do not let any pilot put you in a situation from which you cannot comfortably and safely recover.

Do not combine multiple emergency training procedures into the same landing pattern.

**CCSC IS ON FACEBOOK** <https://www.facebook.com/CaesarCreekSoaringClub>

**CCSC WEBSITE** [Includes Minutes from Board of Directors Meetings](#), (The password is printed on your monthly statement.)

## CLASSIFIEDS

### Trailer Sharing Available

Chuck Lohre would like to offer his Casita trailer for a sharing opportunity. It's a completely tricked out trailer and road ready. You're welcome to take it off site as well. He's planning to take it to Burning Man next year. Comes with a swamp cooler as well! It's the one with a Mako shark on top!

Chuck Lohre, 513-260-9025





**Jonny Stewart is Skydive Sports!** He is providing a drop off service right here at CCSC. If you need your parachute repacked, just leave it in the CCSC office and fill out one of the service cards and attach it to your rig.

**Phone:** 937-267-1733

**Email:** [skydivesports@gmail.com](mailto:skydivesports@gmail.com)



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## LAND'S END EMBROIDERED CLOTHING AND PROMOTIONAL ITEMS AVAILABLE ONLINE. PATCHES ARE IN THE DISPLAY CASE. – Chuck Lohre

Embroidered patches are available in the display case at \$5 each. The design is slightly different than the Land's End version.

The Land's End embroidered CCSC patch is approved for use on their clothing line website. Go to

<http://business.landsend.com/store/ccsc> , select your garment or promotional product and then select the "APPLY LOGO(S)" box. The CCSC Patch was created for general club use. For my own personal use, I created the embroidery of my call sign "6V" and the ASW 15 planeform for the sleeves. If you would like your call sign or planeform created, send me a photo of your tail, the one-time cost is \$29 each to create the embroidery programming. Most of our plane forms are on the back of our silk screened t-shirts in the club house. The sizes run large, I got my usual XL shirt and it's too large for me. Only some of the promotional items are available one at a time for embroidery. My shirt, shown, cost \$35.95, plus \$8.95 for the patch and \$6.95 each for the sleeves. They will also charge you tax and my shipping was \$9.95.



## CCSC GROUND CREWS:

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

**CC:** Steve Fenstermaker (cell: 937-581-7713) **ACC:** Dick Huskey. **Tow Pilots:** John Armor, CR Gillespie. **Instructors:** Paul McClaskey, Tom McDonald. **Crew:** Jul Alvarez, Dan Beans, Gerry Daugherty, Mark Hanlon, Waseem Jamali, Joe Jaap, D. Mattmuller, Kevin Price, B. Sanbongi.

### 1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY – Training Crew

**CC:** Mike Karraker (cell: 937-830-0627) **ACC:** Mark Miller. **Tow Pilots:** Christian Maurer, Norb Maurer, Andy Swanson. **Instructors:** Manfred Maurer, Bob Miller. **Crew:** Don Burns, Dan Dombrowski, Stephen Kleine, Eran Moscona, Dave Rawson, Dieter Schmidt, Joe Zeis.

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

**CC:** Dick Holzwarth (cell: 937-542-9612) **ACC:** Jim Marks. **Tow Pilots:** Brian Mork, Haskell Simpkins. **Instructors:** Bob Anderson, Bill Gabbard. **Crew:** Booker Atkins, Jim Fox, Bill Hall, Ron Kellerman, Jaison Lavergne, Daniel Pienaar, Marius Pienaar, Jim Suda, Lizz Suda.

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

**CC:** Lucy Anne McKosky (cell: 937-216-5754) **ACC:** Kate Menchen Kreiner. **Tow Pilots:** Lorrie Penner, Gordon Penner. **Instructors:** Jim Goebel, Tom McDonald, Tom Rudolf. **Crew:** Val Boehm, Fred Hawk, Mike McKosky, David Wrinkle.

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

**CC:** Maury Drummey (cell: 513-871-1998) **ACC:** Rolf Hegele. **Tow Pilots:** Don Green, Steve McManus, Sami Rintala. **Instructors:** Charlie DeBerry, Chris Uhl. **Crew:** Jim Dudley, John Dudley, Norm Leet, Charlie Maxwell, Ethan Maxwell, Poul Pedersen, Charlie Richards, Mariateresa Sestito.

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

**CC:** Dan Miner (cell: 614-395-3953) **ACC:** Otis Lewis **Tow Pilots:** Tony Bonser, Tim Christman. **Instructors:** Dick Eckels, Sami Rintala. **Crew:** Jacob Dunnohew, Mike Keltos, John Kondratowicz, Karl Ludolph, Rusty May, Brian Stoops, David Whapham.

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

**CC:** Chuck Lohre (cell: 513-260-9025) **ACC:** Ethan Saladin. **Tow Pilots:** Guy Byars, Larry Kirkbride. **Instructors:** John Atkins, Joe Jackson. **Crew:** Ross Bales, Andrew Dignan, David McMaster, John Murray, Curt Pollock, Tony Rein.

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

**CC:** Chris Summers (cell: 513-807-0077) **ACC:** Steve Statkus. **Tow Pilots:** Ron Blume, Tim Morris, Al Quinn **Instructors:** John Lubon, Kat McManus. **Crew:** Mauricio Berrizbeitia, Richard Cedar, Shelby Estell, Rick Ghai, Jeff Grawe, Keith Kilpatrick, Dan Reagan, Pete Schradin, Stefano Sinigaglia, Christian Summers, Laviniu Tirca.

### 2021 5th WEEKEND CREW DAYS:

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

### POINTS OF CONTACT:

**PRESIDENT:** Andrew Dignan  
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**DIR OF OPS:** Mark Miller  
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Note: See Membership Roster on soarccsc.com for phone numbers and email addresses for all members.

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